

Athens (Greece)

The wonderful 7-night journey in the Footsteps of Apostle Paul starts from the magical city of Athens. The Greek capital is one of the oldest cities in the world and home to the emblematic Acropolis. Take your time to discover the heritage, history and culture found in the heart of this metropolis, before boarding the ferry to Thessaloniki.



Arrival 09:30 / Departure 20:00

Thessaloniki (Greece)

Following the path of Apostle Paul's second missionary tour in Europe, you will be led beyond the imposing Byzantine walls that guard the beautiful port of Thessaloniki. You will enjoy the impressive architecture as well as the Biblical city of Veria. Join the local guide to learn how the Apostle Paul was tested in his attempt to dissuade the noble Jews who lived in the area.



Kavala (Greece)

The seaside resort of Kavala, located on the slopes of Mount Symbolo, offers a panoramic view. Here the Apostle Paul baptized the first Greek and European Christian convert, Lydia, and gave his first sermon. Visit the open-air baptismal font, the monument honoring the Saint, and the ruins of the prison where he was held captive with Apostle Silas, or join the local guide on a fascinating excursion to Neapolis and Philippi.



Arrival 09:30 / Departure 20:00

Istanbul (Turkey)

The vibrant city of Istanbul connects Europe and Asia through the Bosphorus Strait. Here you can visit the rich Byzantine and imperial mosques, piercing the sky of Istanbul with their pointed minarets. The emblematic Blue Mosque, the Roman Hippodrome, the Topkapi Palace and the famous Hagia Sophia Church are among the enigmatic sights you will admire.



Arrival 12:00 / Departure 20:00

Dikili (Turkey)

Along the Turkish coastline we meet the seaside town of Dikili, with its rich landscape of green forests and golden sandy beaches. The crystal clear turquoise waters complete the enchanting landscape. Here you will have the opportunity to visit ancient Pergamon and ancient Ephesus. The temple dedicated to the God of healing, Asclepius, is the last stop of the day



Arrival 08:00 / Departure 23:30

Kusadasi (Turkey)

In the picturesque, seaside Turkish resort of Kusadasi, the Apostle Paul wrote the letter to the Ephesians and went to the Great Theater of Ephesus. The second largest city of the Roman Empire, it is also the site of one of the seven wonders of antiquity - the Temple of Artemis. You will learn about him and much more on our excursion to ancient Ephesus and the city of Miletus.



Arrival 07:00 / Departure 18:30

Patmos (Greece)

Patmos is the smallest island of the Dodecanese and perhaps the most sacred. The quiet island is famous as the place where St. John the Theologian envisioned and inspired the Apocalypse. The last Apostle was exiled to Patmos from Rome. Follow in the footsteps of pilgrims to the Monastery of St. John and the Holy Cave of the Apocalypse.



Arrival 07:00

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While the cruise may be coming to an end, Athens is still stretching out in front of us. Explore the lively alleys of the city center. Climb up to the Acropolis for its magnificent views. As the sun sets, enjoy the horizon that becomes one with the Aegean Sea.