

NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Sixth St. and Constitution Ave.
Washington 25, D. C.



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

December 1950

DECEMBER, 1950

THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

GALLERY HOURS

Weekdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sundays 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. Admission is free to the Gallery and all programs scheduled.

PERMANENT COLLECTION

The paintings and sculpture comprising the Mellon, Kress, Widener and Dale Collections with gifts from other donors are located on the main floor.

NEW EXHIBITIONS

Opening December 17. *Vollard, the Connoisseur: Modern French Prints, an Exhibition from the Rosenwald Collection.* Among the artists to be represented are Renoir, Vuillard, Bonnard, Degas, Dufy and Gauguin. Central Gallery.

CONTINUED EXHIBITIONS

Through December 10. *Canadian Painting.* An exhibition arranged by the National Gallery of Canada.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

Twelve folders and envelopes (3 secular subjects) with color reproductions of paintings. Eight folders and envelopes (3 secular subjects) with reproductions of etchings, engravings, woodcuts, etc. Price 10 cents a folder plus postage. A descriptive circular will be sent on request.

HOLIDAYS

On Sundays, December 24 and December 31, the Gallery will be open to visitors, but no concerts will be given and no educational services will be rendered. On Christmas Day and New Year's Day the Gallery will be closed.

CAFETERIA

Open to the public Tuesdays through Saturdays 11 to 4. Sundays 4 to 7.

(For TALKS, LECTURES and CONCERTS, see inside pages)

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MONDAY, November 27 through Sunday, December 3

- Picture of the Week** **Gainsborough. *Landscape with a Bridge***
(Mellon Collection)
Gallery 56. Weekdays 12:30 and 2:30
Sunday 2:30 and 6:30
- Tour for the Week** ***The Canadian Painting Exhibition***
Ground Floor Lobby. Weekdays 11:30
- Tour** ***Introduction to the Collections***
Rotunda. Weekdays 3:00
- Sunday Lecture** ***Zurbaran***
GUEST SPEAKER. Sra. Maria Luisa Caturla,
Member, Real Academia de Bellas Artes de
Santa Isabel de Hungria, of Seville.
Lecture Hall 4:00
- Sunday Concert** ***William Watkins, Organist***
East Garden Court 8:00

MONDAY, December 4 through Sunday, December 10

- Picture of the Week** **Redon. *Evocation of Roussel***
(Chester Dale Collection)
Gallery 84. Weekdays 12:30 and 2:30
Sunday 2:30 and 6:30
- Tour for the Week** ***The Painter's Individual Use of His
Technique***
Rotunda. Weekdays 11:30
- Tour** ***Introduction to the Collections***
Rotunda. Weekdays 3:00
- Sunday Lecture** ***Velazquez***
SPEAKER. Elisabeth P. Martin
Lecture Hall 4:00
- Sunday Concert** ***Richmond Gale, Pianist***
East Garden Court 8:00

MONDAY, December 11 through Sunday, December 17

- Picture of the Week** **Guardi. *View of Mira on the Brenta***
(Gulbenkian Collection)
Gallery 69. Weekdays 12:30 and 2:30
Sunday 2:30 and 6:30
- Tour for the Week** ***The Sculptor's Individual Use of His
Technique***
Rotunda. Weekdays 11:30
- Tour** ***Introduction to the Collections***
Rotunda. Weekdays 3:00
- Sunday Lecture** ***Goya***
SPEAKER. Raymond S. Stites
Lecture Hall 4:00
- Sunday Concert** ***Claudette Sorel, Pianist***
East Garden Court 8:00

MONDAY, December 18 through Saturday, December 23

- Sculpture of the Week** **Civitale. *Madonna Adoring the Child***
(Kress Collection)
Gallery 17. Weekdays 12:30 and 2:30
- Tour for the Week** ***The Artist's Individual Use of His Subject
Matter***
Rotunda. Weekdays 11:30
- Tour** ***Introduction to the Collections***
Rotunda. Weekdays 3:00

TUESDAY, December 26 through Saturday, December 30

- Picture of the Week** **Giorgione. *The Adoration of the
Shepherds***
(Kress Collection)
Gallery 28. Weekdays 12:30 and 2:30
- Tour for the Week** ***The Christmas Story***
for Young People
Rotunda. Weekdays 11:30
- Tour** ***Introduction to the Collections***
Rotunda. Weekdays 3:00

**Inquiries concerning the Gallery's educational
services should be addressed to the Educational
Office, REpublic 4215, extension 271**