

# **Piano Technicians**

## **Saturday Morning Special - Technical Seminar**

*featuring*

***Don Mannino RPT\* MPA\*\* – Director of Field  
Services for Kawai America***

**“Resurrecting the Older Grand Piano” – How to  
bring a well worn grand piano into good playing  
condition in one day**

**WHEN: Saturday, October 17, 2015, 9:30am-1:00pm**

**WHERE: Ebenezer Bible Fellowship Church, 3100  
Hecktown Road, Bethlehem, PA 18020**

**FREE ADMISSION, reservations requested**

One half hour break at 11:00am, refreshments\*\*\* included

For more information, questions and reservations by 10/15/15 **contact:**

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\*\*\*refreshments provided by Grafton Piano and Organ Co., Souderton, PA

This seminar is a shortened version of Don's all-day workshop on how to bring a well-worn grand piano into good playing condition in one day.

Topics covered will be: prioritizing your work, planning to spend time on the areas that will have the most impact on the piano, giving the most "bang for the buck" in action performance and piano tone. Don will provide an overview of how to accomplish this with some demonstrations covering: string seating, hammer shaping, minor action reconditioning points that can be done quickly, action regulation, tuning and voicing. He will also show some useful tips that can help any piano perform and sound better. This class will challenge you to raise the level of service you provide and offer a lot of useful tips for making heavily used pianos perform at their best.