

Travel Arrangements:

Because many participants will want to do additional travel before and/or after the Pilgrimage, we are leaving travel arrangements to and from Europe to participants' own choice.

Caution: Pilgrimage involves considerable walking at every site, frequently on uneven ground. Adjustments to the length and difficulty of the walk can be made, according to the abilities of individuals. If participants are doubtful of their ability to walk any distances, they should speak with the organizers before making a commitment to the pilgrimage.

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Course Credit

This programme is accredited by the Vancouver School of Theology. It may qualify for Continuing Education support through your denomination. The Elders' Institute offers a certificate of completion to all participants. For further information please contact Lynne (lynne@mcnaughton.org), Gerald (rgh@vst.edu) or Roberta (clare@standrews.edu).

Tour Cost

\$3695 (\$100 less if paid by cheque)

(Based on double occupancy; single accommodation available with supplement)

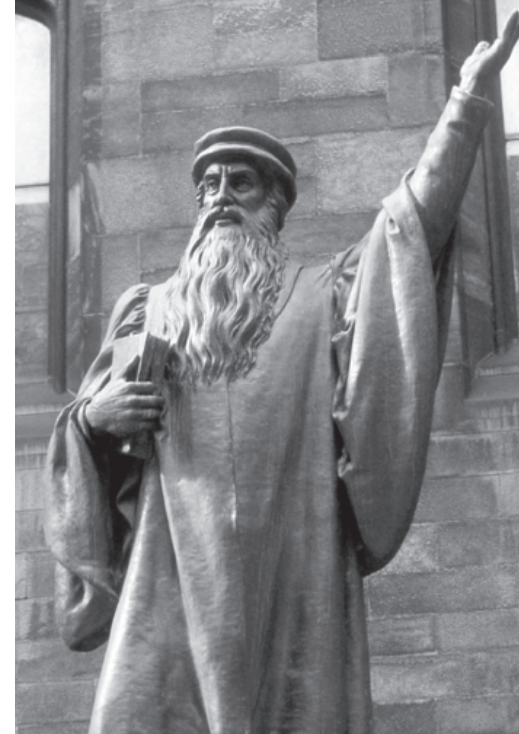
Included:

- On-site presentations and worship
- A pre-tour reading list
- Study guide
- Travel by chartered bus throughout the pilgrimage
- Modest, comfortable accommodation 16 nights in family hotels
- Breakfast and one other meal daily
- All admission fees to programme sites
- Tips to hotel staff and coach driver
- Air transportation from Geneva to Scotland

Not Included:

- Transportation to Paris and return from Glasgow.
- Items of a personal nature
- Luggage handling
- One meal daily

The schedule may be subject to change.



John Knox

For Further Information and to Reserve:

To receive further information and/or to register, contact us at the address below. Complete the enclosed application form and send the form together with your non-refundable deposit of \$300 Cdn (made out to Peregrinatio Studies Inc.) to:

Peregrinatio Studies

PO Box 30027, Marpole Postal Outlet,
Vancouver BC V6P 6S3
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Future Pilgrimages

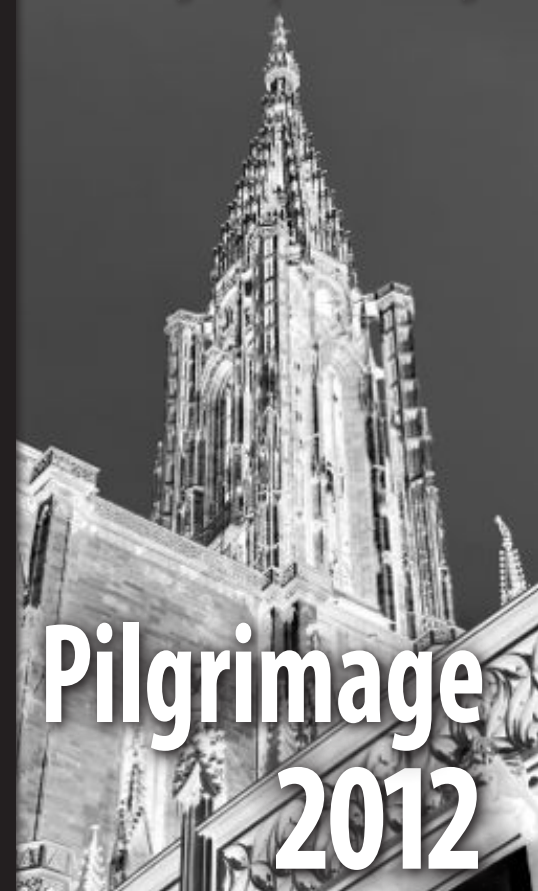
If you would like to be on our mailing list for future Pilgrimages, give your name to Linda Lee Henriksen at the above address.

