THE EUROPEAN REFORMATION AND RENEWAL TOUR

WHAT MARTIN LUTHER DID AND ITS RELEVANCE TO OUR FAITH

9 DAY TOUR - MAY 15-23, 2026

You are invited to join pastors Dennis and Jackie Bambino and Ed and Monica Harbes on a 9-day tour exploring the life and teaching of Martin Luther, Calvin, and Zwingli. The tour begins with a panoramic tour of Berlin, followed by time in Lutherstadt Wittenberg. In Erfurt you will visit the Augustinian Monastery, including a private service in the chapel.

On the morning tour of Wartburg Castle, you'll see the room where he translated the New Testament, followed by a visit to the park in Worms where he refused to recant his writings. After time to explore Heidelberg, you'll cross the border and visit Zurich. Then you have a chance to relax in the stunning Swiss Alps before the final day in Geneva.

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TOUR ITINERARY

Key: IF = In Flight Meals, B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner

Day 1: Friday May 15, 2026: Depart
We will depart from the USA on our transatlantic overnight flights to Berlin. Pre - tour travel can be arranged through Reformation Tours. **(IF)**

Day 2: Saturday, May 16, 2026: Arrival in Berlin, Wittenberg
On arrival in Berlin, we will meet at the pre-tour hotel and begin our Reformation Tour with a panoramic bus sightseeing tour of the reunified German capital, highlighting the Reichstag, the Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church, the refurbished city center, Gendarmenmarkt and the Berlin Cathedral. We will continue to Wittenberg and dine in our hotel **(IF/D)**

Day 3: Sunday, May 17, 2026: Wittenberg
This morning is at leisure, with the opportunity to attend a church service in Wittenberg. It was here in 1517 that Martin Luther nailed his famous 95 Theses to the door of Castle Church (Schlosskirche). Although the original doors were destroyed in the Seven Years War, we can see Luther's texts cast in bronze on the new doors. We will see St. Mary's Church, where Luther regularly preached. We will visit the special exhibition in the Augustineum, next to Luther's former home, which is currently closed for renovations. We will have a group meal tonight in a traditional German restaurant. **(B/D)**

Day 4: Monday, May 18, 2026: Wittenberg, Erfurt
After breakfast, we will continue to Erfurt. Our walking tour will include viewing St. Mary's Cathedral, St. Severin's Church, and the famous Merchant's Bridge. Our tour will also include the Augustinian Monastery where Luther became a monk on July 17, 1505. We will see his monastic quarters, including one cell furnished to look as it would have when he lived there. **(B/D)**

Day 5: Tuesday, May 19, 2026: Eisenach, Worms, Heidelberg

While Luther was fleeing from the wrath of the Pope, he took refuge in the Wartburg Castle after a fake kidnapping staged by his friend and protector, Frederick the Wise. We will tour the Wartburg and see where Luther finished translating the New Testament into German in just eleven weeks. Our visit to Worms will include the grounds of the former Bishop's Residence, the Luther Monument, and St. Peter's Cathedral. It was at the Diet of Worms in 1521 that Luther stood his ground with the Emperor and refused to recant what he had said and written about grace, about indulgences, about the Pope. In the late afternoon, we will continue to Heidelberg and dine in our hotel. **(B/D)**

Day 6: Wednesday, May 20, 2026: Zurich and the Swiss Alps

We will cross the German-Swiss border this morning to visit Zurich. We will visit key Reformation sites to learn about Zwingli and the Anabaptists, including the Grossmünster, the Helferei (where Zwingli lived) and the Zwingli Statue. After a stroll through the historic Auld Stadt (old city) we will drive through Switzerland into the Alps, staying in stunning Grindelwald. We will dine in our hotel, then stroll through the village admiring the traditional wooden houses and Alpine backdrop. **(B/D)**

Day 7: Thursday, May 21: Grindelwald

We have a free day to enjoy an Alpine picnic, a gentle hike, a ride on a cable car to Jungfraujoch, the most spectacular mountain railway station in the Alps, a gondola ride on the Männlichen, offering the best views of the Eiger, Mönch and Jungfrau, or a trip to Grindwald First for the Tissot Cliff Walk. **(B)**

Day 8: Friday, May 22, 2026: Geneva, Lausanne

We will have a morning coffee in Medieval Murten, before arriving in Geneva. This city was described by John Knox as “the most perfect school of Christ since the days of the apostles”. In the afternoon, we will tour St. Pierre's Cathedral, the Reformation Museum, and the impressive Reformation Monument. We will enjoy a Farewell meal together this evening in our hotel in Lausanne, by the lake. **(B/D)**

