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Travel with KALAMAZOO ART LEAGUE to see JOHN STEUART CURRY: WEATHERING THE STORM

THURSDAY, JUNE 6 - depart Kalamazoo Institute of Arts 9 am, return by 6 pm

John Steuart Curry: Weathering the Storm highlights artwork that visually defined the Midwest. It tells the captivating and tragic story behind the work and life of an artist whose paintings of rural landscapes, communal gatherings, and devastating natural disasters shaped perceptions of life in the Midwest in the late 1920s.

Iconic works, such as Muskegon's own "Tornado Over Kansas" and the Whitney Museum of American Art's "Baptism in Kansas", will be featured alongside works from major museums around the country.

We will enjoy a special tour of the exhibition. Organized by the Muskegon Museum of Art and featuring new research, this is the only venue for the first in-depth look at Curry's work in 20 years.

We will have time to view Quilts: The Artistry of Home which complements Weathering the Storm with Depression Era quilts by historic makers, many from Michigan, and the museum's exceptional permanent collection galleries.

Learn more about the Muskegon Museum of Art at MuskegonArtMuseum.org



About the Trip

Brunch: On arrival, enjoy brunch in a private room at Carmen's Café, a popular Muskegon lunch spot near the museum. Carmen's Café is an American Diner that is also vegetarian, vegan, and gluten-free friendly. They are savvy for excellent service to groups on a schedule to get to their museum tours! Participants will order from the menu and will pay for their own lunch.

Transportation: Our chartered 56-passenger luxury motorcoach offers plenty of social distancing and a clean restroom. Wholesome snacks will be provided in route.

Cost: Art League member \$145; KIA member \$155; General Public \$170; (Includes transportation, all museum fees and tour, snacks, and driver's tip. Brunch is individual pay.)

Payment: Registration due May 1. Pay by mail with check or online with PayPal.

- Make checks payable to "Kalamazoo Art League". Mail or hand deliver with the form below to: Kalamazoo Art League depARTure, c/o Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, 314 S. Park St, Kalamazoo, MI 49007.
• Register online with PayPal at www.KalamazooArtLeague.org

Questions? Contact Co-Chairs Sally Pritko: 269-352-5654, Julie Taborn: 269-330-3953, or David Brose: 248-914-1911.

June 6, 2024 depARTure Registration Form - Please print clearly. We will confirm registrations and contact you by email.

PARTICIPANT NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

EMAIL _____

PREFERRED PHONE _____ OTHER PHONE _____

PAYMENT ENCLOSED FOR: # _____ Art League members @ \$145; # _____ KIA members @ \$155; # _____ general public @ \$170