

CURRIER MUSEUM *of* ART

The museum is reopening on April 1

And it's not an April Fool's joke: we can't wait to welcome you back!

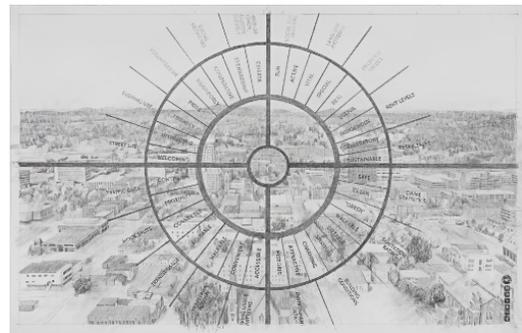


The Currier Museum of Art will reopen to the public on Thursday, April 1. A new exhibition, [*The Body in Art: From the Spiritual to the Erotic*](#), will explore the creative ways artists through the ages have used the human body as a means of expression. These meanings included religion, passion, joy, and a sense of our own mortality. The past year has reminded us that we are all fragile but share a great deal in common.

Image credit: Lombard School, *Christ at the Column*, about 1500, oil on panel

Also on view when we reopen is [*Critical Cartography: Larissa Fassler in Manchester*](#). Our artist-in-residence used large-scale maps to capture the strange and sometimes humorous interactions in downtown Manchester.

Image credit: Larissa Fassler, *Manchester IV*, 2019-2020, pen, pencil and pencil crayon on paper



Finally, the Currier Museum is also celebrating the art of Tomie dePaola, the great book illustrator who died a year ago this month. We formed a close bond with Tomie when we showed his work in 2018 during the exhibition ***Beyond Words***, and this [new exhibition](#) of his original drawings launches a fund set up in his honor to support art education for young people.

Image credit: Tomie dePaola, *The Art Angel*, 2005, acrylic on watercolor paper

The Currier Museum is yours. Come by to take a break and enjoy the richness of art. You will find familiar objects as well as some new surprises.

Alan Chong
Director

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Your safety is our priority. We will be following procedures to keep everyone at the museum healthy. Please visit the [Your Safety](#) section of our website.

[Timed tickets](#) are highly recommended. [Book your ticket online](#) for a safe, contactless experience.

Hours

Thursdays: 10 am to 8 pm (Art After Work: Free Thursday Nights will resume from 5 to 8 pm)

Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays: 10 am to 5 pm

Please note: 10 am to 11 am daily is reserved for members until further notice.

The Winter Garden Café and Museum Shop will be open. The Café has adjusted the style of service to allow for a safe guest experience. Table service will be provided by Winter Garden waitstaff at properly distanced tables, and all safety protocols outlined by the state will be accommodated thoroughly.

Discover art online

We continue to offer and create online opportunities for you to enjoy at home.

[Currier from Home Activities including art projects and Storytime](#)

[ARTalks Online](#)

[Art Conversations from Home](#)

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