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The *art circle at commonweal* application period for artists to submit work for consideration on our new online art gallery is open to artists whose lives have been touched by cancer. We are delighted to extend an invitation to you to submit work.

art circle at commonweal is not an auction website, but instead a virtual gathering place for art lovers to discover and purchase fine art and craft to add to their collection and to help support artists. For artists whose lives have been touched by cancer, *art circle* offers an opportunity to convey the healing power of art.

If you would like to submit images of your work or if you have questions about *art circle at commonweal*, please contact Jacqueline Mallegni artcircle@commonweal.org.

Guidelines for Artwork Submissions:

- Fine art and craft will be accepted: painting, limited edition prints, mixed media, fiber arts, photography, sculpture, poetry, ceramics and jewelry. Unframed work is acceptable. Original limited edition production and one-of-a-kind work is preferred. Artwork must be created by the artist. Kits and manufactured artwork will not be accepted.
- Suggested price range of work is \$50 and above
- Small promotional work in the price range of \$125 or less especially made for CCHP is requested but not required.
- Application and Agreement forms will be provided upon request

About Commonweal and the Cancer Help Program

Commonweal, founded in 1976, is a non-profit 501(c) 3 health, environmental, and educational center that offers major programs dedicated in different ways to human and environmental health—in short, to healing ourselves and healing the earth. Commonweal's work spreads the continuum from prevention to policy; it is dedicated to creating and sustaining healthy communities within each program and as a collective result of our work. We offer a unique setting for extraordinary social entrepreneurs working in community to find solutions to pressing problems of our times.



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The Commonweal Cancer Help Program is perhaps the most respected residential support program for people with cancer and their significant others in the United States. Bill Moyers featured the CCHP in his award-winning PBS series "Healing and the Mind." It provides a week-long program of support groups, yoga, meditation, relaxation, massage, healing arts, primarily vegetarian whole foods cooking, individual counseling, and explorations of choices in healing, in therapy choice, and in facing death and dying when that time comes. The Cancer Help Program regularly and reliably transforms the lives of participants in lasting and profound ways. It changes the experience of living with -- and sometimes dying with -- cancer.

Purchases from *art circle at commonweal* provides much needed financial support for the Cancer Help Program, allowing us to make the program available to more people in need and to cover costs for those who would otherwise be unable to attend.

Please visit the *art circle at commonweal* online gallery website at www.artcircle.commonweal.org to view the current exhibition. Our next exhibition is due to launch on June 1, 2011. Completed applications are due by April 15, 2011.