

THE BEST OF SCOTLAND & IRELAND MAY 22ND - 31ST, 2023

(10 days / 9 nights) (WITH OPTIONAL EXTENSION THROUGH JUNE 2^{ND} , 2023)

IDLEWILD WORSHIP CHOIR & ORCHESTRA

DR. RON UPTON - MINISTER - WORSHIP & CREATIVE ARTS
STEVE KIRBY - MINISTER - INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC



MINISTRY

- CONCERTS & MINISTRY at ST. GILES CATHEDRAL, ST. ANNES CATHEDRAL and CORREYMEELA!
- LEAD WORSHIP at a LOCAL CHURCH in BELFAST!
- PERFORM at CHRISTCHURCH CATHEDRAL in DUBLIN!

HIGHLIGHTS

- EXPERIENCE the SIGHTS AND SOUNDS of EDINBURGH, BELFAST, DUBLIN, COUNTY WICKLOW, and LIMERICK including TRINITY COLLEGE, THE TITANIC BELFAST EXPERIENCE, O'CONNELL STREET, HA'PENNY BRIDGE, GLENSTAL ABBEY, KING JOHN'S CASTLE, GLENDALOUGH and ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL!
- ENJOY the UNPARALLELED BEAUTY of the SCOTTISH and IRISH COUNTRYSIDES, including GIANT'S CAUSEWAY and CLIFFS OF MOHER!
- INDULGE in the fine CUISINE and UNIQUE shopping experiences that IRELAND and SCOTLAND have to offer!

SINGERS AND NON-SINGERS WELCOME

DAILY ITINERARY

(Subject to change)

MONDAY, MAY 22ND

• Depart the US for overnight flight to Edinburgh (EDI)

TUESDAY, MAY 23RD - EDINBURGH

- Morning arrival into Edinburgh
- Welcome by our CCT Staff and local guides
- Transfer into Edinburgh
- Tour the "Royal Mile," including Castle Hill, Lawnmarket, High Street & Canongate
- Depart for hotel for check-in
- Welcome Dinner at hotel (included)
- Orientation and brief rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24TH - EDINBURGH

- Breakfast at hotel
- Visit the medieval and Georgian districts
- Tour Palace of Holyroodhouse (the Queen's official residence)
- Tour Edinburgh Castle
- Lunch on your own
- Concert at St. Giles Cathedral
- Dinner on your own
- Evening free

THURSDAY, MAY 25TH - EDINBURGH

- Breakfast at hotel
- Transfer to Leith
- Tour the Royal Yacht Britannia
- Afternoon free
- Lunch on your own
- Return to Edinburgh
- Dinner on your own
- Evening free

FRIDAY, MAY 26TH - EDINBURGH / BELFAST

- Breakfast and check-out of hotel
- Depart for the Port of Stranraer
- Ride ferry to Northern Ireland
- Arrive at the Port of Belfast
- Concert at St. Anne's Cathedral
- Lunch on your own
- Tour Belfast City Centre and the Titanic Belfast Exhibition
- Check-in to the hotel
- Dinner at a local restaurant (included)

SATURDAY, MAY 27TH - BELFAST

- Breakfast at hotel
- Depart for Giant's Causeway
- Lunch on your own
- Depart for Correymeela
- Concert at Correymeela Community
- Depart for Belfast
- Dinner on your own
- Evening free



SUNDAY, MAY 28th - BELFAST / DUBLIN

- Breakfast at hotel
- · Check-out of hotel
- Depart for local church
- Lead worship and concert at a local church
- Depart for Dublin
- Lunch on your own
- Tour Dublin City Center including Ha'Penny Bridge, O'Connell Street, the historic Post Office, the elegant Customs House and Georgian Dublin
- Visit the Irish Emigration Museum
- Check-in to hotel
- Dinner on your own
- · Evening free

MONDAY, MAY 29TH - DUBLIN

- Breakfast at hotel
- Depart for continued Dublin sightseeing
- Visit St. Patrick's Cathedral
- Late morning concert at Christchurch Cathedral
- Lunch on your own
- Visit Trinity College and the Old Library
- Dinner on your own
- Evening free

TUESDAY, MAY 30TH - DUBLIN

- Breakfast at hotel
- Depart for County Wicklow
- Walking tour of County Wicklow
- Lunch on your own
- Return to Dublin
- Tour the Guinness Storehouse
- Farewell Dinner (included)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31st (NON-EXTENSION) - DUBLIN

- Breakfast at hotel
- Check-out of hotel
- Depart for airport (Dublin Airport DUB)
- Check-in at airport for return flights to USA
- Arrival back in USA

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31st (EXTENSION ONLY) - GALWAY

- Breakfast at hotel
- Check-out of hotel
- Depart for Limerick
- Tour King John's Castle
- Lunch on your own
- Depart Limerick for the Cliffs of Moher
- Continue on to Galway
- Check-in to hotel
- Dinner at hotel (included)

THURSDAY, JUNE 1ST (EXTENSION ONLY) - CONNEMARA NATIONAL PARK

- Breakfast at hotel
- Depart for Kylemore Abbey through the Connemara National Park
- Free time and lunch on your own
- Return to Galway
- Evening free Dinner on your own

FRIDAY, JUNE 2ND (EXTENSION ONLY) - DEPARTURE

- Breakfast at hotel
- Check-out of hotel
- Depart for airport (Shannon Airport (SNN) or Dublin Airport (DUB))
- · Check-in at airport for return flights to USA
- Arrival back in US





WHAT'S INCLUDED

- 1. Transportation by modern motor coach
- 2. Accommodations at superb hotels
- 3. Breakfast each day while in Scotland & Ireland
- 4. Three (3) Dinners (regular trip) / Four (4) Dinners (extension) specified on the itinerary
- 5. A final packet including an itinerary with all details pertaining to the trip and luggage tags
- 6. Rental fees of performance venues and associated costs
- 7. Individual health insurance coverage
- 8. Tour management, and coordination of all items related to the tour
- 9. Assistance from CCT Staff throughout the tour
- 10. Admissions to various itinerary events
- 11. Local tour managers and guides

NOT INCLUDED

- 1. Tips to drivers and guides
- 2. Airfare
- 3. Travel to and from your home to departure airport
- 4. Meals not specified in itinerary

GETTING STARTED

- 1. Go to <u>www.celebrationconcerttours.com</u> and click on the green "Upcoming Tours" button
- 2. Go to "The Best of Scotland & Ireland 2023" and follow the on-screen prompts
- 3. If you have any questions, please call our office at 615.771.266

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May $22^{nd} - 31^{st}$, 2023

(with optional extension through June 2nd, 2023)

COST PER PARTICIPANT

(Land only - does NOT include airfare)

THE BEST OF SCOTLAND & IRELAND	Double	SINGLE
MAY 22 ND - 31 ST	\$3,495	\$4,195
EXTENSION THROUGH JUNE 2 ND	\$895	\$1,145

PAYMENT PLAN

Due with Registration: \$300 per person (non-refundable/non-transferrable)

October 15, 2022: \$550 per person
November 15, 2022: \$550 per person
December 15, 2022: \$550 per person
January 15, 2023: \$550 per person
February 15, 2023: Balance Due

CANCELLATION POLICY (NO EXCHANGES OR TRANSFERS)

After 7 days from receipt of registration, \$300 deposit retained (non-refundable/non-transferrable)

150 days prior to departure (December 23rd, 2022): 50% of Cost Per Person retained

120 days prior to departure (January 22nd, 2023): 75% of Cost Per Person retained

90 days prior to departure (February 21st, 2023): 100% of Cost Per Person retained