

**WATERCOLOR SOCIETY OF INDIANA
2019 MEMBERSHIP EXHIBIT**

**May 19 – July 7, 2019
Second Presbyterian Church
7700 N. Meridian Street
Indianapolis, IN**

ELIGIBILITY

All WSI members who have paid 2019 membership dues may register one water media painting for exhibition. This is a non-juried exhibit. All paintings executed and presented in accordance with the rules will be exhibited unless, in the opinion of the exhibitions committee or Second Presbyterian Fine Arts Committee, subject matter may be viewed as objectionable by the general public. Paintings exhibited in prior juried shows are eligible. All paintings must be registered in our office by May 10, 2019; non-registered paintings will not be accepted at the exhibit. You may offer your painting for sale.

DATES

Friday, May 10 Registration Deadline

Entry form and fee must be received in our office in order to participate in the exhibit.

Include entry form, \$16 check for entry fee and lunch fee or presentation fee, if applicable. There is no charge for the presentation by Jerry Smith if you have paid for lunch.

REGISTER ONLINE: www.watercolorsocietyofindiana.org

-OR- Mail to:

Watercolor Society of Indiana
4181 E. 96th St., Suite 200
Indianapolis, IN 46240

Saturday, May 18 Membership Show Opens

10:00 - 11:30 AM	Deliver paintings to Second Presbyterian Church & sign waiver
10:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Coffee/Tea Member Social – Slideshow of Juried Exhibit entries
11:00 AM	Docent-led tour – Art and Architecture of Second Presbyterian Church
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Buffet Lunch
1:30 - 2:00 PM	Presentation of James C. Lentz Scholarship and brief general meeting, door prizes
2:00 - 3:30 PM	Watercolor presentation by Jerry Smith

Sunday May 19 - Friday July 6 Member Show

Second Presbyterian is open 8AM - 9PM weekdays, 8AM - 3PM Saturdays, and 8AM - 1PM Sundays. Hours vary slightly from week to week, but are always posted at the main desk. Please call the church ahead of time to find out if an event is scheduled that makes access to the exhibit a problem (317-253-6461).

Saturday, July 7 Painting Pickup

10:00 AM - noon Pick up paintings; each painting must be signed out.

RULES

1. A minimum of seventy-five percent (75%) of the entry must be watercolor or acrylic material. If desired, the balance of the entry may be pastel, charcoal, ink and/or collage (e.g. photos, computer art, fabric, metal foil, etc.). The decision of the exhibitions committee is final in accordance with all rules. Overall frame size must be 32" x 40" or less. All work must be ready to hang with flat hangers and wire. No saw tooth or screw eye hangers will be accepted.
2. Work may be matted and framed under glass. No damaged or warped frames will be accepted. Plexiglass is preferred in metal frames larger than 18" x 24". The overall look of the show is better with neutral mats. WSI will refuse to hang improperly framed paintings.
3. Gallery wrap is acceptable if the water media covers all visible surfaces: front, sides, top and bottom.
4. All paintings must be the original work of the artist. No copies or prints of paintings or published photographs will be accepted. In the event of duplicate paintings, neither painting will be exhibited.

5. A label with artist name, painting title & painting price must be attached to the back side, top left corner of the painting. If not for sale, write "NFS".
6. Entry title and price may not be changed after forms have been submitted.

SALES

1. You may offer your painting for sale; however, the Church does not allow prices to be displayed. Instead a list with the price and artist's contact information as it appears on the entry form will be kept in the church's music and fine arts office, room 158, and the interested buyer will contact the artist directly. If your painting is not for sale, this contact information is optional.
2. Sold paintings must be left until the end of the show. The artist is responsible for delivering the painting to the buyer on July 7.
3. In lieu of a painting commission to WSI, we ask that you make a reasonable donation to Second Presbyterian Church.

DELIVERY OF PAINTINGS

Second Presbyterian Church is in the 7700 block of Meridian Street on the west side. There is ample parking on the north side of the church with easy access to the gallery from that entrance. As you enter the drive please note the one-way signs that direct you to the double doors at the back entrance. Enter through those doors and take the elevator up. Please also use this entrance when visiting the show.

DELIVERY OR PICK-UP ASSISTANCE

You may arrange free assistance for delivery of your painting on May 18th, or with pick up of your painting on July 7th, by contacting the WSI area representative for your region of the state. You must make your own arrangements with the representative. If you live in Indianapolis and need help, please call an artist friend.

NORTH: Pat Huffman (765) 491-7483 pathuffmanartstudio@gmail.com

SOUTH: Beverly Mathis (317) 888-6565 bmathis888@aol.com

EAST: Joan Yauch (317) 356-6366 peintremaitre@comcast.net

WEST: Shirley Woolard (317) 837-7607 swoolard@kingswaychurch.org

SHIPPING

If shipping a painting, it should be crated and delivered to the WSI office by Friday, May 10. The WSI office will return an unsold painting in the same crate in which it arrived. The artist must set up an account with FedEx or UPS so that all shipping costs are pre-paid. There will be a \$90 charge (\$45 each way) for transporting your painting to and from the exhibit.

RISK

The Watercolor Society of Indiana will exercise diligent and reasonable care, but neither WSI nor Second Presbyterian Church shall be responsible for loss or damage to any painting. By participating in the show, the artist assumes all risk and agrees to the rules and conditions of this prospectus. You will be required to sign a waiver for Second Presbyterian Church when you deliver your painting.

2019 DUES PAID?

Only current WSI members may enter this show. If you are not sure if your dues have been paid, contact WSI via email: wsiemail@ori.net.

UNCLAIMED PAINTINGS

You will be charged \$45 if your painting is not picked up at the end of the exhibit. Unclaimed paintings will be returned to the WSI office. After 12/29/19 they will become WSI property.

QUESTIONS

Please contact the WSI office at wsiemail@ori.net or Kaarta Nemeth at 317-439-4306 or knemeth@earthlink.net.

2019 MEMBERSHIP EXHIBIT ENTRY FORM

Artist _____

Title of Painting _____

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR PAINTING SALES:

Phone _____

Email _____

Make checks payable to WSI. Fees and form due in our office by May 10, 2019.

SIGN UP ONLINE: www.watercolorsofindiana.org

Mail form and check to:

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WSI and the Second Presbyterian Church are not responsible for loss or damage to any painting.
See Risk listed in prospectus.

ENTRY FEE AND LUNCH RESERVATION

Painting Entry Fee: \$16.00 \$ _____

Lunch & Demo:

_____ @ \$19 per Member \$ _____

_____ @ \$21 Non-member \$ _____

Presentation only: \$10 \$ _____

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

**WSI LABEL FOR PAINTING
2019 Membership Show**

Artist _____

Title _____

Phone _____

Price or NFS \$ _____

(Apply to back of painting, top left corner.)