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MARTIN LUTHER



"DEAR CHRISTIANS, ONE AND ALL REJOICE"

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15- DAY PRIVATE GUIDED GROUP TOUR — A FEAST FOR MUSIC LOVERS!

"DEAR CHRISTIANS, ONE AND ALL REJOICE"

GERMANY, POLAND AND PRAGUE C.R. JULY 15-29, 2024

Tour Co-hosts,







JON VIEKER

JOE HERL

PETER RESKE

Dear Friends,

It all started with a single hymn, written by Martin Luther in late 1523. A few months later, the first Lutheran hymnal was published—the Achtliederbuch, or "Eight-hymn Book." With these humble beginnings, Luther and his Reformation compatriots launched a veritable explosion of hymn writing, hymnal publishing, and hymn singing, which has changed the way Christians have worshipped ever since.

We would be honored to serve as your hosts and friends as we travel together, dine together, worship together, sing together, and walk together in the footsteps of Martin Luther, Paul Gerhardt, J. S. Bach, G. F. Handel, Johann Pachelbel, and five centuries of other great hymn writers and composers. Together we will see where they lived and worked, experience the sights and sounds of singing and making music in these historic places, and enjoy the company of our travelling companions along the way.

Won't you join us for this incredible journey? We would love to have you with us for this unforgettable experience!

Together in Christ, Jon Vieker, Joe Herl, Peter Reske

Co-editors of Lutheran Service Book: Companion to the Hymns (CPH, 2019)





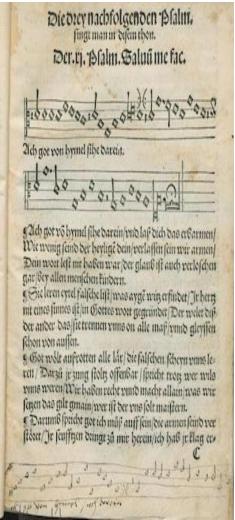






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Explore your faith through Christian travel.

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GERMANY, POLAND & PRAGUE: JULY 15-29, 2024

500 YEARS OF THE FIRST LUTHERAN HYMNAL

"DEAR CHRISTIANS, ONE AND ALL REJOICE"

Meals: B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, D-Dinner

Day 1, Depart USA to Berlin, Germany

Day 2, Berlin (D)

Group will be met at Berlin airport by our professional tour director, who will accompany the group throughout the journey. Transfer by private coach to the city center for our panoramic driving tour of famous Berlin landmarks, including the **Brandenburg Gate**, **Checkpoint Charlie**, and the **Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial**. Check in to the hotel and later this evening the group will meet for welcome dinner. Overnight Berlin.



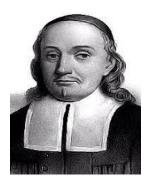
Today our group will visit the Nikolaikirche, whose most famous clergy member was Paul Gerhardt (1607–76), the most outstanding Lutheran hymn writer after Luther and author of 17 hymns in *LSB*. The cantor during Gerhardt's tenure was Johann Crüger (1598–1662), composer of 10 *LSB* tunes; he was followed by Johann Georg Ebeling (1637–76), who has two tunes in *LSB*. This afternoon we travel outside of Berlin to nearby **Mittenwalde**, officially nicknamed Paul Gerhardt City, the location where Gerhardt created his most important works. Our guided walking tour travels along a small part of the Paul Gerhardt Hiking Trail, a 140 km path from Berlin through Mittenwalde to the Spreewald connecting the historic cities in the life of Paul Gerhardt. We will visit **St. Moritz Church**, where Gerhardt served as provost, and if you choose, you may climb the 200 steps to the top of the church tower to see a panoramic view of the country. Your tour hosts will share with you more about the life, faith, and Lutheran hymns of Gerhardt.

