

Organ Report

All Saints' Annual Parish Meeting

2019

I have very good news to report. The official agreement for Rosales Opus 41 has been signed by the both the Senior Warden and Manuel Rosales. Our tentative timeline has the organ being shipped to us late August with installation complete by the end of October 2019. We are making every effort to have the organ available for All Saints' Day this year. I personally delivered the church's downpayment for the project during my trip to Los Angeles this month. It gave me the opportunity to see the work they have already done on some of our components (a good faith gesture by Rosales) as well as take a look at what we had purchased and talk about the project in person. With the delivery of the downpayment, Kevin Gilchrist (the technical director and head voicer) and Manuel are able to place orders with their suppliers for the facade pipes and other components to fill our chamber. We should have verifications soon regarding the timeline as it is somewhat dependent upon fulfillment of parts orders from the suppliers. This is the culmination of the church renovation and upgrade projects and we are all looking forward to the installation of one of the finest organs in the state of Hawaii. At about 18 ranks of pipes, the organ will have a broad range of both delicate and exciting sounds and is sure to enhance our worship in the most wonderful ways. We have allowed for the ability to add a few more components over time to complete my idea of the "perfect" organ for All Saints' Church and to give the island of Kauai a true organ masterpiece. Thank you to everyone who has faithfully supported the project, and thank you for your patience. It may have taken a little longer than we expected, but the outcome is going to be worth wait! If you would like to add to your pledge, now would be the perfect time. The vestry approved a slightly higher budget to make the organ even better than proposed so we still have some fundraising to do!

Shane Morris Wise