

Fresh Start Café

by haiku or prose
we Scribes of many flavors
flee our covid caves

quiet, shady brunch
clever, savory menu
—pure Sarasota!

our neighborhood spot
for unrushed conversation,
downtown's hidden gem

balmy day's fresh start,
twice-jabbed nearby denizens
munch our lunch mask-free

tell no one but friends:
six-thirty south orange ave,
please keep our secret!



Photo: Scribes, a Sarasota writers' group