Afterwards we continue in the footsteps of Paul Gerhardt to the city of Lübben. After his struggles with the church in Berlin, Gerhardt took on the duties of archdeacon at the **Nikolai Church in Lübben**, where he is buried. Today the church bears his name, "Paul Gerhardt Church," and houses a lifesize painting of Gerhardt, the only surviving image of Gerhardt from his day. Time for dinner on your own in Lübben before the group returns to Berlin for the evening. Overnight Berlin.









Day 4, Jochen Klepper, Potsdam (B)

Today we focus on the life of the Lutheran hymn writer **Jochen Klepper**. In the morning we visit the location of his home and burial site Nikolassee Cemetery in the Steglitz area. This afternoon we continue on our journey to the nearby city of **Potsdam**, a retreat with lavish palaces, historic gardens and parklands, and a great history of filmmaking. We'll have a photo stop to view the **Potsdam City Palace** (reconstructed in 2013), the site where J. S. Bach improvised at the fortepiano a three-part fugue based on a theme supplied by King Frederick the Great. Bach later expanded his improvisation into A Musical Offering, which he dedicated to the king. Bach's tune for the hymn "'Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here" is named as a reminder of this royal visit. Next, we visit the Cecilienhof Country House, location of the 1945 Potsdam Conference, where Churchill, Truman, and Stalin planned post-WWII peace and sealed the fate of Germany and Europe. Dinner on your own or with some of your new friends; your tour director will provide suggestions for your dining experience. Overnight Berlin.

Day 5, Paul Gerhardt and Gräfenhainichen, Martin Luther's Wittenberg (B) Morning departure to Gräfenhainichen to learn more about the life of Paul Gerhardt during our visit to the Gerhardt House and Chapel. After a break for lunch on your own, the group continues on to the Reformation city of Lutherstadt Wittenberg. The guided walking tour of Wittenberg includes St. Mary's Church, where Martin Luther preached more than 2,300 sermons and which contains a spectacular Reformation-era altar created by Lucas Cranach the Elder in 1547. Then we will visit the Castle Church, where Martin Luther nailed his 95 Theses protesting the sale of indulgences to the church doors. Learn more about Gerhardt's 14 years in Wittenberg, where he began studying theology at the university in 1628. Dinner is on your own at one of the old city restaurants or pizzeria. Overnight Wittenberg.

Day 6, Torgau, Wittenberg Saturday Evening Vespers (B, D)

This morning the group will visit the **Lutherhaus Museum Augusteum** (museum renovations expected). Afterwards, we depart for the nearby city of **Torgau** to visit the best preserved early Renaissance palace in Germany, the Hartenfels Palace and Chapel, consecrated by Martin Luther and widely regarded as the first ever Lutheran worship space and the first embodiment of the Reformation message in architecture and art.









Time for lunch on your own before our walking tour to visit the Hartenfels Palace Chapel, and St. Mary's Church. Group will return to Wittenberg for **evening Vespers together at the Old Latin School**. Afterwards the group will meet for dinner. Overnight Wittenberg.

Day 7, Weißenfels, Erfurt Enchiridion (B, D)

This morning, we depart Wittenberg to worship with a local Lutheran congregation at the 17th-century Palace Church of Neu-Augustusburg in Weißenfels. Afterwards, we continue to Erfurt for our guided walking tour of the city and to learn more about the life and faith of Johann Pachelbel. There we will visit the Predigerkirche, where composer Johann Pachelbel was organist. We will also visit St. Mary's Cathedral where Luther was ordained and Church of St. Severus. Along our walk we'll pass by the locations of the printing of the two editions of the Erfurt Enchiridion in 1524; the house "Zum Färbefaß" on Pergamentergasse and the house "Zum Schwarzen Horn" near the Krämerbrücke. Then we visit the Augustinian Monastery, where Luther lived as a monk from 1505-1511. Here we view a copy of the Erfurt Enchiridion from the monastery library. Group will meet for dinner. Overnight Erfurt.

