## Church Architecture: Space for Musicians

## Below are pictures from the balcony renovation project of St. John's, Wauwatosa, WI.

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The balcony at St. John's underwent extensive remodeling to add flexibility and space for musicians. The remodeling also removed the need to walk down 8 levels to get to the front of the balcony.



Before (left): the organ is tight to the pipes and to the pews.

After (below): the organ has been moved away from the pipes and, with the removal of the stationary pews, there is space for the piano and soundboard. The new movable, stackable chairs create options for increased instrumentalist space and seating.





