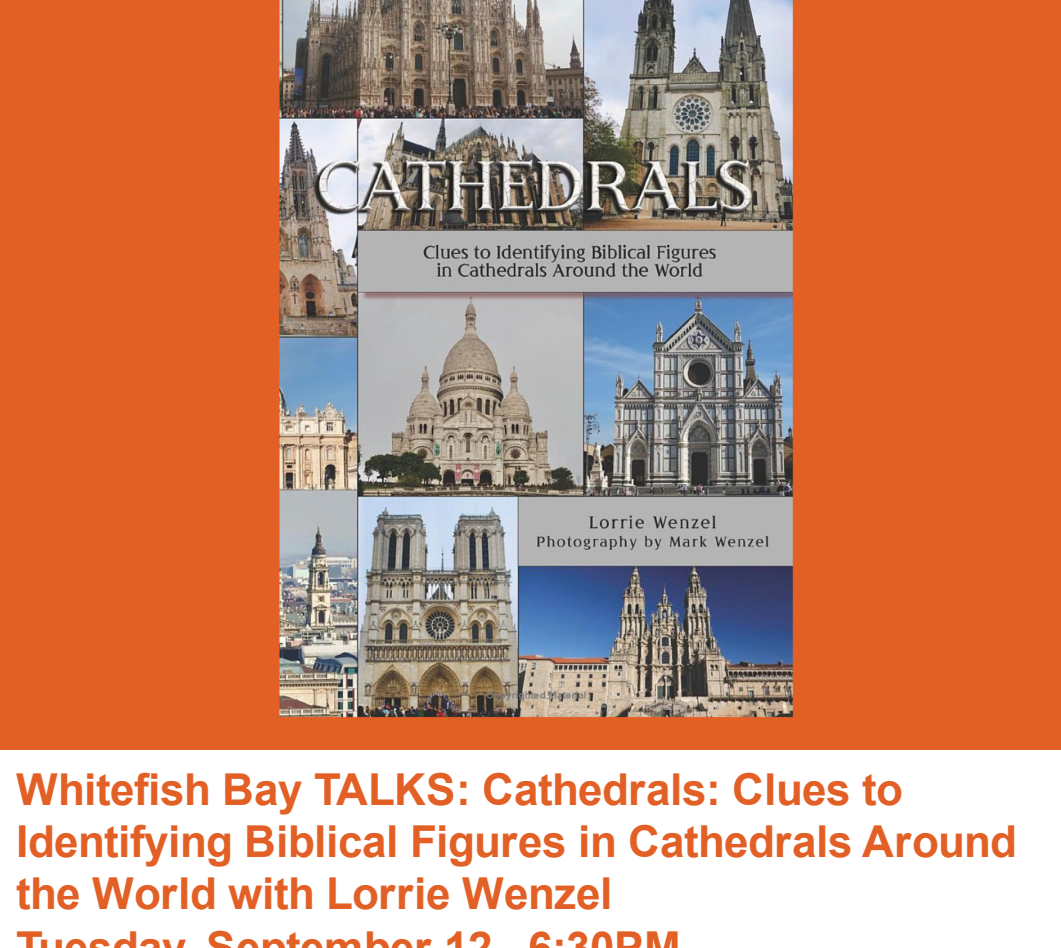


The library will be closed on Monday, September 4 in honor of Labor Day. This concludes the last weekend we are closed on Sundays for the summer. The library will be open on Sunday, September 10.



Whitefish Bay TALKS: Cathedrals: Clues to Identifying Biblical Figures in Cathedrals Around the World with Lorrie Wenzel

Tuesday, September 12, 6:30PM
Please register:
https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1521