Day 8, Wartburg Castle, Bach, Eisenach (B)

Enjoy the day in Erfurt at leisure or come along to visit the **Wartburg Castle**, scene of medieval poetry and singing contests and safe haven of Martin Luther, who translated the New Testament here while under the protection of the Elector of Saxony. Afterwards, you can choose to hike a small portion of the Luther Trail downhill from the Wartburg Castle to the city of **Eisenach**, or hop on the coach for a quick transfer. We meet for a guided walking tour of lovely Eisenach, the birthplace of J. S. Bach. Our walking tour includes **St. George Church**, which contains the font where Bach was baptized, and the **Bachhaus Museum**. The exhibits housed in a half-timbered building from 1456 bring Bach's era to life with original furniture, multimedia music displays, and live musical performances on historic instruments. Dinner at leisure. Overnight Erfurt.

Day 9, Handel's Halle, Leipzig (B, D)

Today we depart for Halle to visit the **Waisenhaus** complex, the birthplace of German Pietism, where some of the most popular hymns of the era were







first sung. We will tour its Baroque chamber of curiosities, which exemplifies the hands-on approach to the education of children pioneered here. Next, we visit the **boyhood home of George Frideric Handel** (1685–1759) and the **Market Church**, whose staff roster includes Luther's colleague Justus Jonas (1493–1555), music directors Samuel Scheidt (1587–1654) and Wilhelm Friedemann Bach (1710–1784), and organist Friedrich Wilhelm Zachow (1663–1712). After lunch the group continues to Leipzig, where we will check in to the hotel and meet for dinner. Overnight Leipzig.

Day 10, Leipzig, J.S. Bach (B)

Guided walking tour of this historical city including the Nikolaikirche, the home of the faithful "Pray for Peace" Christians and the powerful force that transformed Germany's East and West in 1989, and the **Thomaskirche**, where Luther preached and Johann Sebastian Bach performed and directed the St. Thomas Boys choir. Previous cantors at the Thomaskirche included Seth Calvisius (arranger of "Savior of the Nations, Come") and Johann Hermann Schein (arranger of "From Depths of Woe"). The awesome musical, intellectual, and theological influence of Leipzig made it an enduring cultural capital of Europe. Major composers who called Leipzig home include Bach, who lived here for 27 years and is buried at the Thomaskirche, Felix Mendelssohn, and Robert Schumann. The city is rich with hymnological connections, including Christian Fürchtegott Gellert ("Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won"), Martin Rinckart ("Now Thank We All Our God"), Michael Schirmer ("O Holy Spirit, Enter In"), Nicolaus Selnecker ("Lord Jesus Christ, with Us Abide"), and dozens more. The afternoon is at leisure to enjoy the city on your own; perhaps a stroll along the Leipzig Music Trail or a visit to the magnificent Bach Museum with its numerous permanent exhibitions, including a vast collection of rare Bach music manuscripts, hymnals, and 44 manuscript sets of complete cantatas. This evening will be on your own to dine at one of the many restaurants and cafés including the historic Auerbachs Keller Restaurant, with a notable Reformation art display on the walls of the "Luther Room" and the "Wine Cellar Room." Overnight Leipzig.

NOTE- musical performance St. Thomas Church, Bach Museum, or Gewandhaus 2024 schedule tbd

Day 11, Dresden, Wrocław Poland (B, D)

Morning departure to the stunning and beautiful city of Dresden with its









magnificent Baroque buildings and its lovely setting on the Elbe. Our guided walking tour leads us through the Old Town past the beautiful Semper Opera building, to the Frauenkirche (Lutheran Church of Our Lady). Known to be the most important Lutheran church in pre-war Germany, the Frauenkirche was destroyed in World War II and rebuilt stone-by-stone to its former glory. Dresden was home to a remarkable roster of Lutheran musicians, including Johann Walter, Hans Leo Hassler, Michael Praetorius, Heinrich Schütz, and Andreas Hammerschmidt. Out group will attend noon devotion service at the Frauenkirche before our tour of this historic church. Time for lunch on our own and then we continue on to Wrocław, Poland. After check-in at the hotel the group will meet for dinner. Overnight Wrocław.

