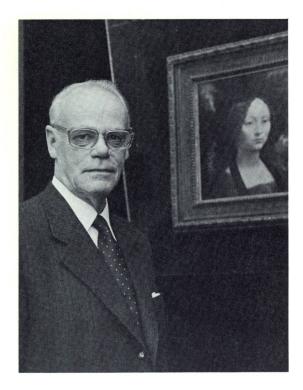
## **National Gallery of Art**

Washington, D.C. 20565



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

APRIL 1972



LUDWIG H. HEYDENREICH. 1972 Andrew W. Mellon Lecturer in the Fine Arts

#### DISTINGUISHED LEONARDO DA VINCI SCHOLAR GIVES 1972 MELLON LECTURES IN THE FINE ARTS

Ludwig Heinrich Heydenreich, one of the leading authorities on Leonardo da Vinci, will deliver the 21st annual Andrew W. Mellon Lectures in the Fine Arts at the National Gallery. The subject of the lecture series is Leonardo da Vinci. For the first time, the lectures will bring together chronologically a large body of known facts about the artist's life and works as well as recently uncovered material.

The lectures will be given on six consecutive Sundays, beginning April 2, at 4:00 p.m. in the auditorium (see inside). There will be no admission charge. The Andrew W. Mellon Lectures were launched in 1952 through grants from the Avalon and Old Dominion Foundations. Their purpose is to bring to the people of the United States the best contemporary thought and scholarship bearing upon the subject of the arts. The lectures will be published in due course by the Princeton University Press.

#### TIEPOLO EXHIBITION CONTINUES

"Rare Etchings by G. B. and G. D. Tiepolo," a selection of over 90 etchings by the great Venetian artist and his son, remains on view through April 23. The exhibition is composed of rare unpublished impressions from two 18th-century albums from the Rosenwald Collection.

An exhibition poster, recorded tour and catalog are available to visitors at the Gallery.



XAVIER GONZALEZ. Big Thompson Collection of the Bureau of Reclamation

# THE AMERICAN ARTIST AND WATER RECLAMATION

A selection of paintings, watercolors and drawings chosen from more than 300 pictures commissioned by the Bureau of Reclamation of the United States Department of the Interior is on view in the Northeast Gallery through May 28. The artists participating in the program spent considerable time at the often remote water reclamation project sites in the western United States and recorded their impressions, which range from super-realistic to non-objective. "A Desert's Dream," a film on the work of the Bureau of Reclamation, will be shown in the auditorium (see inside).

#### WOMEN ARTISTS IN THE NATIONAL GALLERY

Concurrent with the Conference for Women in the Visual Arts to be held in Washington April 20-22, the National Gallery will offer a tour of pictures in the Gallery's collections which have been painted by women (see inside). For those unable to attend the tour, a leaflet will be available at the Information Desks giving a biographical sketch of each woman whose paintings are represented in the collection and a list of works and locations.

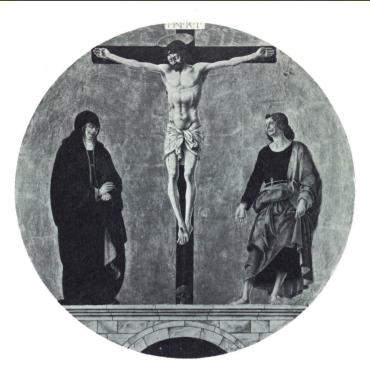
#### 29th AMERICAN MUSICAL FESTIVAL

The National Gallery's 29th American Music Festival, made possible by funds bequeathed by F. Lammot Belin, will be held on Sunday evenings between April 16 and June 4. Orchestral, chamber, piano and vocal music will be featured. The final program, under the direction of Emerson Myers and with the assistance of a chamber ensemble, will be devoted to electronic music. Several world premieres and first Washington performances will mark the series.

#### **SUMMER HOURS**

Beginning April 1 the Gallery will be open Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Sunday 12 to 9 p.m.

The Gallery's cafeteria will be open Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday 1 to 7 p.m.



Cossa. The Crucifixion

National Gallery of Art

MONDAY, March 27, through SUNDAY, April 2

#### \*PAINTING OF THE WEEK

Cossa. *The Crucifixion* (Samuel H. Kress Collection) Gallery 19 Tues. through Sat. 12:00 & 2:00; Sun. 3:30 & 6:00

#### TOUR OF THE WEEK

Elements of Art: Line. Rotunda Tues. through Sat. 1:00; Sun. 2:30

#### **TOUR**

Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda Mon. through Sat. 11:00 & 3:00; Sun. 5:00

### FILM

A Desert's Dream Mon. through Sat. 12:00 & 1:00; Sun. 1:00 & 2:00

#### SUNDAY LECTURE

Leonardo da Vinci: The Unfolding of a Genius— Apprentice Years Speaker: Ludwig H. Heydenreich Andrew W. Mellon Lecturer in the Fine Arts Auditorium 4:00

#### SUNDAY CONCERT

National Gallery Orchestra Richard Bales, *Conductor* East Garden Court 7:00

\*11" x 14" reproductions with texts for sale this week—25¢ each. If mailed, 35¢ each.



