

# A CALL FOR ARTISTS

## “Journey: Here and Onward”

An exhibit of works from community efforts and artists reflecting life as journey, one we share together yet one we experience through different and personal paths.

HOSTED BY:

Norbertine Community of Santa Maria de la Vid Abbey

5825 Coors Blvd. SW

Albuquerque, NM 87121

(Property is on the west side of Coors Blvd., just south of Coors Blvd. & Pajarito Rd. intersection)

Opening on Friday, November 3, 2017 | Closing on Saturday, December 16, 2017

We invite artists of all religious and spiritual backgrounds to create/submit works which express an interpretation and experience of life as journey, including but not limited to:

### Migration, Displacement, Movement and/or Pilgrimage

If you are interested in participating, please submit the following:

- Digital image of your piece
- Brief description of your piece to include dimensions, materials used, and how it expresses your interpretation of the theme (no more than 500 words)
- Artist statement about yourself or the artist you represent (no more than 250 words).

All above information must be sent to Celina Chavez at [cchavez@norbertinecommunity.org](mailto:cchavez@norbertinecommunity.org) by October 2.

\* We are hopeful to accept each work submitted. Our selection committee will carefully consider availability of display space and how works contribute to the theme of the exhibition. Also, as we hope to display a diversity of art, we may only accept up to (2) pieces per artist. You will be informed regarding selection by October 16.

If you would like to include a price for your piece, we will list it on the display label, however, visitors may only purchase a piece through the artist.

We appreciate your interest in this community exhibition and thank you for covering costs of shipping and handling, if selected. If you wish, you may physically deliver your work in person.

Please contact us to schedule a delivery time, between October 23-27.

For questions and more information, please contact Celina Chavez at [cchavez@norbertinecommunity.org](mailto:cchavez@norbertinecommunity.org) or (505) 873-4399 ext. 237.

### Important Dates:

- October 2 – Submission/Entry DEADLINE
- October 16 – Artists to be informed regarding selection
- October 18 – Works \*not selected ready for return to artists
- November 3 – Official Opening of the art exhibition at the Abbey
- December 16 – Official Closing of the art exhibition at the Abbey
- December 20-22 or 27-29 (or after the holidays) – Works to be returned to artists. Please contact us to make arrangements if you wish to personally collect your work.

### Other Abbey Dates (during exhibition):

- November 3 – Café Communio, a Pop-Up Coffee Shop Experience (to be paired with art exhibition opening)
- November 17 – Taizé in the Desert
- December 8 – “Feast of the Immaculate Conception” Liturgies (Vespers, Holy Hour & Reconciliation, and Mass)
- December 15 – Taizé in the Desert
- December 16 – Abbey Posadas & Official Art Exhibition Closing