Day 12, Wrocław, Poland (B)

Discover enchanting Wrocław, Poland, the capital city of the historic region of Silesia. The city has been looking at itself in the waters of the Oder River for over a thousand years. Bearing traces of Czech, German and Polish rule, contemporary Wrocław is truly a European jewel.

A Lutheran center of culture and learning, Wrocław (German: Breslau) was home to hymn writers Samuel Kinner ("Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared"), Jochen Klepper ("The Night Will Soon Be Ending"), and Johann Scheffler ("'Come, Follow Me,' the Savior Spake").

This region also saw the flowering of the Silesian circle of poets, including Andreas Gryphius ("Preserve Your Word, O Savior"), Johann Heermann ("O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken"), Heinrich Held ("Let the Earth Now Praise the Lord"), and Martin Opitz ("Arise and Shine in Splendor"). Our guided tour includes the picturesque **Old Town** and Market Square, Town Hall, **Cathedral Island** with the stunning gothic **Cathedral of St. John the Baptist**, and stroll the unique **Quarter of Four Denominations**, where the Orthodox cathedral, the Roman Catholic and Evangelical-Augsburg churches and the Synagogue are adjacent to each other.

Remainder of the day at leisure for independent exploration; perhaps a visit to the National Museum of Wrocław with its magnificent collection of 12th through 19th century Silesian art or the Botanical Garden, one of Poland's finest. This evening dinner is on your own. Overnight Wrocław.









MARTIN LUTHER # HYMN WRITERS OF GERMANY # SACRED ART # MUSIC OF THE REFORMATION

Day 13, Świdnica Poland, Prague Czech Republic (B, D)

Morning departure for Prague with a stop in **Świdnica**, Poland, to visit the stunning **Church of Peace**, where Benjamin Schmolck ("Dearest Jesus, We Are Here") was pastor for thirty-six years. One of only three Lutheran churches allowed to be built in this region after the Thirty Years' War; the church is renowned for its glorious, unforgettable interior. Later this afternoon the group arrives in Prague, Czech Republic, one of the most charming cities in the world. Upon arrival in **Prague enjoy a panoramic driving sightseeing tour** before hotel check in. Afterwards our group will meet for dinner. Overnight Prague.

Day 14, Prague, LCMS Worship Service (B, D)

We will begin our morning in worship with the LCMS Eurasia Mission Team. Afterwards, our guide will lead us on a **walking tour of Prague** including a visit to the largest castle in the world, **Prague Castle.** Learn more about Luther's predecessor, Jan Hus, who was born in 1369 in Prague, and is considered one of the first church reformers. As a priest, he criticized the Catholic Church, including the selling of indulgences. He was executed in 1415 for his beliefs and teachings. This afternoon is at leisure and later the group will meet for a farewell dinner. Overnight Prague.

Day 15, July 29 (Mon.) Tour ends. (B)

Group transfer to Prague airport for departure flights.

For interested travelers who may wish to attend following the tour, the German Hymn Society (*Internationale Arbeitsgemeinschaft für Hymnologie*) will be holding their biennial conference in Prague from July 29–August 2, 2024. Additional information may be found as it becomes available at: https://iah-hymnologie.de/en/welcome-to-the-iah/











IMPORTANT DETAILS

TRAVELERS MUST TRAVEL WITH A PASSPORT VALID FOR AT LEAST 6-MONTHS BEYOND YOUR RETURN TRAVEL DATE.

Non-US passport holders contact LT for credentials required to travel.

Additional credentials to travel due to Covid-19 may be required. You will be advised as details are received for your 2024 departure.

TOUR LEVEL: MODERATE ACTIVE TRAVELER, WALKING SIGHTSEEING TOUR

Most sightseeing tours are walking tours and many of the historic sites you will visit date back hundreds to thousands of years and may not provide elevators and ramps for physically challenged travelers. If you or you will be traveling with someone who has special needs -use a wheelchair, walker, and hearing or visually impaired please contact LutherTours.

