

JACKSON MERRILL BIO

Jackson Merrill is a graduate student in organ performance at the University of Michigan, studying with James Kibbie and Todd Wilson. At Michigan, he was awarded the Marilyn Mason Scholarship, the Patricia Barret Ludlow Memorial Scholarship in Organ, and the Chris Schroeder Graduate Fellowship. He presently works with Huw Lewis at Saint John's Church, Detroit.

Merrill came to Michigan from Hartford, Connecticut where he was Organist and Director of Music Ministries at Trinity Church. In addition to this work, he was the Choral Director of Trinity Academy in Hartford and sang in various choirs at Yale University. He holds the Bachelor of Music degree from Jacksonville University where he was awarded such honors as the Harvey Scholl Prize in Piano and the Excellence in Performance Award. He was also the 2016 College of Fine Arts Student of the Year. While in northeast Florida, Merrill performed occasionally with the Jacksonville Symphony Orchestra.