



Adventures in Cincinnati & the Ark

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\$1,995 per guest (double) \$2,350 per guest (single)



Ark Encounter & Adventures in Cincinnati

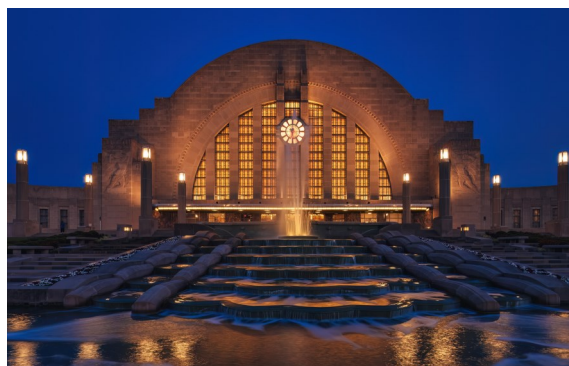
Bigger than the imagination! Experience Biblical history at the Ark. Meet “Noah, his family, and the animals” on this full-size Noah’s Ark re-creation. Spanning 510 feet long, 85 feet wide, and 51 feet high, the Ark is a modern marvel. The state-of-the-art Creation Museum allows you to stroll through beautiful botanical gardens and venture through fascinating exhibits. But there’s more to this tour... explore the Queen City with a guided tour and lunch at Findlay Market. Enjoy the Newport Aquarium, relax on a dinner cruise on the Ohio River, visit Dayton’s National Museum of the U.S. Air Force, and explore Cincinnati’s Museum Center.

Unpack for three nights in our newly renovated hotel in the heart of Newport, Kentucky’s riverfront district. We’ll dine at the Historic Boone Tavern and tour Berea College on our way home.

Tour Includes:

- 3 nights at the riverfront Fairfield Inn & Suites Newport / Cincinnati
- The Ark Encounter & Creation Museum
- Dinner cruise on the Ohio River
- National Museum of the U.S. Air Force, Dayton, OH – An aviation lover’s dream
- Newport Aquarium
- Cincinnati Highlights Tour
- Cincinnati Museum Center
- Historic Boone Tavern and Berea College Tour
- All meals, full menu where available
- All attractions, guides & activities
- Escorted by Globe Treks tour manager
- Home pick-up service & luggage handling
- Tour limited to 29 guests

(Prices and itinerary subject to change)



Cincinnati and the Ark Day by Day Itinerary

Day 1: The Ark & Enchanting Newport Riverside

Your Cincinnati adventure begins with our signature door-to-door service, taking you through the rolling Kentucky foothills to the iconic Ark Encounter. Enjoy a scenic picnic lunch as you gaze over the countryside, preparing for an unforgettable visit. Constructed in 2016, this massive 510-foot-long replica of Noah's Ark towers above, immersing visitors in an architectural and historical marvel inspired by ancient biblical tales. Wander through the Ark's many levels, each filled with exhibits and intricate displays that tell the story of the great flood and its timeless impact.

Afterward, we'll make our way to charming Newport, KY, for a delectable riverside dinner at one of Newport's renowned restaurants. Savor local flavors as the sunset reflects off the river, and unwind for three nights at the recently renovated Fairfield Inn in this lively yet historic district, famed for its beautiful views of the Cincinnati skyline and Ohio River.

Day 2: Cincinnati's Timeless Treasures and Exquisite Delights

Today, explore Cincinnati's rich cultural tapestry with a city tour led by a knowledgeable local guide. From the historic heart of Fountain Square to the panoramic views atop Carew Tower, you'll discover the dynamic legacy of this storied city. Marvel at the intricate architecture of the Roebling Suspension Bridge, view the iconic Reds' Great American Ball Park, and feel the pulse of the city's thriving arts and entertainment scenes.

Our journey through Cincinnati includes a stop at Findlay Market, Ohio's oldest continuously operated public market. Here, enjoy a delightful lunch and sample fresh local produce, cheeses, and regional specialties amid the bustling charm of this historic marketplace.

In the afternoon, you'll have the choice of two incredible experiences. Creation Museum: Step into a place where faith meets science. This fascinating museum invites you to explore the origins of life, the wonders of nature, and thought-provoking exhibits that delve into both scientific and biblical perspectives.

Newport Aquarium: Discover the magic beneath the sea with mesmerizing displays of marine life. Traverse through glass tunnels, encounter playful penguins, and behold the vivid beauty of coral reefs and exotic fish.

This evening, we'll board a dinner cruise on the Ohio River with BB Riverboats. As you dine, Cincinnati's riverfront skyline unfolds around you, accompanied by live narration on the city's rich river history and architectural landmarks, with the gentle rhythm of the river providing the perfect backdrop.

Day 3: Aviation Marvels and Cultural Exploration

Prepare for a day of history and discovery as we set out for the National Museum of the U.S. Air Force in Dayton, a must-see for any history or aviation enthusiast. Wander through galleries filled with historic aircraft, interactive exhibits, and unique artifacts that span over a century of flight.

In the afternoon, we return to Cincinnati to explore the remarkable Cincinnati Museum Center. Housed in a stunning Art Deco building, this center offers a variety of museum experiences, from the interactive Duke Energy Children's Museum to the Cincinnati History Museum and the Museum of Natural History & Science. For those who missed it, there will be a second chance to visit the Newport Aquarium for underwater discoveries.

As evening approaches, we gather at the Hofbräuhaus for a lively, Bavarian-inspired dinner experience. Enjoy a traditional German feast in a jovial beer hall setting, with authentic flavors, live music, and the timeless charm of this popular venue.

Day 4: Unforgettable Farewells and Lasting Memories

Our final day takes us to Berea, KY, known as the "Folk Arts and Crafts Capital of Kentucky." At Berea College, a pioneer in interracial and coeducational education, join a student-led tour to discover this unique institution's dedication to traditional Appalachian crafts, affordability, and cultural heritage.

For lunch, we'll savor a final culinary highlight at Boone Tavern, a historic inn famous for its warm hospitality and acclaimed Southern cuisine. From its elegant dining room to the inn's storied history as part of Berea College's outreach, this meal is the perfect conclusion to our memorable tour.

With Cincinnati's vibrant charm, the Ark's monumental scale, and Berea's cultural richness still fresh in your mind, we begin our journey home to Western North Carolina, bringing back lasting memories, new friendships, and the spirit of discovery that defines Globe Treks.

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