

The Episcopal Church in Great Britain

A 9-Day Tour to England

Suggested Tour (7 nights/9 days)

Day 1

Depart via scheduled air service. The destination is London, England

Day 2

London

(D)

Arrive in London

Meet your Faith Journeys Tour Manager who will assist the group to awaiting chartered motorcoach for a panoramic tour of London's West End, featuring Marble Arch, Hyde Park, Whitehall, Trafalgar Square, Big Ben, the Houses of Parliament, Buckingham Palace, and Westminster Abbey

Late-afternoon hotel check-in

Evening Welcome Dinner and overnight



Day 3

London

(B,D)

Breakfast at the hotel

Visit St. Paul's Cathedral and the 900-year old Tower of London. The White Tower, which gives the entire castle its name, was built by William the Conqueror in 1078 and served as an armoury, a treasury, menagerie, home of the Royal Mint, and home of the Crown Jewels of the United Kingdom

Lunch, on own

Afternoon at leisure for additional sightseeing, shopping, or other activities

Evening dinner and overnight



Day 4

Canterbury

(B,D)

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out

This morning we will enjoy a tour of Canterbury Cathedral. The Cathedral is visible from miles around, and is the most important center of pilgrimage in Northern Europe. The first Cathedral to occupy the site was begun in AD 597 by St. Augustine. After several fires, the Cathedral today consists of 11th, 12th, 14th and 15th century architecture

Lunch, on own

Afternoon time at leisure for shopping or additional sightseeing

Return to London for evening dinner and overnight



Day 5

Cambridge

(B,D)

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out

Transfer to Cambridge to visit King's College and the King's College Chapel, which was built between 1446 and 1515. It is particularly famous for its vaulted roof, which weighs an enormous 2,000 tons! In addition, the stalls and screen are very fine. The Choir of King's College Cambridge is famous throughout the world, due to their many recordings and highly televised Christmas service 'Carols from King's'

Lunch, on own

Continue to Nottingham, stopping at Ely Cathedral en-route

Evening dinner and overnight in Nottingham



Day 6**Lincoln / York****(B,D)**

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by check-out
Transfer to York via Lincoln to visit Lincoln Cathedral, the tallest building in the world between 1300 and 1549
Lunch, on own
Continue to York to see York Minster (the largest medieval cathedral in England). Also visit the Shambles (the most visited among many streets with overhanging timber-framed houses), and many other attractions
Evening dinner and overnight in York

**Day 7****Durham / Edinburgh****(B,D)**

Breakfast at the hotel
Transfer Edinburgh via Durham whose 'gray towers' are immortalized by Sir Walter Scott. See the Old Town and visit the Norman Cathedral
Lunch, on own
Continue to Edinburgh with a photo stop at the "Angel of the North"
Evening dinner and overnight in Edinburgh

**Day 8****Edinburgh****(B,D)**

Breakfast at the hotel
Half-day guided sightseeing tour of Edinburgh includes a tour of Edinburgh Castle, which along with its rock, is probably the best-known view in Edinburgh. Also visit St. Giles Cathedral, the John Knox House, the Palace of Holyrood House, the Scott Monument, and Edinburgh University
Lunch, on own
Afternoon time at leisure for shopping or additional sightseeing
Farewell Dinner and overnight

**Day 9****Depart for home****(B)**

Breakfast at the hotel
Transfer to Glasgow's airport for return flight

This is a very flexible itinerary. Except for confirmed appointments, the places of interest and the sequence of sightseeing might be changed if necessary or desirable

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