

# 1 Rotunda Gallery

at Borough Hall, 500 Main St.

Under the auspices of the Metuchen Arts Council, The Rotunda Gallery uses a space in Metuchen Borough Hall for exhibits by visual artists. Since 2009, The Rotunda Gallery has featured a variety of work by local artists. The Gallery displays art in a well-travelled area bringing beauty and imagination to the public.

The current show features oil paintings by Maja Opacic, inspired by images from NASA and the Hubble Space Telescope. Majestic scenarios that spark a sense of wonder. Show runs through November.



Orion Nebula by Maja Opacic

# 3 Nails in the Wall Gallery

a Ministry at St. Luke's, 17 Oak Ave.

Since 2012, the Gallery has offered two exhibits per year on a spiritual theme with works by artists from around the country, and often beyond. On even-numbered years, there is also a children's exhibit in June.

Animals, Wild and Winsome is a group exhibit featuring 27 works by 19 artists offering a glimpse into the souls of the many creatures that share our earthly home. You will see paintings, photographs, linocut print, textile art, sculpture and collage. The exhibit is on view until December 30: M-F 10-1, Sun. 9-1 and by appointment.



Seeing Eye to Eye by Sandy Mezinis

# 2 The Library Gallery

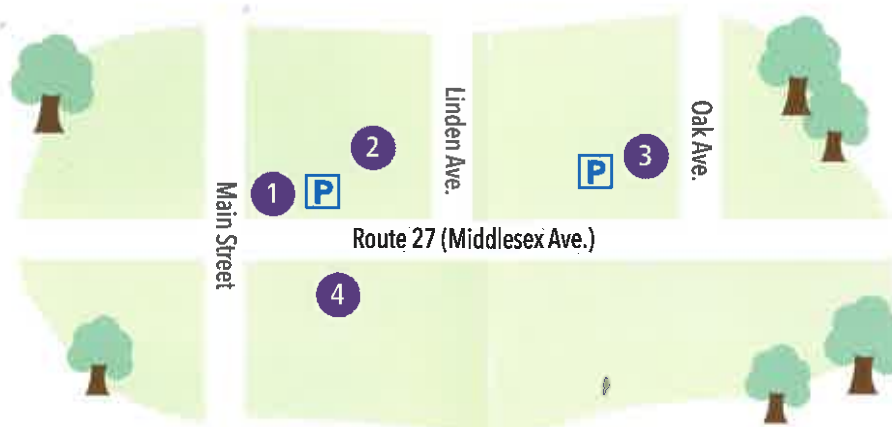
480 Middlesex Ave.

For four years the Community Room in the Metuchen Public Library has housed The Library Gallery, a space for local artists to show their work. With the help of many talented volunteers and artists, over 30 shows have hung on the walls of the gallery.

The current show, Adaptations, features the inaugural exhibit of work by Grace Ann Castellano, a recent graduate of Montclair State University, through November.



Untitled by Grace Ann Castellano



# 4 Transformations Gallery

at the Old Franklin Schoolhouse, 491 Middlesex Ave.

Transformations Gallery, located inside the Old Franklin Schoolhouse, welcomes new ideas that reflect both the traditions and transformations of this historic one-room schoolhouse. The venue allows for diverse artwork by both established and emerging artists.

During The Gallery Walk, the show "Doors" with works from 26 artists will be exhibited inside the schoolhouse. Also, the unveiling of a new outdoor exhibit space will take place, featuring 3 functioning doors transformed into art by Kim Adlerman, Joe LaMattina and Enrique Zaldivar.



Open Doors by Alice Harrison

# Upcoming Metuchen Arts Events

- Oct.-Nov. 2018** *Adaptations*, Grace Ann Castellano, The Library Gallery
- Oct.-Dec. 2018** *Doors*, Transformations Gallery\*  
Oil Paintings by Maja Opacic, Rotunda Gallery\*  
*Animals Wild & Winsome*, Nails in the Wall Gallery,  
A Ministry of St. Luke's
- Oct. 26, Nov. 30  
& Dec. 28, 2018** Open Mic Nights at the Old Franklin Schoolhouse  
(Transformations Gallery)\*
- Oct. 28, 2018** Jazz Brunch featuring the Jerry Weldon Trio, doors open 11:30 a.m.  
at The Greek on Main Restaurant, 419 Main Street  
Call 732-515-9457 for info.\*
- Nov. 3, 2018** Chamber Concert Series with Westerhoff School of Music,  
*Piano and Friends* at the First Presbyterian Church Social Center,  
270 Woodbridge Avenue\*
- Coach & Commando, Renee Maskin & one more band TBA,  
7 p.m., Old Franklin Schoolhouse (Transformations Gallery)
- Dec. 2018-Jan. 2019** Irene Reigner, photos, The Library Gallery
- Dec. 2018-Feb. 2019** Gary Westerhoff, photos, Rotunda Gallery\*
- Dec. 2, 2018** Holiday House Tour, 12 to 5 p.m., beginning at the  
Old Franklin Schoolhouse (Transformations Gallery)
- Feb. 2019** Middlesex County Arts in Education Traveling Student Show,  
The Library Gallery
- Feb. 3, March 24  
& June 16, 2019** *Making Earth Become Art* presented by Earthsongs Studio,  
at the Metuchen Senior Center, 15 Center Street\*
- March-May 2019** Janet Boltax, insightful portraits of seniors, Rotunda Gallery
- May 18, 2019** Metuchen Jazzfest at Metuchen High School, 400 Grove Avenue\*

\*Metuchen Arts Council Sponsored Events

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