



After The Storm
InterCommunity Gallery's First Exhibition of 2027

Special Guest Juror: Artist Amy Labossiere
Exhibition Dates: January 7 – April 2, 2027
Submission Deadline: December 7, 2026

Call to Artists

InterCommunity Art Gallery invites artists to submit work for “After the Storm,” a juried group exhibition exploring the rebuilding and resilience that follows experiencing a storm, whether literal or interpretive. Juried by local artist Amy Labossiere, this exhibition seeks works that interpret what emerges once the dust settles from a challenging time.

About “After The Storm”

Artists are encouraged to focus their work on the emotional and societal aftermath of upheaval - whether personal, political, environmental, or spiritual. Rather than focusing on catastrophe itself, the exhibition seeks to explore what emerges during a rebuilding and what mourning looks like following hard situations. *How do we adapt after a literal weather storm or a storm inside of us?* Artists are encouraged to reflect on endurance and the quiet strength found in this resilience. The work may address specific trauma recovery, community involvement, healthcare, addiction recovery, displacement, or interpersonal healing. InterCommunity Gallery seeks work that transforms a storm of pain into a dialogue of heroic reflection.

HOW TO APPLY: Submission Guidelines

- ❖ **The Following genres will be considered:** Mixed media, painting, photography, drawing, collage, printmaking, illustration, experimental work, 2 and 3D work, graffiti, printed/recorded word.
- ❖ **Condition:** 2D Works are recommended to be framed, but not mandatory. Please no fisheye hooks or saw tooth hangers. For questions please contact: thegallery@intercommunityct.org.
- ❖ **Submission and Exhibition Dates:** Submission Deadline of December 7th, 2026; Exhibition will run from January 7th, 2027, through April 2nd, 2027, with an opening reception on Thursday, January 7th.
- ❖ **Accepted Work:** You will be notified if your art has been selected by December 12th, 2026.
- ❖ **Unaccepted Work:** If your art has not been accepted at this time, you won't hear from us, however, we encourage you to submit work during future calls for entry.
- ❖ **Send Submission:** In an email, please include your name, contact information, and up to 6 photos/jpgs or recordings of your work. For each piece submitted, include title, size in inches, price if applicable for each, and an artist statement for each piece. Links to additional work are also permissible. **Email submissions to thegallery@intercommunityct.org.**
- ❖ **Cost:** InterCommunity Gallery does not charge for submissions and takes 0% of artwork sold.

Gallery Mission & Information

Committed to removing barriers to care, and recognizing the connection between art and wellbeing, InterCommunity Gallery provides free access to museum-quality works by local artists. InterCommunity Gallery is located at 287 Main Street in East Hartford, CT. The Gallery is open Mon-Thurs 8AM to 6PM, and Fri 8AM to 5PM. InterCommunity Gallery is the only gallery in East Hartford. Learn more at: www.intercommunityct.org/the-gallery.