

United Church of Christ, St. Charles

Presents

*Martin Luther 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*

Germany, With Scorby Travel, & Sceptre Tours

Berlin, Dessau, Leipzig, Erfurt

October 6<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017



# *Itinerary*

## Day 1 Friday - October 6: Depart the USA on your flight to Berlin

Depart the US to Berlin, Germany.

## Day 2 Saturday - October 7: Arrive Berlin

Welcome to Berlin!

Arrival to Berlin and group transfer to your hotel. At around 2 pm enjoy a walking city tour of the German capital to get an overview of the city.

In the evening enjoy a welcome dinner with your guide and the group.

(D) Hotel Arcotel John F.

## Day 3 Sunday - October 8:

Morning guided tour provides an overview of historic and contemporary Berlin and includes numerous famous monuments. Attend worship at the Cathedral of Berlin (P). Afternoon is free to explore nearby Museum Island including the Pergamon Museum, Alte National Galerie, Bode Museum, just to name a few.

(B/D) Hotel Arcotel John F Berlin

## Day 4 Monday- October 9:

After breakfast continue to the epicenter of the Reformation in Wittenberg. We will visit the largest museum in the world on the history of the Reformation. Also a visit the Schlosskirche in Wittenberg, which houses the tomb of Martin Luther. In the afternoon travel to Dessau for dinner and overnight.

(B/D) Hotel NH Dessau.

## Day 5 Tuesday - October 10:

In the morning we travel to Torgau. There we make a photo stop at the war memorial, where Russian and American troops have joined hands at the River Elbe in Germany, bringing the end of the war a step closer.

Afterwards there will be a "Kodak moment" at the Hartenfels castle, where Luther consecrated for the first time a reformed Church, according to his own Ideas. We are going to visit the tomb of Katharina von Bora and make a stop at the building where Luther, Melanchthon, Jonas and Bugenhagen worked out the basic ideas of the Torgau Articles in 1530.

(B/D) Victor's Residenz Hotel.

Day 6 Wednesday - October 11:

Today there is a sightseeing tour of Leipzig, the city that had a great influence on the economy and spiritual life of Europe for many centuries. The historic architecture of the city center has been beautifully preserved and restored. Visit the St. Thomas Church where Martin Luther preached his ideals of the Protestant Reformation. Along the way to Erfurt we visit the city of Weimar, home of important figures such as Goethe, Schiller, Bach and Liszt.  
(B/D) Mercure Hotel.

Day 7 Thursday - October 12:

Erfurt is also known as the "Thuringian Rome" due to its architectural beauty. Enjoy a sightseeing tour of the city and visit the Augustine monastery where Martin Luther served as a monk. Admire the longest wooden bridge in Europe. In the afternoon we visit the city of Eisleben, where Martin Luther was born in 1483.  
(B/D) Mercure Hotel.

Day 8 Friday - October 13:

Today we visit the impressive castle of Wartburg, where Luther translated the New Testament into German. The castle is also known as Lutherhaus. In the early afternoon travel to Regensburg for overnight. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner with your guide and the group.  
(B/D) Hotel Goliath.

Day 9 Saturday - October 14: Depart Germany

Group transfer to the airport for returning flights to the US.  
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# Your Journey Includes

## Inclusions:

- ◆ 7 Nights Hotel Accommodations as outlined
- ◆ Hotel Breakfast (B) daily except day of arrival
- ◆ 7 Dinners (D) as outlined (without beverages)
- ◆ Airport transfer with English speaking assistant on arrival
- ◆ Private Coach with professional Driver from day 3 to end of tour (Driver's expenses, accommodations, and meals included). Pick up at Berlin hotel, drop off in Munich Airport.
- ◆ All hotel taxes, hotel service charges & portorage for one suitcase per person
- ◆ English speaking tour guide throughout
- ◆ Local guides for 2 hours in each city (Wittenberg, Leipzig, Erfurt, Weimar)

Not Included: Any international air ticket, tips of any kind, meals NOT mentioned in itinerary, beverages with meals, and items of pure personal nature.

- ◆ Land Only Package:
  - Double Occupancy, per person: \$2799.<sup>00</sup>
  - Single Occupancy, per person: \$3379.<sup>00</sup>
- ◆ Airfare from Chicago to Berlin, and Munich to Chicago will be offered as soon as available. Depart US on October 8<sup>th</sup>, Return on October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017.
- ◆ Optional Group Insurance offer will be added at Final Payment Date. To be advised.
- ◆ Initial Deposit: by check made out to Scorby Travel \$100.<sup>00</sup> per person, plus completed registration form.
- ◆ Final Land Payment due: July 1<sup>st</sup> 2017
- ◆ Cancellation Policy: Once air ticket is purchased, it is non-refundable.
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Please complete and return to Scorby Travel with your deposit check  
\$100.00 per person will hold your spot!

## Passenger 1

Name as it appears on passport: \_\_\_\_\_

Passport Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Passport Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Passenger 2

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- Insurance will be offered with final payment. Quote will be sent separate
- Interest in 3 night Prague or Salzburg post package
- Single Supplement

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