TOUR INCLUDES

- Professional Tour Manager throughout Tour
- Deluxe Motor Coach with Air Condition and professional driver
- Group Airport Transfers in Europe
- ➤ 13- Nights First-class Hotel Accommodations and Hotel Taxes
- Breakfast Daily and 7 Dinners
- Admission as indicated in itinerary
- Private-Guided Museum visits
- Wartburg Medieval Castle Visit
- Worship Service at the Churches where Martin Luther worshipped
- Classical Music Performance (2024 schedule t.b.d.)
- Special Organ Performances by tour host accompaniment for group singing



TOUR PRICES ARE PER PERSON BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

\$3,990 with 40-49 travelers \$4,590 with 30-39 travelers \$1,090 Additional for Single Occupancy

GROUP FLIGHT ARRANGEMENTS - ADDITIONAL TO THE ABOVE TOUR PRICE

Approx. \$1,490 per person St. Louis, MO- Flight schedule and price confirmed 11-months prior to travel dates Included: group airport transfers in Europe, 1-checked bag, 1- carry-on bag and personal item, preassigned seat Prices subject to currency fluctuation.

TRIP INSURANCE IS ADDITIONAL

LutherTours will provide options for purchasing travel insurance with AIG Travel Guard. Or you may purchase insurance with the company of your choice. Cancellation, Interruption, Medical and Baggage insurance is available.

NOT INCLUDED

Gratuities for the tour director, coach driver, housekeeping staff and local guides.

Passport application fee and visa fee for non-US passport holders check with LT for requirements. Meals not listed, personal items such as internet charges, telephone calls, laundry during trip, trip insurance, expenses

due to new travel regulations and requirements, additional expenses not specifically list above under tour includes.

PAYMENT POLICY IS PER PERSON

Deposit Payment: \$350 along with a completed registration form. Deposit is nonrefundable. Final Payment: Balance due 75 days prior to departure (a reminder will be sent to travelers)

CANCELLATION SCHEDULE IS PER PERSON

Cancellation, regardless of reason, cancellations are costly. To offset these costs the following fees will apply, non-recoverable expenses of our suppliers will be charged, plus these per person charges:

76 days prior to departure\$350

75 days prior through day of departure....100% of total cost

ADDITIONAL PENALTIES MAY APPLY FROM SUPPLIERS.

Please refer to our complete cancellation and change policy shown in the LT Booking Agreement at www.LUTHERTOURS.com and click Contact to view the policy or contact our office 1.844.777.1517 and a copy will be mailed or emailed to you.

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Visit <u>www.LUTHERTOURS.com</u>, click **JOIN A TOUR**, select tour from list, **Registration link** is shown at the bottom of the tour details

- #1 Complete the Registration Form, submit \$350 per person credit card payment securely online
- #2 Contact LutherTours 1.844.777.1517 for assistance with registration

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Prices subject to currency fluctuation. Itinerary subject to change. Please be aware of the LutherTours complete Booking Agreement Terms and Conditions of Travel and Cancellation policy, a copy is included with each individual tour confirmation, available by contacting our office directly or online at www.LUTHERTOURS.com and click Terms & Conditions to view details. Penalties up to 100% apply. All travelers must travel with a passport valid for at least 6-months beyond your return travel date. Non-US passport holders contact LT for additional credentials required to travel. Additional credentials to travel due to Covid-19 may be required. You will be advised as details are received for your departure. Requirements change regularly, continue to check travel requirements up to the day of departure.

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CANCELLATIONS. Regardless of reason, cancellations are costly. To offset these costs the following fees will apply, non-recoverable expenses of our suppliers will be charged, plus these per person charges:

76 days or more prior to departure\$350

75 days prior through day of departure....100% of total cost

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All certificates and other travel documents for tour services issued by the Operator are subject to terms and conditions specified by supplier thereof, and to the laws of the countries in which the services are rendered.

