  

**2017 Trip**

**Germany, Czech Republic**

**June 12 – 21, 2017**



Enjoy a **10 day 8 night trip** to Berlin, Leipzig, Prague and Dresden including **touring and performing**.

**Cost:** $2,700 – land only cost (you will need to purchase your own flights separately)

**Included in your price:**

* Coach transportation within Europe upon arrival
* Double occupancy accommodations in 3 & 4 star hotels
* Breakfast every morning
* Dinner several evenings
* Entrance fees to Spree River Cruise, Wittenberg Schlosskirche, Luther House and Museum, Handel Museum, St. Thomas Church, Bach Museum, Zwinger Palace, Terezin Concentration Camp, Hradcany Castle, St. Vitus Cathedral, Dvorak Home, Lobkowicz Palace
* Gratuities to hotel personnel and for meals
* Liability insurance should someone get injured/sick while on the trip

**Abbreviated Preliminary Itinerary:**

***Monday, June 12*** – Depart for Berlin, Germany

***Tuesday, June 13*** – Arrive in Berlin. Take a panoramic introductory tour of Berlin’s highlights and a Spree River Tour.

***Wednesday, June 14*** – Half-day sightseeing of Berlin including Unter den Linden Strasse, the Russian War Memorial, “the wall,” “Checkpoint Charley,” Kurfurstendamm Strasse, Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church, and more. Afternoon rehearsal followed by first shared concert.

***Thursday, June 15*** – Transfer to Wittenberg for a guided tour including the Schlosskirche (where Luther nailed his 95 “Theses” in October 1517). Continue to Halle to visit the birthplace of Handel. Then off to Leipzig for overnight.

***Friday, June 16*** – Guided tour of Leipzig including St. Thomas Church (where Bach was organist and choirmaster) and the Bach Museum. Sing recital in St. Thomas Church in the morning. Afternoon shared concert in Halle.

***Saturday, June 17*** – Transfer to Dresden. Guided tour of Zwinger Palace as well as sing a recital in the morning. Afternoon at leisure for sightseeing, shopping, or other activities.

***Sunday, June 18*** – Transfer to Terezin to tour the Terezin Concentration Camp. Continue to Prague for overnight.

***Monday, June 19*** – Morning guided tour of Prague including the Charles Bridge, Old Town Square, the Tyn Church, the Astronomical Clock, the Jewish Quarter, Hradcany Castle, St. Vitus Cathedral, the Old Royal Palace, the Golden Lane, and Daliborka Tower. Afternoon on your own.

***Tuesday, June 20*** – Half-day guided tour of *Musical Prague* including entrance to the Dvorak Museum and the Lobkowicz Palace. Afternoon shared concert.

***Wednesday, June 21*** *­* - Depart for home.

**Must confirm your travel commitment by September 28th with the office. No payments due yet.**