

NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

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THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART HOLIDAY OFFERINGS

Washington, D.C., December 12, 1989 - The National Gallery of Art offers the following holiday highlights during December. All events are free and open to the public.

December 17: Sunday concert - The Maryland Camerata conducted by Samuel Gordon, Christmas concert with caroling by the audience, 7 p.m., West Garden Court.

December 19-
December 24 Collection highlight - Madonna and Child by Lorenzo Monaco, Christopher With, lecturer, Tuesday through Saturday 12 noon, Sunday 2 p.m., Gallery 2, West Building.

December 20 Gallery talk - The Three Kings: A Beloved Theme and Variations in Fifteenth-Century Italian Painting, Barbara Baxter, graduate lecturing fellow, 2 p.m., West Building Rotunda.

December 27-
December 31 Collection highlight - The Farm by Joan Miró, William J. Williams, lecturer, Tuesday through Saturday 12 noon, Sunday 2 p.m. (no talks given on December 25 or 26), Upper Level, East Building.

December 30 Gallery talk - The Mystery of Christmas in Flemish and Italian Art, Thomas E.A. Dale, graduate lecturing fellow, 2 p.m., West Building Rotunda.

Please note: The Gallery closes at 5:00 p.m. on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve and all day on Christmas Day and New Year's Day. There is no Sunday lecture or Sunday concert on either December 24 or December 31.

The National Gallery is located between 3rd and 7th Streets, N.W., on Constitution Avenue. Entrances are on the Mall, on 7th Street, at 6th and Constitution, and off 4th Street. Hours are Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 9 p.m.

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