

# Itinerary

## Friday, March 29

Depart Nashville on a direct flight to London on British Airways.

## Saturday, March 30

Arrive at London Heathrow and travel by private motor coach to visit **Stonehenge** and **Avebury**, England's most famous prehistoric standing stones. Travel to London in the late afternoon and check into the hotel.

## Sunday, March 31

Attend Easter service at **St. Paul's Cathedral**, designed by Christopher Wren. In the afternoon, visit the **Museum of London**, which presents the story of the city and its people from prehistoric times to the present. End the afternoon with a visit to **Trafalgar Square** and the **National Gallery**.

## Monday, April 1

Begin a full-day excursion with a visit to the great medieval **castle at Warwick** built by the first Earls of Warwick. Spend the afternoon in **Stratford-upon-Avon**, visiting Anne Hathaway's cottage, Shakespeare's birthplace, and Holy Trinity Church where Shakespeare is buried. Return to London in the early evening.



## Tuesday, April 2

In the morning, visit **Kensington Palace and Gardens**. After the palace visit, travel by motor coach to Warner



Brothers Studios in Leavesden to experience **The Making of Harry Potter tour** at the studio where the Harry Potter films were made. Return to London. Have dinner and see the shops and sights at **Piccadilly Circus** and **Leicester Square** before attending a theater performance in the evening.

## Friday, April 5

Take a guided tour of the magnificent St. Paul's Cathedral. then cross the **Millennium Bridge** to visit the replica of the **Globe Theater** on the south bank of the Thames. End the afternoon with a stroll down Whitehall and Pall Mall to see the **Horse**

## Wednesday, April 3

Depart by motor coach for a morning visit to Hampton Court, one of Henry VIII's favorite residences. This palace was given to Henry as a gift by Cardinal Wolsey. In the afternoon, tour **Windsor Castle**, one of England's largest walled castles. Windsor is the royal family's second residence in the London area. Return to London in the late afternoon.

## Thursday, April 4

Visit the **British Museum** to see the Rosetta Stone, the "Bog Man," the Elgin Marbles (statuary from the Parthenon), and other famous objects. Then go into the old city of London to tour the **Tower of London**. This fortress prison, the site of imprisonment for Anne Boleyn and Sir Walter Raleigh, among others, houses the Crown Jewels.

**Guard Barracks, Number 10 Downing Street, the Banqueting Hall, and Buckingham Palace**. In the evening, enjoy a theater performance.

## Saturday, April 6

Take a guided tour of the **Houses of Parliament** and then tour **Westminster Abbey**. In the afternoon, visit the **Churchill Museum** and the **War Rooms** used by Churchill during WW II. Close out the day with a ride on the **London Eye**, the world's tallest observation wheel at 433 feet high. The panoramic view of London from the Eye will provide a wonderful end to our week.

## Sunday, April 7

Depart London for Nashville.

