

Sundays at the Figge

Figge tours are a great way to spend Sunday afternoon with family or friends. On most Sundays the museum offers an informal, docent-guided tour that is tailored to your interests. On the last Sunday of the month, a special themed tour will be presented. All Sunday tours begin at 1:30 pm in the lobby and last about 40 minutes.



All About Art

1:30 pm Sunday, January 29

Presenters: Barb Hansen and Sandy Cahoy

This tour will examine several paintings which represent different genres, or types of art. Docents Barb Hansen and Sandy Cahoy will discuss the characteristics of each type of painting as well as the techniques the artists used in each genre. The tour begins with religious works in the Latin American Gallery and ends with *Mural*, Jackson Pollock's modern masterpiece.

Luis Juárez, *The Marriage of the Virgin*, ca. 1620-1635, oil on canvas, 1995.6



Spectacular Sculpture

1:30 pm Sunday, February 26

Presenters: Judie Lance and Cathy Wiedeman

Materials and methods are the focus of this tour as well as the expressive qualities of each sculpture. Docents Judie Lance and Cathy Wiedeman will begin the tour with a formal cast bronze portrait bust of C.A. Ficke, the museum's founder, and then move on to other works including those of Deborah Butterfield, Beverly Pepper, Harry Bertoia, and Sol LeWitt. Interesting facts about these well known artists and images of some of their other works will also be shared.

Deborah Butterfield, *Half Moon*, 2007, cast bronze with patina, Museum purchase, 2007.38



American Landscapes

1:30 pm Sunday, March 25

Presenters: Sylvia Martin and Jane Koski

Discover why nature appealed to artists and writers in the nineteenth century, as Figge docents Sylvia Martin and Jane Koski introduce you to landscape paintings on display in the American Gallery. The paintings included in this tour are as varied as the artists' approaches—a mountain scene in early autumn, a pastoral meadow at twilight, a silvery lake illuminated by moonlight, a winter landscape, and a spectacular waterfall.

Albert Bierstadt, *Latourell Falls, Near Colombia River Oregon*, n.d., oil on canvas, 1925.24

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