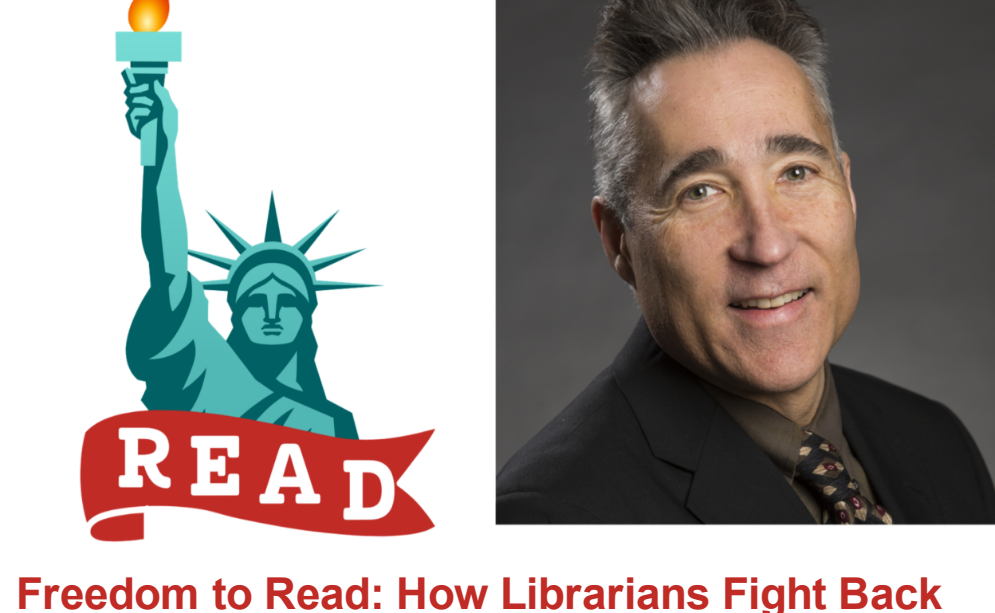
Have you ever stood before a statue in a Cathedral and tried to guess the identity? Have you wandered aimlessly through churches, overwhelmed by the imagery and left frustrated. This presentation will help you identify the Biblical Figures in Cathedrals around the world. A great tool for any traveler, it unlocks the artistic clues the great painters, sculptors, and glassmakers provided to identify important biblical characters and early Christian saints. Its purpose is to guide visitors globally through any cathedral and enable recognition of saints and martyrs in works of art. Dr. **Lorrie Wenzel** is a Professor of Scripture, former college faculty member, church historian and noted expert in biblical imagery in great cathedrals.
[Request a copy of the book here.](#)

Core Retirement Decisions in the Fragile Decade

Thursday, September 21, 6:30PM
Please Register-
https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1565

- Choosing your optimal retirement age
- Planning for the risks faced in retirement like the uncertainties of life expectancy, inflation, health status, and investment climate
- Making claiming decisions that maximize Social Security benefits
- Obtaining health insurance coverage to supplement Medicare or provide coverage prior to Medicare eligibility
- Preparing for late-life needs including long-term care, and other needs due to physical and mental decline
- Considering ways to improve a plan through taking advantage of tax savings plans and other tax considerations

Join Whitefish Bay resident Christine Kopecky. As an advisor with the Retirement Income Certified Professional® designation, Christine advises on building a comprehensive retirement plans that address income needs and core decisions such as:



Freedom to Read: How Librarians Fight Back Against Book Challenges and How the Law Protects Them

Thursday, October 5, 6PM
https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1559

Please join us for light refreshments before the program beginning at 5:30PM.

The League of Women Voters of Milwaukee County and the Whitefish Bay Public Library will host Freedom to Read: How Librarians Fight Back Against Book Challenges and How the Law Protects Them. This Community Conversation will take place on October 5, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. at the Whitefish Bay Public Library.

The program will feature Tomas Lipinski, Ph.D. and J.D., professor at the UWM School of Information Studies and Nyama Reed, Whitefish Bay Public Library Director and past-president of the Wisconsin Library Association. Ms. Reed's presentation will focus on the background of the Freedom to Read movement, plus historical and current trends in book challenges. Dr. Lipinski's presentation will cover the legal foundations that support library work, including a review of the extant case law involving public school and public library book challenges and collections that demonstrate support for library decision-making in building collections.

Whitefish Bay TALKS Upcoming

Olivia in Five, Seven, Five: Autism in Haiku With Kathie Giorgio
Thursday, October 12, 6:30PM
Please register: https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1522

Join author and poet Kathie Giorgio for an open discussion about autism, it's impact on her relationship with her daughter, and what it was like working on this book.

