

## Tea & Thee, One-Day Tour

Relax and enjoy a delicious tea luncheon during a narrated scenic Susquehanna River Cruise in Williamsport, plus take in the beauty of the city's historic churches along with a wonderful organ demonstration from a church with a special musical history!

The Hiawatha Riverboat, a replica of the vessel that sailed in the mid-1800s when lumber barons called the area home, is your host for a tea luncheon featuring tea sandwiches, strawberry spinach salad with sesame dressing, scones with butter, assorted finger desserts, assorted chocolates, assorted hot teas plus a fruity iced tea. Learn about the river's role in the Underground Railroad and its underwater boom that was used to corral lumber from the northern tier on way to southern markets while enjoying views from the enclosed, climate controlled main salon complete with cocktail offerings or the open-air upper deck.



Also enjoy views of Williamsport's architecturally significant historic churches, many built by the wealthy lumber barons along historic Millionaire's Row and the surrounding neighborhoods, during a guided driving tour with visits to two churches.

Step inside Christ Episcopal Church known to have one of the most beautiful classic worship spaces in the area featuring Tiffany stained-glass windows, tilework, fine brass and artisanal woodwork. It is also noted historically for the work of one of its rectors, Dr. John Henry Hopkins Jr, composer of "We Three Kings of Orient Are." An organ demonstration is also usually included.

Also visit Annunciation Catholic Church, a wonderful Romanesque structure built with magnificent details inside including Italian marble, gold details, Tiffany stained glass and 43 arched stained glass windows.

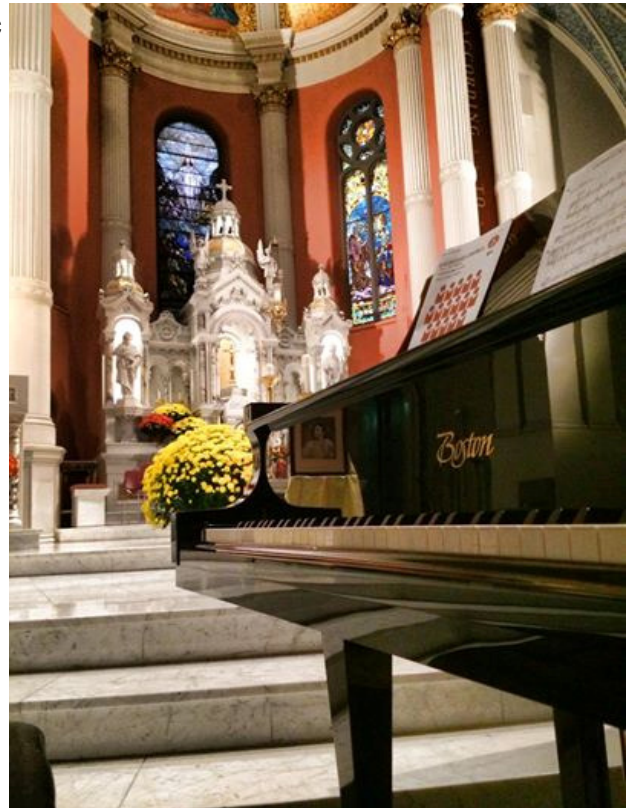
Another highlight during the driving tour is views of Trinity Episcopal Church featuring 19th century ecclesiastical gothic architecture and tower clock with a nine-bell chime, designed to sound the Westminster Quarters. According to church records, this was the first tower clock in the US to sound this chime sequence originally heard in the Tower Clock of the Palace of Westminster in London.

(If churches become unavailable at the last minute due to funerals, etc. we will try to include alternate sites/activities.)

*Tour available Tuesday to Thursday, May to August. Variations available year round.*

### Tour includes:

- **Susquehanna River Cruise with Tea Luncheon**
- **Historic Church Driving Tour**
- **Visits to 2 Churches with Organ Demonstration**
- **Step-On Guide**



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