

Bob Wiegers

About

I am inspired by the beautiful landscapes of southern Vermont that surround our home, and I work to depict the emotions that arise in this wild yet gentle place. For my current body of work, I paint intuitively, using acrylic paint and inks on canvas or paper. Most of my paintings take inspiration from the natural world, and I often find myself at the intersection of nature and emotion.

Most of my work could be described as improvised, barely-guided chaos, which is how I often find life in general, and I attempt to visually express the unsayable and even unknowable. I have recently been enhancing many of my paintings with Augmented Reality (AR) experiences. This is an exciting new genre that adds interactivity to the gallery experience as well as a layer of artist interpretation.

Exhibitions

- Artist in Residence and Solo Exhibition, Sage Street Mill, North Bennington, VT – February-April 2023
- “Entangled” group show, The Left Bank, North Bennington, VT – Winter 2023
- “Ambiguous Loss” solo exhibition, Lexington Academy, MA – Winter 2023
- “Beyond the Ordinary” group show at The Beyond Gallery, Lafayette, IN – 2022
- Solo show at the Dorset VT library – Summer 2022
- Group show at Angry Egg Cafe II, Bennington VT – 2022
- “Artist’s Choice” group show at The Beyond Gallery, Bennington VT – December 2021
- Solo show at Bennington Welcome Center, Bennington VT – November 2021
- Solo show at Loose Cannon Cafe, Bennington VT – October 2021
- “Nature” group show at The Beyond Gallery, Bennington VT – April 2021
- “Abstract” group show at The Beyond Gallery, Bennington VT – February 2021
- Solo show at Stone Coast Music, Cumberland ME – 2021
- “Winter” group show at The Beyond Gallery, Bennington VT – December 2019
- Winter Photography group show at SVMC Hospital, Bennington, VT – Winter 2018

Commissions

Terra Nova Church, *The Promises of God*, 36”x48” acrylic on canvas, 2021

Education

Master of Divinity, Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, South Hamilton, MA, 2016.
Bachelor of Arts in English, Covenant College, Lookout Mountain, GA, 1999.