Frank Lloyd Wright's Wisconsin With Author Kristine Hansen
Tuesday, November 14, 6:30PM
Please register: https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1523

This comprehensive guide to Wright's designs (and those of his protégés) that are open to the public—as well as insider historical information about sites now demolished, and those available for "drive-bys" only—is for the architecture or history fan looking for tours, overnight stays or creative inspiration.

New Resource Alert

Weiss Financial Ratings

Find independent, unbiased financial information on banks, credit unions, and insurance companies. Access buy-hold-sell ratings of thousands of stocks, mutual funds, and exchange traded funds. Use Weiss Financial Ratings to research Medicare supplement insurance—which plan to choose, how much it will cost, and compare rates and plan benefits. Create your own Personal Account to create a Watchlist, get Upgrade/Downgrade Notifications and Log In from Anywhere

This resource is only available to residents of Whitefish Bay. [If you are a resident of Whitefish Bay get started here!](#) Sign in using your library card beginning with 25254. If your library card does not begin with 25254, enter WFBWI and then your card number. (Example: WFBWI2526001730748)

A Few State Park Passes Still Available!

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and the Whitefish Bay Public Library announced a library program to make state park and forest vehicle admission day passes available to library card holders at Whitefish Bay. Library card holders can take home a day pass for free admission for one vehicle at any state park, forest, or recreation area where admission is required.

How do the passes work?
 Each week, a select number of passes will be available.

Stop by the display area near the adult reference desk to grab a card to checkout a pass.

- Bring the card up to the front desk.
- In order to take the pass, you must
 - Have a library card in good standing
 - Have a WI license plate
 - Know the date of your visit. (The date of use must be written on the pass. We can write a range of 3 days if you know the approximate date).

Questions? Ask a staff person for more information.
 Passes are brought to you by Friends of the Whitefish Bay Public Library.
[Support our Friends by becoming a member.](#)

Book Club

Hybrid Mystery Book Club
Wednesday, September 13, 6:30PM
 Our Mystery Book Club meets once a month and is led by librarian Sharon Nagel. This month we're reading [The Unquiet Dead](#) by Aasma Zehanat Khan.

This meeting will be a hybrid meeting, both on Zoom and in person at the library. **This month's meeting will be held in the storyline room.**
Click here to join our Zoom meeting:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89080701042>
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Meeting ID: 890 8070 0104
 Passcode: J8yJp03W

Our next meeting is October 11 and we'll be reading [The Monogram Murders](#) by Sophie Hannah.

Hybrid Tea Time Book Club
Friday, September 22, 12PM
 Our Tea Time Book Club meets once a month and is led by Library Director Nyama Reed. This month we're reading [All the Broken Places](#) by John Boyne.

This meeting will be a hybrid meeting, both on Zoom and in person at the library in our upstairs program room. **Click here to join our Zoom meeting:**
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/916044074022>
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STORYTIMES

National Teddy Bear Day Storytime
Saturday, September 9, 10-11AM
Please Register- https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1553
Birth-age 5 with an adult caregiver. (Siblings and non-teddy-bear lovers are welcome!)

Celebrate your favorite stuffed bear on National Teddy Bear Day with a special storytime. We'll read bear-themed stories, make a cute craft, and have a photo booth where you can pose with your beloved bear.

Outdoor All Ages Storytime at School House Park
Mondays 10-10:30AM, September 11, September 18, September 25,
Wednesdays, 10-10:30AM, September 13, September 20, September 27,
Thursdays 10-10:30AM, September 14, September 21, September 28

Please register, Check our calendar for more dates in October
 We're excited to offer outdoor storytime for all ages in School House Park this fall! Join us for stories, songs, and more. In case of bad weather, we'll hold storytime in the tower of the children's department. Registration open now.

Toddler Time with Miss Valerie
12mo-24mo with an adult caregiver. (Siblings are welcome.)
Tuesdays, 10AM
September 12, September 19, September 26, October 3, October 10, October 17
Storytime Room
Please Register
 Toddler Time is back! Join Miss Valerie for stories, songs, lap bounces and more, followed by a playtime for our little ones.