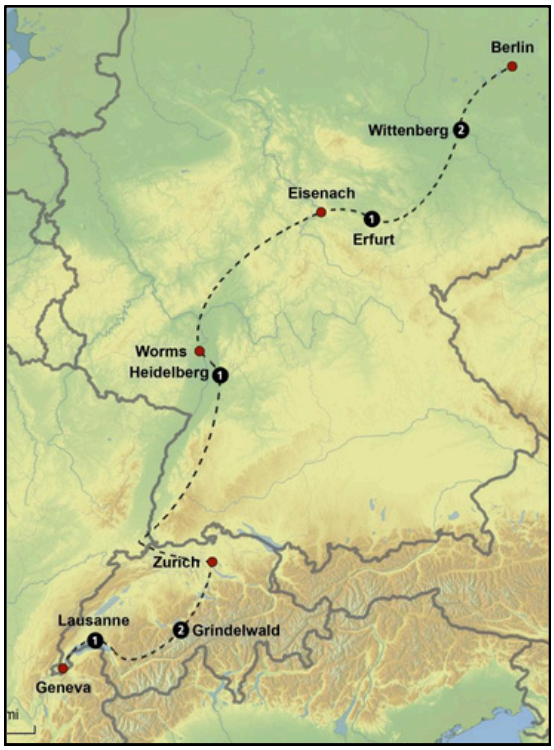
Day 9: Saturday, May 23, 2026: Return

We will return to the USA today or continue our travels in Europe. **(B)**

PRICING

The land price of $4,499 is based on double occupancy and a minimum number of 25 travelers. These rates are subject to change if there is a significant fluctuation in the exchange rate.

WHAT'S INCLUDED



- Transportation: via deluxe air-conditioned coach
- Group arrival and departure transfers
- Accommodations (double-occupancy)
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Professional Tour Director throughout the tour
- Local step-on guides for city tours and major attractions
- Whisper headsets
- Admission to all activities indicated in the itinerary
- All taxes and tips other than tour director and driver
- Trip app and full color tour book

WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED

- Round-trip air transportation (options available)
- Arrival and departure transfers (if not on group air)
- Single supplement ($750)
- Meals and beverages not identified in the itinerary
- Items of a personal nature, such as passports and visas. Passports must be valid for 6 months beyond the return date.
- Tips for the tour director and driver
- Passenger trip cancellation insurance

TERMS & CONDITIONS

SIGN UP: Please click the registration link on the website www. ReformationTours.com/package/RMH26

PAYMENT METHOD: Payments can be made directly on the registration platform, using a credit card (3.5% fee) or a bank debit. You can also send a check to "Reformation Tours" at 12316 244th St., Chisago City, MN 55013-9688.

FIRST DEPOSIT: A $350 per person, partially refundable deposit at the time of registration will secure your space.

FINAL PAYMENT: Final payment is due by February 14, 2026. Reservations will be accepted after February 14, 2026, subject to availability

TRAVEL INSURANCE: We highly recommended insuring your tour and there are two options (see below). Enhanced insurance needs to be paid within two weeks of paying the deposit.

ROOMING and DIETARY REQUIREMENTS: All passenger details including, rooming preferences, dietary needs and any medical conditions are collected at registration, or via email.

CANCELLATIONS: All cancellations must be received in writing or by email by 5:00 p.m. Central Time on the last business day of the applicable period. The postmark date will determine the refund amount due.

From time of deposit until 100 days before departure (	$100 per person
From 99 - 30 days before departure	$350 plus any non-refundable deposits
Less than 30 days before departure	No refund

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Trip Cancellation** Single Supplement	up to 100% of the non-refundable insured Trip Cost included	✓ ✓	✓ ✓
Trip Interruption** Single Supplement	up to 100% of the non-refundable insured Trip Cost included	✓ ✓	✓ ✓
Additional Trip Interruption Travel Companion Hospitalization	Included under Trip Interruption benefit Maximum up to $150 Per Day Limited to 5 Days	✓ ✓	✓ ✓
Missed Connection	$500	✓	✓
Trip Delay	up to $150 Per Day, to a Maximum of $750	✓	✓
Accident & Sickness Medical Expense Dental Expense Sublimit	$25,000 $750	✓ ✓	✓ ✓
Medical Evacuation & Repatriation of Remains Additional Medical Evacuation: Transportation Of Children/Child Bedside Visit Transportation to Join You	$100,000 included included included	✓ ✓ ✓ ✓	✓ ✓ ✓ ✓
Political or Security Evacuation & Natural Disaster Evacuation	$25,000	✓	✓
Baggage and Personal Effects Passport, Visa or Other Travel Documents Replacement Credit Card Charges and Interest Per Article Limit Items Subject to Special Limitations	$1,500 $100 $50 up to $300 $600 Maximum Combined	✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓	✓ ✓ ✓ ✓ ✓
Baggage Delay	$300 Up to $50 to expedite the Return	✓ ✓	✓ ✓

PLAN	RATE
Standard (F561S)	**4.55% of Trip Cost**
Enhanced (F561E)	**7.60% of Trip Cost**

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