Las Cruces, New Mexico Chapter
American Guild of Organists
Virtual Recital – Spring 2021
Music by African-American Composers

00:55  Toccata.................................................................Mark Fax (1911-1974)
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Organist Laurel Benson Brown
St. Paul’s United Methodist Church, Wicks Organ, Las Cruces

03:46  Prelude on “We Shall Overcome”.............................Adolphus Hailstork (b. 1941)

06:52  Postlude on “We Shall Overcome” ............................Adolphus Hailstork (b. 1941)

08:37  Toccata on “Great Day” ........................................Adolphus Hailstork (b. 1941)
from Four Spirituals
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Organist Stephen Helmreich, CAGO
Peace Lutheran Church, Rodgers-Dewsbury Organ, Las Cruces

12:13  Chronicles: Passacaglia from Exodus Suite for Organ........Sharon J. Willis (b. 1949)
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15:37  Joshua Fit de Battle ob Jericho ..............................arr. Fela Sowande (1905-1987)
Organist Lynn Moorer
St. Paul’s United Methodist Church, Wicks Organ, Las Cruces

19:13  Adoration ...............................................................Florence B. Price (1887-1953)
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22:52  A Pleasant Thought .............................................Florence B. Price (1887-1953)
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Organist Monte Coleman
Peace Lutheran Church, Rodgers-Dewsbury Organ, Las Cruces
The Strife is O’er, the Battle Done ........................................ Victor C. Johnson (b. 1978)

In the Garden................................................................. Victor C. Johnson (b. 1978)

Christ the Lord is Risen Today ............................................ Victor C. Johnson (b. 1978)

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Organist Karen Billings, CAGO
Peace Lutheran Church, Rodgers-Dewsbury Organ, Las Cruces

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Peace Lutheran Church in Las Cruces has an organ whose console is a Rodgers 599, installed in 2017, with 39 drawknobs. It also has five ranks of pipes installed by Chaz Dewsbury in 2004 with an additional rank installed in 2013.

The Wicks organ at St. Paul’s United Methodist Church, Las Cruces, was installed in 1970 and currently has 27 ranks.