Friends of Calligraphy is pleased to present

Seasonal Cards

a workshop with

Barbara Close



Monday, January 25, 2027
10:00 am – 1:00 pm PST
This is a Zoom workshop
$35 for FOC members
$45 for non-members

In this creative class, we will celebrate the beauty and inspiration of the seasons through color, design, lettering and artistic details. Experiment with playful compositions, expressive marks and thoughtful embellishments to create unique handmade cards that capture the spirit of the season. Come ready to play, experiment and let your creativity bloom.



Barbara Close is an internationally known calligrapher and artist. Her work includes a wide variety of lettering styles and mixed media applications. She has exhibited across the country and has work in many private collections. Barbara designed the logo for *Somerset Studio Magazine,* the Calligraphy Collection font cartridge for Cricut, and several greeting cards for Marcel Schurman, now Papyrus. She is also known for her teaching and has taught at several international lettering conferences, as well as IAMPETH and Letters California Style. Barbara values exploration and discovery as much as the finished piece and encourages artists to follow their creative hearts, stay curious, and enjoy the process of making art.



Registration will open at 8:00 am PST on **Wednesday, Dec. 2, 2026,** on our FOC Classes web page at friendsofcalligraphy.org/pages/classes.html. Scroll to the Seasonal Cards workshop and click on the Pay Now button. This workshop is limited to 30 participants. If more than 30 registrations are made on December 2nd, 30 participants will be selected in a blind lottery from those registrations. FOC members will be given priority. You can join FOC for $40 at the Member Sign-Up webpage: friendsofcalligraphy.org/pages/mbrsignup.html. Workshop fees are refundable until Tuesday, Jan. 5, 2027; after that date, we can refund your fee only if your space can be filled from a waiting list. Questions? Please contact **Joan Passarelli** at **joan.passarelli@gmail.com.**

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