



Presented by:  
**St. Kateri  
 Tekakwitha Church**

Tour date:  
**September 29 - October 5, 2019**  
 Sunday - Saturday

**7 Days / 6 Nights**  
**\$1,399.00**  
 per person/double occupancy

For reservations and information please contact:  
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*Escorted by a professional Bianco Tour Director  
 Coffee & snacks served on the first morning  
 Alcoholic & non-alcoholic drinks & snacks served on return trip*

**YOUR BIANCO TOUR INCLUDES:**

**Round Trip Transportation**  
 Via deluxe highway motorcoach. Equipped with reclining seats, overhead storage & restroom for your comfort and convenience.

**Accommodations**

- 2 Nights at the Gettysburg Hotel in Gettysburg, PA
- 3 Nights at the Courtyard by Marriott in Springfield, VA
- 1 Night at the Sheraton Station Square Hotel in Pittsburgh, PA

**Meals Included**

- 3 Breakfasts & 3 Dinners

**Featuring**

- Gettysburg Battlefield, Cyclorama and Civil War Museum
- Basilica of the Immaculate Conception (guided tour)
- St. John Paul II National Shrine (guided tour)
- Monuments and Memorials of Washington, DC (illuminated tour)
- Arlington National Cemetery Tram Tour
- Annapolis Naval Academy Tour (guided tour)
- Optional Museum Day (choice of museum visit - cost on own)
- Flight 93 Memorial
- Duquesne Incline
- Gateway Clipper Fleet (Sight-seeing Cruise)

*Tour price includes gratuities for above trip inclusions.  
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**Day 1**  
 This morning we depart on our American Autumn adventure to Gettysburg, PA; Washington, DC and Pittsburgh, PA with a cup of hot coffee and snack served by a professional Bianco Tours Director. We arrive at the **Gettysburg Hotel** in downtown Gettysburg this afternoon, our home for the next two nights. Dinner is on our own this evening in downtown Gettysburg.

**Day 2**  
 Following breakfast on our own, we depart for the **Gettysburg National Military Park** where we have a chance to visit the **Civil War Museum**, view the **Cyclorama** and take a **guided battlefield tour**. The museum features 12 galleries on the civil war along with hands on and interactive exhibits. The Gettysburg Cyclorama is a colossal oil painting in the round depicting the charge of the Confederate infantry led by General George Pickett. A step on guide will board our bus and take us on a moving tour of the battlefield

grounds as we learn about the war and the immense battle fought on July 1-3, 1863. After some time to freshen up at the hotel, we have an included dinner at The **Farnsworth House**. The original house, built in 1810, sheltered Confederate sharpshooters during the three day Battle of Gettysburg conflict. More than 100 bullet holes still pick the walls.

**Day 3**  
 Breakfast is on our own this morning before departing for Washington, DC. We arrive at the **National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception** for a guided tour. It is the largest Catholic church in North America and one of the ten largest churches in the world with 70 chapels and oratories along with the largest collection of contemporary ecclesiastical art on earth. We have a chance to have lunch here on our own before departing for the **Saint John Paul II National Shrine** for a guided tour. It is a place of

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pilgrimage with a first class relic of St. John Paul II's available for veneration. We'll check into the **Courtyard by Marriott** in Springfield, VA; our home for the next three nights before dinner on our own at Union Station in downtown Washington, DC. A step on guide will meet us this evening and take us on an **illuminated tour of the monuments and memorials**. We'll see the Washington Monument, Lincoln, Vietnam, WWII and Korean Memorials and more.

### Day 4

**Breakfast** is included this morning before departing for the **Iwo Jima Memorial** and then onto **Arlington National Cemetery**. Step into our nation's history and remember the American patriots, whose final resting place is in the wooded hills of Arlington, VA. The guide will relate accounts of heroism and personal sacrifice as we ride to important sites within the cemetery including the **Kennedy Grave sites** and the **Tomb of the Unknown Soldiers** where we will witness the **Changing of the Guard**. We have lunch on our own at the **Fashion Centre at Pentagon City** with a chance to walk over to see the **Pentagon Memorial** before departing for Annapolis, MD this afternoon. On arrival in Annapolis, we visit the **Annapolis Naval Academy** for a guided tour. The historical tour highlights life at the U.S. Naval Academy past and present. After time to visit the Visitor Center and gift shop, we depart for the **Annapolis Waterfront** where we enjoy shopping time and dinner on our own. Located in the heart of Annapolis on the Chesapeake Bay, it is home to over a dozen locally-owned shops, galleries and restaurants.

### Day 5

Another breakfast is included this morning before we depart for a day of museum hopping in Washington, DC. Visit the Smithsonian Museums all on one campus including the National Museum of American History, the National Museum of Natural History and many more. Choose to visit the new Museum of the Bible, the all new museum which documents the narrative, history and impact of the Bible; the Newseum which documents the history of the news gathering dedicated to free press and free speech or the International

Spy Museum dedicated to the tradecraft, history and contemporary role of espionage featuring the largest collection of artifacts currently on display. Pick ups and drop offs will be available for each museum. We have some time to relax at the hotel this afternoon before departing for a dinner at **Gadsby's Tavern** in Old Town Alexandria, an 18th century tavern visited by the first six presidents.

### Day 6

After another included breakfast this morning, we make our way towards Pittsburgh, PA stopping for lunch on our own and a visit to the **Flight 93 Memorial** in Shanksville, PA. On Tuesday morning, September 11, 2001, the U.S. came under attack when four commercial airliners were hijacked and used to strike targets on the ground. The heroic actions of the flight crew and passengers thwarted a planned attack on the U.S. Capital. After time for remembrance and prayer, we make our way into Pittsburgh where we check into the **Sheraton Station Square**, home for the night. We have time to relax and freshen up before venturing out to **Church Brew Works** for an included dinner. Located in a restored 1902 church in a Pittsburgh suburb, the building still has the original pews, fixtures and stained glass windows of the former St. John the Baptist Church.

### Day 7

We'll enjoy breakfast on our own this morning before departing for the **Duquesne Incline**. Take a step back in a century-old cable car for the best views of downtown Pittsburgh while riding one of the few remaining inclines in the country. Later this morning, we'll take a one hour sightseeing cruise aboard the **Gateway Clipper**. The riverboat tour will begin on the Monongahela River and will continue on both the Allegheny and Ohio Rivers all while the Captain and Narrator relay interesting facts, tales and river lore that make Pittsburgh so special. This afternoon, before departing for home, we have some time for shopping and lunch on our own at **Station Square**, a beautiful 52-acre riverfront complex with over 1.2 miles of Pittsburgh's most unique dining and boutique shopping.

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Private room: \$1,928.00

Double room: \$1,399.00

Triple room: \$1,223.00

Date: 9/29/19

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Group: St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church

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