

Trip Office#: 269-324-9239

Armory Arts Village

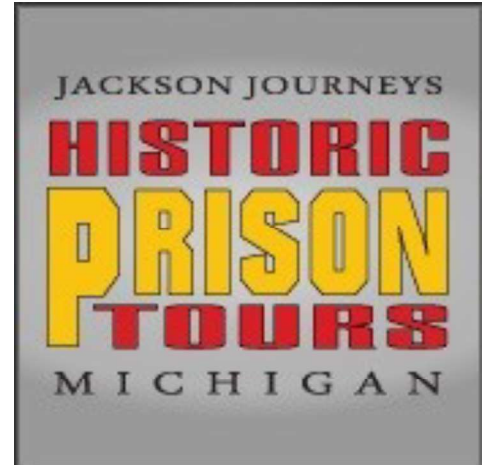
Thursday, May 21, 2020

Day Trip

Sign up now for this eclectic trip to the Armory Arts Building to hear the history of 77-year old Jackson prison and how it influenced the growth of the leading industrial city in the nation. Lunch at Bella Notte precedes a tour of famous Cell Block 7 (no pictures, no cell phones, tobacco or contraband allowed).

In contrast to prison life, the trip continues with a visit to St. Demetrius Church. An art tour of Byzantine frescoes and icons at St. Demetrius church will include a presentation on how the renowned iconographer, Niculai Enochi, uses authentic Byzantine methods of painting. Called “windows to heaven,” this style of painting originated about 1,800 years ago. This tour is given by Father Dusan Koprivica, a master at presentation.

The tour ends with homemade baklava and coffee.



\$122 Member / \$132 Non-Member
\$117 Member / \$127 Non-Member—>If signup by 12/27/2019

Travel Leaders : Shirley B. & Joyce B.

Location : Jackson MI



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Walking Level Notes: 1st tour lasts 2 hours (walking & standing with few places to sit, stairs / no elevators); 2nd tour lasts 1.1/2 hours (walking & standing); 3rd tour lasts 2 hours (walking, standing, sitting)

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| 7:30 AM | Meet at Harding's Friendly Market
6330 S. Westnedge, Portage |
| 7:45 AM | Depart for Jackson Historic Prison
<i>Convenience stop along the way.</i> |
| 9:45 AM | Arrive at Jackson Historic Prison for Tour |
| 12:00 PM | Enjoy Lunch at Bella Notte Ristorante |
| 1:05 PM | Depart for Cell Block 7 Museum |
| 1:15 PM | Tour Cell Block 7 |
| 2:40 PM | Depart for St Demetrus Church |
| 2:45 PM | Enjoy the Tour at St Demetrus Church |
| 5:00 PM | Depart for Portage
<i>Convenience stop along the way.</i> |
| 6:10 PM | Approximate arrival at Harding's Friendly Market |

PORTAGE SENIOR CENTER

Main Desk: (269) 329-4555
320 Library Lane Portage, MI 49002

Travel Office/Reservations:

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Hours for Trip Sign-Up:
Monday—Friday, 8 AM to 5 PM
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