GAINSBOROUGH. Georgiana, Duchess of Devonshire

National Gallery of Art

MONDAY, April 3, through SUNDAY, April 9

#### †PAINTING OF THE WEEK

Gainsborough. Georgiana, Duchess of Devonshire (Andrew W. Mellon Collection) Gallery 59 Tues. through Sat. 12:00 & 2:00; Sun. 3:30 & 6:00

#### TOUR OF THE WEEK

Elements of Art: Color. Rotunda Tues. through Sat. 1:00; Sun. 2:30

#### **TOUR**

Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda Mon. through Sat. 11:00 & 3:00; Sun. 5:00

#### FILM

A Desert's Dream
Mon. through Sat. 12:00 & 1:00; Sun. 1:00 & 2:00

#### SUNDAY LECTURE

Leonardo da Vinci: The Universal Mind— Theory and Practice Speaker: Ludwig H. Heydenreich Andrew W. Mellon Lecturer in the Fine Arts Auditorium 4:00

#### SUNDAY CONCERT

The Bradley University Chorale John Davis, *Director* East Garden Court 7:00

†Color postcards with texts for sale this week— 10¢ each, postpaid.



CÉZANNE. The Artist's Father

National Gallery of Art

MONDAY, April 10, through SUNDAY, April 16

#### \*PAINTING OF THE WEEK

Cézanne. The Artist's Father (Paul Mellon Collection) Gallery 71 Tues. through Sat. 12:00 & 2:00; Sun. 3:30 & 6:00

#### TOUR OF THE WEEK

Elements of Art: Composition. Rotunda Tues. through Sat. 1:00; Sun. 2:30

#### **TOUR**

Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda Mon. through Sat. 11:00 & 3:00; Sun. 5:00

#### **FILM**

A Desert's Dream

Mon. through Sat. 12:00 & 1:00; Sun. 1:00 & 2:00

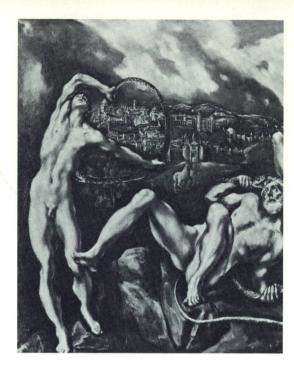
#### SUNDAY LECTURE

Leonardo da Vinci: The Great Decade— Triumphs and Conflicts Speaker: Ludwig H. Heydenreich Andrew W. Mellon Lecturer in the Fine Arts Auditorium 4:00

#### SUNDAY CONCERT

29th American Music Festival Virginia Eskin, *Pianist* East Garden Court 7:00

All concerts, with intermission talks by members of the National Gallery Staff, are broadcast by Station WGMS-AM (570) and FM (103.5).



El Greco. Laocoon (detail)

National Gallery of Art

MONDAY, April 17, through SUNDAY, April 23

#### \*PAINTING OF THE WEEK

El Greco. *Laocoön* (Samuel H. Kress Collection) Gallery 30 Tues. through Sat. 12:00 & 2:00; Sun. 3:30 & 6:00

#### TOUR OF THE WEEK

Women Painters. Rotunda Tues. through Sat. 1:00; Sun. 2:30

#### **TOUR**

Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda Mon. through Sat. 11:00 & 3:00; Sun. 5:00

#### **FILM**

A Desert's Dream
Mon. through Sat. 12:00 & 1:00; Sun. 1:00 & 2:00

#### SUNDAY LECTURE

Leonardo da Vinci: Drawing—Imagination and Instruction Speaker: Ludwig H. Heydenreich Andrew W. Mellon Lecturer in the Fine Arts Auditorium 4:00

#### SUNDAY CONCERT

29th American Music Festival Thomas Warburton, *Pianist* East Garden Court 7:00

Inquiries concerning the Gallery's educational services should be addressed to the Education Office or telephoned to (202) 737-4215, ext. 272.



BOURDON. The Finding of Moses (detail)

#### National Gallery of Art

MONDAY, April 24, through SUNDAY, April 30

#### †PAINTING OF THE WEEK

Bourdon. The Finding of Moses (Samuel H. Kress Collection) Gallery 52 Tues. through Sat. 12:00 & 2:00; Sun. 3:30 & 6:00

#### TOUR OF THE WEEK

Influences on 19th-Century French Painting. Rotunda Tues. through Sat. 1:00; Sun. 2:30

#### TOUR

Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda Mon. through Sat. 11:00 & 3:00; Sun. 5:00

#### FILM

A Desert's Dream
Mon. through Sat. 12:00 & 1:00; Sun. 1:00 & 2:00

#### SUNDAY LECTURE

Leonardo da Vinci: Art and Science—"Saper Vedere" Speaker: Ludwig H. Heydenreich Andrew W. Mellon Lecturer in the Fine Arts Auditorium 4:00

#### SUNDAY CONCERT

29th American Music Festival Marilyn Boyd DeReggi, Soprano Yvaine Duisit, Pianist Theodore Parker, Tape Recorder East Garden Court 7:00

For reproductions and slides of the collection, books, and other related publications, self-service rooms are open daily near the Constitution Avenue entrance.