If the services included in the tour cannot be supplied or there are changes in an itinerary for reasons beyond the control of the Operator, the Operator will arrange for the provision of comparable services, when possible. Any resulting additional expense will be payable by the tour participants and any resulting saving will be refunded by the Operator to tour participants. No further claim for reimbursement shall apply.

LutherTours reserves the right to accept or reject any person as a tour participant, to expel any tour participant from the tour, to make changes in the itinerary whenever the Operator deems it necessary for the comfort, convenience or safety of the tour participants, and to cancel a tour at any time.

CLAIMS. All guest claims must be submitted in writing and received by LutherTours no later than sixty (60) days after the completion of the LutherTours vacation. Guest claims not submitted and received within this time shall be deemed waived and barred. The statements herein and the contract between tour participants and the Operator are made and entered into in Orange County, CA. and governed by the laws of the state of California. Each tour participant understands that the Operator will be accepting that participant's booking in reliance upon such participants' acceptance of the within Tour Conditions.

No person, other than an authorized representative of the Operator by a document in writing, is authorized to vary, add or waive any term or condition in this brochure, including any term or condition set forth in the preceding provisions.

Zehnder Travel Group / LutherTours /Christian Travel Planners reserves the right to alter, adjust, modify or cancel any tour itinerary at any time without prior notification. Payment of the required deposit or any partial or full payment on a tour package constitutes consent to all provisions, conditions and general information contained in this printing. The above conditions may change at any time during the period of validation. LutherTours / Christian Travel Planners/ Zehnder Travel Group, Inc. P.O. Box 15126 Newport Beach, California 92659; info@luthertorus.com; LutherTours.com

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COVID-19 SPECIAL NOTICE.

Global COVID-19 conditions are dynamic. Those who choose to travel internationally may encounter mandatory COVID-19 pre-travel health form declarations, vaccinations and testing requirements, guarantines, travel restrictions, and closed borders. As well as, be required to wear face masks covering both nose and mouth while traveling by land, sea, air, motor ways, while sightseeing, entry to monuments, museums and events as indicated by the travel suppliers and local governmental authorities. Foreign governments may implement restrictions with little notice. Vaccination Requirements, Surgical Masks and Other Rules We have no responsibility for COVID-19-related requirements that travel suppliers and governments may impose from time to time, such as required vaccinations, health affidavit forms, COVID-19 screenings prior to departure, upon arrival, face coverings, or quarantines. Pack a personal supply of hand sanitizer, and face masks as you may be required to wear a face mask over your nose and mouth while on public transportation, in airports, onboard aircraft, and sightseeing while on tour. Many airlines require a surgical mask, announcing that pax would no longer be allowed to board wearing fabric masks. See your airline website for details. Any costs related to required travel regulations is the responsibility of the traveler and are subject to change at short notice. Web Site for Information on Regulations and Alerts For the latest COVID-19 government travel regulations, we recommend going to IATA's website at https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/internationaltravel-document-news/1580226297.htm. For the latest updates from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control visit https://www.cdc.gov/ For the latest updates from the U.S. Department of State for travel alerts visit https://travel.state.gov/content/travel.html To enroll in the U.S. Department of State S.T.E.P (Smart Traveler Enrollment Program) visit https://travel.state.gov/content/travel.html to ensure you can be located in an emergency. For the latest travel supplier rules, check the website of each supplier. For the latest updates from each country. check the web site of the country you will visit including any additional countries, you may enter do due flight connections in cities indicated on your flight schedule. For the latest updates from the airlines, check the web site of the airline you will be flying. Keep checking these sites because the rules are constantly changing, and LutherTours/CTP is not responsible for those changes.

ARE YOU PREPARED WITH TRAVEL INSURANCE?

There are many travel insurance companies available. Consider purchasing a travel insurance policy to help cover your vacation investment, offset expenses from travel mishaps and provide you with emergency travel assistance. Be aware of the specific details and limitations pertaining to COVID-19.