

Live and Love Well Art Show Statement and Submission Form

Calling all Walnut Hill visual artists! Walnut Hill is having an art show centered on our upcoming Live and Love Well 2024-2025 Annual Church Theme from the book of James. We want to invite you to submit your new or existing visual works (paintings, sketches, photography, collages, tapestries, etc.). This show is for people of all ages, and we will work to display as many works as possible.

While the sermon series goes from September 15-November 30, the show will open on October 6 and will be displayed through December.

How to be involved:

- You must be a **regular attendee** of Walnut Hill.
- Please read our **Art Show Vision Statement** below and submit works that align with the overall theme.
- While we prefer **presentation-ready works**, we will accept both framed and unframed pieces of art.
- Works must be able to be **hung on a wall** (paintings, sketches, photography, collages, tapestries, etc.).
- We will accept **originals or professional prints** of your work.
- While **we will not display prices**, we will display the title, artist name, medium and your website (if applicable).
- Please fill out the **Submission Form** and deliver your work and completed form to Walnut Hill's receptionist at the front desk by **September 30**
- An **opening art reception** will be held at the church on October 6 at 2pm.
- The show will hang through December 31. Pieces may be picked up the following week. Please let us know if your piece can't be displayed that long.

Art Show Vision Statement: Live and Love Well (The Book of James)

God's answer to our broken world is Jesus. When we follow Jesus, we walk in his ways. James outlines what it looks like to follow Jesus in community and honor him. When we do that, we impact our world and live and love well. We can't live out or make the behaviors in the book of James happen in our own strength. However, when we receive the love of the Father, surrender to Jesus as Lord and invite the Holy Spirit to bear fruit in our lives and transform us... watch out!

For the show, we simply want to display the different themes from the book for all to see... The book of James is five chapters (108 verses) and takes about 20 minutes to read. **Pray, ask God to inspire you, read and express your creativity!**

A basic outline of James:

TRIALS AND TEMPTATIONS (1:1-18)

WISDOM AND SPEECH (1:19-27)

AVOIDING FAVORITISM (2:1-13)

FAITH AND WORKS (2:14-26)

TAMING THE TONGUE (3:1-12)

WISE LIVING (3:13-18)

SUBMISSION TO GOD (4:1-17)

SOCIAL JUSTICE (5:1-6)

PATIENCE IN SUFFERING (5:7-12)

PRAY IN FAITH (5:13-18)

LOOK OUT FOR EACH OTHER (5:19-20)

Questions? Please contact Bob Marcinka at brmarcinka@gmail.com.

Submission Form

Submission Deadline: September 30, 2024

Please email completed forms to rsmithjutton@walnuthillcc.org

ARTIST NAME: _____

TITLE OF ARTWORK: _____

MEDIUM (acrylic, pastel, oil, watercolor, photography, tapestry, etc.): _____

ARTIST WEBSITE (if applicable): _____

ARTWORK STATEMENT: (In a short paragraph, please describe how do you feel your artwork aligns with the Arise and Shine Art Show vision.)