

• **ONGOING: "For All The World To See: Visual Culture and The Struggle for Civil Rights"** is on special exhibit at the Birthplace of Country Music Museum, Bristol, Va. The show examines the role that visual culture played in shaping and transforming the struggle for racial equality in America from the late 1940s to the mid-1970s. 423-573-1927, www.birthplaceofcountrymusic.org

• **ONGOING: "Intertwined: Regional Textile Traditions"** is on exhibit at William King Museum of Art, Abingdon, Va. The exhibit explores the reality of 19th-century home textile production in the region surrounding Abingdon, Va. These textiles were planned, produced and passed down through families as important heirlooms. 276-628-5005, www.williamkingmuseum.com

• **ONGOING: "Steinlin: Cats"** is on exhibit at William King Museum of Art, Abingdon, Va. The exhibit is organized by the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. 276-628-5005, www.williamkingmuseum.org

• **ONGOING: "The 28th Annual Members Exhibition,"** is on display at The Arts Depot, Abingdon, Va. More than 100 newly created, original pieces are displayed in all three galleries. 276-628-9091, www.abingdonartsdepot.org

• **ONGOING:** The artwork of **Eric Drummond Smith** is on display in the Panoramic Gallery at William King Museum of Art, Abingdon, Va. 276-628-5005, www.williamkingmuseum.org

• **DEC. 1-31: Quilts** by members of the Blue Ridge Quilters Guild are display in the Galleria at the Johnson City Public Library, Johnson City, Tenn. www.jcpl.net

• **DEC. 2-28: "Inner Outing"**

by March Parks is on exhibit at The Renaissance Center, Kingsport, Tenn. She sees the dynamic between the form and fluidity in the horizon lines between land and sky of landscapes. A **reception is Dec. 2** from 2-4 p.m. 423-246-1227, www.kingsportartguild.com

• **DEC. 6: First Thursday** in Abingdon, Va., brings gallery-goers together one night a month from 5-9 p.m. Participating sites include William King Museum of Art, Fragmented, Heartwood, T. Tilley Gallery and Space Lab. The Arts Depot holds its annual **Open House** from 6-8 p.m., with music, treats, wine and art. www.facebook.com/abingdonfirstthursday

• **DEC. 7: First Friday** is held at the Town Square Center for the Arts, Glade Spring, Va., at 5 p.m. 276-429-1276, www.tscaart.com

• **CLOSING DEC. 8: "Preston Gannaway: Between the Devil and the Deep Blue Sea"** is on exhibit at the McGlothlin Center for the Arts, Emory & Henry College, Emory, Va. Pulitzer Prize-winning documentary photographer and artist Gannaway focuses on intimate stories about American families and marginalized communities while addressing themes such as gender identity, class and our relationship to the natural world. The exhibit is a documentary project on the changing character of a working-class seaside community along the Chesapeake Bay in Virginia. The work explores residents' relationships to the natural environment and an American neighborhood that has become a collision of class. 276-944-6663, www.ehc.edu/McGlothlinCenter

• **CLOSING DEC. 14:** The 2018 **FL3TCH3R Exhibit: Social and Politically Engaged Art** is on display at East Tennessee State University's Reece Museum, Johnson City, Tenn. The exhibit focuses on work with strong



"Song of the Sea" by March Parks is part of the "Inner Outing" exhibit at The Renaissance Center, Kingsport, Tenn.

social and/or political content and helps support the annual Fletcher H. Dyer Memorial Scholarship. Free and open to the public. 423-439-8587, www.etsu.edu/martin

• **OPENING DEC. 14: The Gallery @ Barr Photographics** announces the winter installment of the Corner Gallery's exhibition series with **Brenda Mask**. Her photo realistic acrylic paintings are bold and fresh. The **holiday gala reception and art talk** is **Dec. 14** from 7-9 p.m. 276-628-1486, <http://barrphotographics.com>

• **CLOSING DEC. 14: "Upstate"** is on exhibit at the Reece Museum, Johnson City, Tenn. Featuring photos by ETSU Art & Design professor **Tema**

Stauffer, "Upstate" examines the social, economic and cultural landscape of American spaces, focusing on urban and rural environments in the Hudson, N.Y., area. Free admission. www.etsu.edu/reece

• **DEC. 14:** Appalachian Spirit Gallery, Marion, Va., celebrates **The Second Friday ArtWalk** from 5-8 p.m. Live music. 276-706-2909

• **CLOSING DEC. 30: "Let Him Speak First"** is on exhibit at William King Museum of Art, Abingdon, Va. Elizabeth Alexander manipulates discarded decorative materials, such as wallpaper and porcelain tableware, to create works that address cultural

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