



Ark Encounter

April 21-25, 2025

DAY 01

Today via deluxe coach we'll travel south and east, heading to the Cincinnati, Ohio area. En route we'll witness spring in Indiana, Ohio, and Kentucky. We will also stop for lunch along the way.

DAY 02

Today we begin seeing the Bible come to life! Following an included breakfast, we will board the bus for our 30-minute drive to the Ark Encounter in Williamstown, Kentucky. Here you will experience a replica of the ark built by Noah. You will be amazed just by its size-the dimensions given by God to Noah in the book of Genesis. This structure is filled with three decks of exhibits about the ark, Noah's family, the animals, the world at the time of the flood and so much more. You can set your own pace as you enjoy the ark, outside displays, and maybe even a virtual reality* experience. A 2,500-seat auditorium is also on the Ark Encounter grounds where speaker presentations, movies, and music take place throughout the day. A lunch voucher will be provided for Emzara's, the restaurant just steps away from the ark. We can talk about our day and all we learned as we travel back to our hotel. Several restaurants are within walking distance of our hotel where you will be able to find dinner on your own. Night in Florence, Kentucky.

DAY 03

Following our included breakfast, we will take a short drive from our hotel to the Creation Museum in Petersburg, KY. This 75,000 square foot facility holds exhibits that walk you through the history of the earth to Christ's return. Plan your day as you may also want to take time to listen to dynamic speakers and visit the botanical gardens, 4D special effects theater, Eden Animal Experience of unique animals, planetarium*, zip line* (!), lunch (included) and more. Late afternoon we will return to our hotel to freshen up. After our enlightening day, we will celebrate a bit of Germany during an included dinner at the Hofbrauhaus in Newport, Kentucky. Be ready to enjoy some German cuisine along with polka music. Following our evening together, it will be time to travel back to our Florence, Kentucky hotel. (*additional charges apply)

DAY 04

What a day we have planned for you! After our included breakfast, we will be ready to take a look at Cincinnati, the Queen City. Our local step-on guide will share information and take us to many sights including MainStrasse Village, Fountain Square, and Cincinnati Museum Center. We will end our tour at the Ohio River where we will board the Belle of Cincinnati. Once on the boat, we will enjoy lunch, navigate between both Ohio and Kentucky, and take in the beauty of this city and the river it traverses. We will hear commentary about the river, boats, and the cities we will see along the way, as well as enjoy some banjo music. By early afternoon, we will be on our way to Indianapolis. After checking into our Indianapolis area hotel, we will take in dinner and a show at the Beef and Boards Dinner Theater. After the show, it is back to our Indianapolis, Indiana hotel for a good night's rest.

DAY 05

After an included breakfast at the hotel, it is time to begin our journey back to Wisconsin. We will also enjoy an included lunch together and continue on our way home. We will be home on Friday evening with many great memories.