

# Bible Fellowship Church presents:

# A Tour of Biblical Proportions

September 15 – 18, 2025

#### Day 1: Monday, September 15, 2025:

We depart this morning for "A Tour of Biblical Proportions!" making appropriate rest and lunch on own stops along the way, before checking into our hotel, the Hampton Inn Cincinnati-Airport South. This full-service hotel offers a welcome of warm cookies while luggage is being delivered to rooms.

Dinner tonight is included at Rafferty's, located across the parking lot from the hotel. Entrées include: Wood-fired Pork Chops, Cowboy Sirloin, Kona Chicken, Hickory glazed Salmon, and Slow Roasted Prime Rib. Everyone will also receive a house salad and choice of a side item, and cheesecake for dessert.

## Day 2: Tuesday, September 16, 2025:

Start the morning with a full hot breakfast buffet before departing for the Creation Museum.

Guests will have time to tour the Creation Museum at leisure (Moderate Walking.) Be prepared to experience history in a completely unprecedented way. The state-of-the-art 70,000 square foot museum brings the pages of the



Bible to life, casting its characters and animals in dynamic form and placing them in familiar settings.

Lunch Vouchers are included for Noah's Café on your own. Have a sandwich and salad, or a snack and beverage. The intricately designed bamboo walls and ceilings create a tropical feel and restful atmosphere. A 27-foot mural pictures the Ark resting on the mountains of Ararat.

Don't miss the conservatory, the largest in Kentucky. Newly opened in November 2024, has four buildings that house plants from the Bible.



After our visit to the museum, we depart for a Tour of the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption in Covington (Mild Walking). A one-third replica of the Notre Dame, in Paris, features a gothic design with gargoyles and flying buttresses. Among its 82 stained glass windows, are a Rose window, larger than the one at Notre Dame, and the largest stained-glass window in the world. This Basilica is one of only 35 Basilica's in the country and is considered the most beautiful in the world.

Following our tour, we depart and return to the hotel to relax before heading to out for

our dinner cruise. This is a private cruise, complete with contemporary gospel music. Have you ever heard a song that moved you to the point where you wanted to tell all of your friends about it? Well, that's the type of feeling you may experience when listening to gospel music. By its very definition, the term gospel means 'good news.'



Enjoy this dinner cruise and music that is sure to get your hands clapping and feet tapping!! Dinner

is a buffet, which includes: Pan-Seared Chicken Breast served with Cream Sauce and Roasted Pork Loin served with a green Peppercorn Demi-glace, Butter and Herb Glazed Baby Carrots, Au Gratin Potatoes, Tossed Salad with assorted dressings, Rolls with Butter, Coffee, Iced Tea and Soft Drinks included, and Red Velvet Cake for dessert.

#### Day 3: Wednesday, September 17, 2025:

Start the morning with a full hot breakfast buffet before departing for the day.

Our first stop is Patriot's Landing, where guests will enjoy a guided tour of the facility and interact with the Veterans working in the workshop. Veterans are on site making hand-crafted products that include Patriot Flags and Burial and Retirement Flag Cases. Each item is as unique as the Veteran who made it, and as perfectly imperfect as the Veterans they help heal. Spend time enjoying the Military Memorabilia displays and speaking with the Veterans who are working in the shop. Every purchase made will allow one more product to be made, and one more Veteran to be helped as 100% of the proceeds go directly back into their programs.



Next, we depart for our visit to the Ark Encounter.



The Ark Encounter is the largest timber frame structure in the world, built in part by skilled Amish craftsman. The Ark is an architectural and engineering wonder containing three decks of world-class exhibits, and measures 510 feet long and more than 50 feet tall. Scores of exhibits about the Flood, Noah, and the animals are designed to answer your questions about the biblical account of Noah's Ark.

The Ark Encounter has three levels of exhibits: Before the Flood, During the Flood, and After the Flood. There are plenty of benches for resting when needed, elevators, and gently sloping ramps to get from one level to the next. Visit the one of a kind "Journey of the Animals" carousel newly opened in August 2024, The Ararat Zoo, the Monument Walk, and the many of attractions inside and outside of the Ark Encounter!

Lunch vouchers are included for Emzara's Kitchen Restaurant, located adjacent to the Ark, serving a hot buffet-cafeteria style lunch. The menu varies day to day!

Don't forget to visit the gift shop before departing!

Dinner this evening is included at Hofbrauhaus in nearby Newport, Kentucky. This is the first Hofbrauhaus in the United States! You will choose your meal at time of service. Enjoy the live Polka Music as you dine in this unique atmosphere! Alcoholic beverages are available at own expense.



## Day 4: Thursday, September 18, 2025:

Start the morning with a full hot breakfast buffet. Check out and depart for home making appropriate rest and meal on own stops, and wonderful memories of your "Tour of Biblical Proportions!"