Bilingual Storytime/Hora de cuentos bilingüe
Saturday, September 30, 11-11:30AM
Please Register- https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1560
 Welcome everyone! You are invited to a family bilingual storytime at Whitefish Bay Library. Join us as we sing songs, read books, and practice our Spanish.

Programs for Kids

Perler Bead Creations for Tweens
Monday, September 18, 4-5PM
Grades 3rd-5th. Registration required.
Please Register- https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1550

Make your very own Perler Bead creation at this fun after-school program. We'll have a variety of templates but you can also create your own design!

Outdoor Parachuting in School House Park
Wednesday, September 20, 4-4:30PM
Grades 1st-2nd
Please Register- https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1552

Join us for an interactive and play-filled program in School House Park featuring songs, rhymes and activities with the library's parachute! This program is intended for older children, so the parachuting moves will be a bit more advanced. Rain Site: Upstairs Program Room

Fall! for Trees!
Tuesday, September 26, 4-5PM
Grades K4-K5
Please Register- https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1555

Learn about all the things that fall from trees in autumn. Leaves, acorns, and pinecones! We will do some fun STEM activities and crafts.

Programs for Teens

International Chip Champ!
Thursday, September 14, 4-5PM
Please Register- https://www.wfblibrary.org/our_events/?eid=1551

Grades 6th-12th. Registration required.
 Join us for another international treat taste test. We'll have a variety of international chips, with a fascinating array of flavors, and it's up to you to determine which chip is the champ! (Any food allergies? Please let us know ahead of time!)

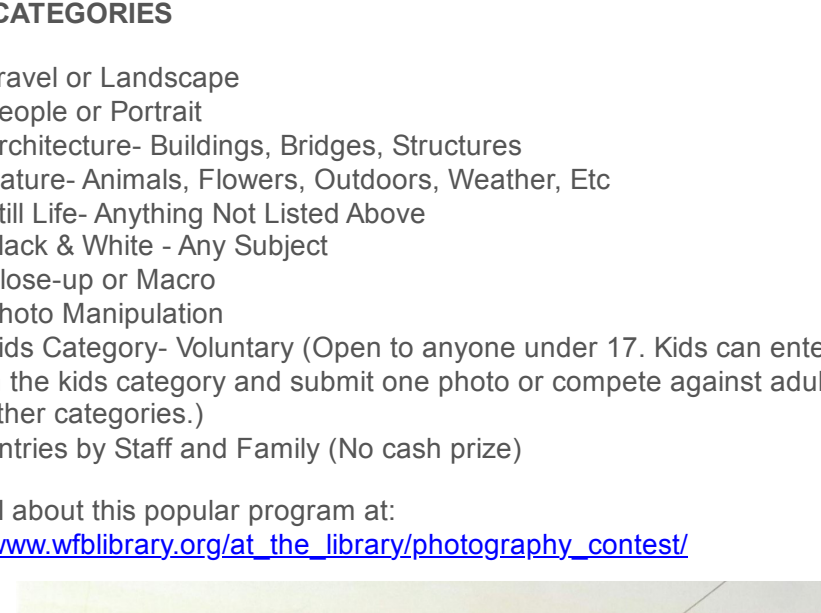


7th Annual Photography Contest

Our contest is open to amateur photographers of any age. We've got a number of different categories; enter one photo per category. Cash prizes include a BEST IN SHOW cash prize of \$250, generously donated by Friends of the Whitefish Bay Public Library. **Deadline for photo submissions is end of the day on Monday, September 11.**

- Photo CATEGORIES**
- Travel or Landscape
 - People or Portrait
 - Architecture- Buildings, Bridges, Structures
 - Nature- Animals, Flowers, Outdoors, Weather, Etc
 - Still Life- Anything Not Listed Above
 - Black & White - Any Subject
 - Close-up or Macro
 - Photo Manipulation
 - Kids Category- Voluntary (Open to anyone under 17. Kids can enter either in the kids category and submit one photo or compete against adults in the other categories.)
 - Entries by Staff and Family (No cash prize)

Read all about this popular program at:
https://www.wfblibrary.org/at_the_library/photography_contest/



2023 Best in Show Winner Megan McKay



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