

Christian Scotland & Presbyterian Heritage

Day 1 Arrival in Glasgow, Scotland

Transfer to your hotel. Balance of the day is at leisure. Enjoy this evening's welcome dinner with your traveling companions.

Day 2 Glasgow-Isle of Mull (or Oban)

Enjoy an orientation sightseeing tour of Glasgow, including a visit to the 12th-century CATHEDRAL. Afterwards journey to the Isle of Mull (or Oban). *Note: The overnights on Days 3-5 will either be on the Isle of Mull or in Oban.*

Day 3 Isle of Mull. Iona Excursion.

Visit Iona, the center of Celtic Christianity, and where in 563 AD, St. Columba established one of the earliest Christian monasteries in the British Isles. Visit the 11th-century IONA ABBEY and the CATHEDRAL to explore the religious settlement. *Note: If overnighting in Oban, today will also include ferry rides to the Isles of Mull and Iona.*

Day 4 Isle of Mull-Inverness

A spectacular day of Isle and Highland scenery. Journey along the shores of Loch Linnhe and see Ben Nevis (Britain's highest mountain). Take the "Road to the Isles" and at Mallaig ferry across the Sound of Sleat to the romantic Isle of Skye. Continue to Inverness while keeping a lookout for the mysterious monster at Loch Ness!

Day 5 Inverness-Edinburgh

Journey south to Perth for a visit to ST. JOHN'S, where the famed Scottish reformer John Knox preached. Afterwards travel to St. Andrews and visit the CASTLE and CATHEDRAL, both sites related to the life of John Knox. Continue to Edinburgh.

Day 6 Edinburgh

Enjoy a guided sightseeing tour of Edinburgh, including ST. GILES CATHEDRAL, considered the mother church of Presbyterianism and where John Knox spent most of his years preaching. Afterwards visit the historic, medieval JOHN KNOX HOUSE. Balance of day is at leisure.

Day 7 Edinburgh

Visit Haddington where John Knox was born and raised. See the HADDINGTON HOUSE GARDENS (note: the house itself is not open to the public). Return to Edinburgh with afternoon at leisure. Enjoy this evening's farewell dinner.

Day 8 Edinburgh—Glasgow

Transfer from Edinburgh to the Glasgow airport.