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The selection of artworks in this exhibition, *Hard Times*, focuses on the COVID-19 pandemic, racial justice, economic inequity, and the climate crisis. Out of instability, fragility, and mortality must come solidarity, strength, and life. This show offers us an opportunity to come together and intentionally reflect on our current moment to hold ourselves accountable for the future we want to create.



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artists: Harry Bartnick

Jaina Cipriano

Sam Fein

Donna Gordon

Elyse Grams

Frantz Lexy

Sherwin Long Rebecca Mann

Karmimadeebora McMillan

Jerry Russo

Adrienne Sloane

Dafna Tal

Sarah Valente



(detail), hand and machine cross stich and embroidery on monks cloth, 2022 Elyse Grams Patience and Virtue are Overrated