## The Detroit Public Library Detroit's other great art museum

Local History/Local Resources Program Series

SUNDAY April 29, 2018 3:00—4:30 PM

Open to the public at no charge

Sponsored jointly by

Bloomfield Historical Society



Community Room 1099 Lone Pine Road Bloomfield Township MI 48302

Questions? contact the Library: 248.642.5800 or <a href="https://www.btpl.org">www.btpl.org</a>

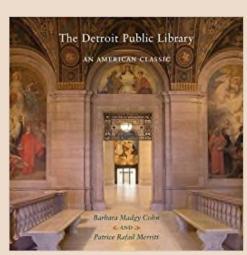
Come early at 2:30 for the Annual Meeting of the Bloomfield Historical Society.

While there had been libraries in Detroit since the 1800s, by 1921 it was decided that the city deserved a work of art to display its million-plus collection of books. Noted architect Cass Gilbert designed what would be called "the most beautiful building in Detroit."

Doubling in size in 1963, and filled with striking architectural details as well as great art such as *Man and Transportation* by Bloomfield artist John S. Coppin, *The Detroit Public Library* story is well worth knowing.

Join us as co-author Barbara Madgy Cohn, who initiated and still directs the popular tours of the library, shares that story.





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