Edinburgh



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Claiming Our Spiritual Heritage



Pilgrimage 2012

*Exploring the
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The Reformation Monument in Geneva

Exploring the Reformed Heritage: France, Switzerland and Scotland

- Meet at **Paris** airport Thurs. July 6.
- Discover the pre-Reformation religious life in the medieval city of **Meaux**.
- Explore the Calvin family home and church in **Noyon**.
- Travel by coach to the charming Rhineland city of **Strasbourg** where Calvin served from 1538-41.
- Visit the famous **Alsatian wine road**, and enjoy a *tarte flambée* supper in a village restaurant.
- Visit Calvin's first parish. Explore the role of **Psalms in Reformed Spirituality**. Walk about the historic centre of Strasbourg.
- In **Geneva**, experience **St. Pierre Cathedral**, where Calvin preached and taught. Walk the narrow streets of the old upper and lower city.
- Worship in the Calvin **Auditoire**, where the English and Scottish exiles worshipped.
- Learn of the life of the Reformed Church today at the **World Council of Churches** and the **World Reformed Alliance**.
- Fly from Geneva to **Scotland**.
- In **Edinburgh**, relive the unfolding of the Reformation in Scotland at **St. Giles High Kirk** and the **John Knox House**.
- Experience a traditional Scottish "Communion Season" in ancient **Duddingston Kirk**.
- Travel through the mountain pass of **Glencoe** to visit a **West Highland** Parish and evoke the experiences of the **Covenanters** and the **Clearances**.
- From scenic **Oban**, ride by ferry to **Mull** and the historic **Isle of Iona**, the mission founded to evangelize Scotland.
- On **Iona** and in **Glasgow**, engage the vitality of the present day Iona Community, source for renewal throughout the Christian world.

Isle of Iona



A Pilgrimage

This pilgrimage offers a unique learning experience, with qualified teachers and leaders, for everyone who is interested in exploring the Reformed heritage – seekers as well as congregation members, lay leaders, ruling elders, clergy and theology students of all denominations.

Travel is a metaphor for our being. Since our spiritual ancestors Abraham and Sarah, people have journeyed in order to explore, deepen, rekindle their faith. Pilgrims often travelled in company. Together they sang, prayed and celebrated the events of the journey and the sense of accomplishment at journey's end. Pilgrims were not people of special holiness; they were ordinary folk for the most part, looking to enrich their own journey through life and finding a new experience of the Holy in the course of their pilgrimage.

Our Spiritual Heritage in the Reformed Tradition

The movement of Protestant Reformation led by John Calvin made several distinctive contributions to the whole Christian Church. Participants will explore elements of this Reformed Heritage as it was born in France and Switzerland and developed in Scotland, in the hope that these may become resources for the renewal of their own Christian communities in the 21st century.

- Communal worship and individual lives centred upon the Bible
- The centrality of the Psalms in worship and in the home
- The honouring of literacy and education in the community
- The role of lay leadership in Church and World



The family home of John Calvin in Noyon

The Leaders

The Rev. Dr. R. Gerald Hobbs

A specialist on the Protestant Reformations, Gerald taught church history and music, including the Psalms, for more than 30 years at the Vancouver School of Theology, and was active in the formation of Anglican, Presbyterian and United students. He taught for three years in Geneva, and has been a lecturer in Strasbourg, Paris and Glasgow.

The Rev. Dr. Lynne E. McNaughton

Lynne served two Anglican parishes in Vancouver, before her appointment in 1995 to teach Christian Spirituality and Anglican pastoral formation at the Vancouver School of Theology. Since 2008, she has been pastor in an exciting project of new models for team ministry on the Vancouver North Shore.

Since 1997, Lynne and Gerald have been leading annual Spiritual Heritage pilgrimages in Great Britain, Ireland and on the European continent. Both are members of the British Society for Reformation Studies, and have recently contributed chapters to the forthcoming book *Calvin @ 500*.

The Rev. Dr. Roberta Clare

Roberta has served as director of the Elders' Institute, St. Andrew's Hall, since 2004, overseeing the development of leadership training courses, workshops and publications for ruling elders and lay leaders across Canada. Roberta also teaches courses in Christian Education and Pastoral Theology as adjunct faculty of the Vancouver School of Theology. She holds a doctorate in Education and Religion from Columbia University and Union Theological Seminary, NYC.

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