



Fine Arts

NEWSLETTER

NEW & EXCITING ARTS HAPPENINGS

This week, K, 3 & 4th grade students had the opportunity to hear the Salisbury Symphony perform live in class! The Salisbury Symphony offers a variety of opportunities for young musicians! Please see their website for information on [programs for young musicians](#) and to explore opportunities for the whole family to attend live performances in the [2024-2025 season](#).

Middle School Music Leadership Exploratory students have prepared the songs, “Your Love is Deep,” and “I Saw the Light,” for our celebration of prayer and community at [See You At The Pole \(SYATP\)](#), a global day of prayer led by students around the world. The theme for See You at the Pole is, First Timothy 2:1 “First, Pray!” **Kindergarten students & their Third Grade** buddies will be leading the song, “Kumbaya” as we unite together in prayer and song. Prayer will be led by multiple **8th grade students**, as we pray for our nation, our city, our school, our students and more! [SYATP offers an app](#) if you wish to follow along with a daily devotional about prayer in its many facets and purposes, it is a great way to involve the whole family in conversation about prayer.

SAVE THE DATES: SA LIVE!

See SA Lower School students perform live at the following events and see a selection of visual artworks on display

- [See You At The Pole](#) | Wednesday, September 25th, 8:15am
- Chapel 9/26: 5th, 6th, 7th & 8th sing “Raise a Hallelujah” & “Hallelu”
- Grandperson’s Day Chapel | Friday, October 18th
- Veterans Day Chapel | Thursday, November 7th
- Christmas Chapel | Thursday, December 12th

ARTS FIELD TRIPS & COMMUNITY CONNECTION

7th & 8th grade students will visit the [Waterworks Visual Arts Center](#) to see the *Modern Masters Collection* and view photographs and hear storytelling from the *1937 Bostian Alley Collection* on November 5th. Plan on packing a lunch to enjoy at the Bell Tower Green.

Now is a great time to visit [Waterworks](#) in Salisbury! *The Modern Masters Collection of Julian and Josie Robertson* is officially open for display (Sept 17, 2024- August 30, 2025). The collection features works of Monet, Picasso, Renoir, Derain, Kandinsky, Bonnard, DeKooning, Vlaminck, Gauguin, and many more renowned artists. Currently, there is also an exhibit of photos from the *1937 Bostian Alley Collection*, featuring photographs reprinted from Margaret and Alex Smoot, who photographed African-American families and communities in Salisbury with the goal of preserving people’s stories. These works were found by painter Maria Bennet Hock, who then brought these people to life in her full colored paintings in order to honor and preserve their memory. Diary entries from the people of Bostian Alley were also collected, and a script was written for an actress to record. As you walk through these works, the story is told on speakers around the room. These exhibits are a fantastic opportunity for your student to practice describing works using their art vocabulary and knowledge of art elements, principles of design and art mediums as well as learn more about Salisbury History and be part of a once in a lifetime art experience!

