

NORMAN, SAXON & 'WOOL' CHURCHES IN ONE TOUR!

SOUTH COTSWOLD CHURCHES

24 – 26 MAY 2012

Tour Code – SCCMAY



A real 'must do' tour for all Church and Architecture Enthusiasts. From the magnificence of the Church of St. John the Baptist at Cirencester to the hidden gems of the villages of South Cotswold this is a magnificent journey through the ages in a wonderful location.

Highlights Included in Your Tour

Church of St. John the Baptist, Cirencester, (pictured above) is often called the 'Cathedral of the Cotswolds', and is one of the largest and most elegant medieval churches in the county, if not the entire country. A magnificent medieval church, it is renowned for its perpendicular porch, fan vaults and merchants' tombs.

St Michael's, Duntisbourne Rouse, dating from no later than the 11th or 12th century, with an isolated hillside chapel with crypt, St Michael's has been designated a Grade I listed building by English Heritage.

St Mary, Fairford, is a must visit church with its complete set of magnificent

medieval stained glass windows. Along with the stone carvings and jocular misericords, St Mary's has one of England's outstanding galleries of church art.

St Michael & St Martin, Eastleach Martin; St Andrew, Eastleach Turville, wonderful twin churches facing each other across a glade in a fabulous historic location!

Other fascinating churches included in the tour are: St Andrew, Chedworth (perpendicular window display); St John, Elkstone (Norman chancel, columbarium in chancel roof); All Saints, North Cerney (Antiquarian restoration); Ampney Crusis (memorial cross, Lloyd tomb); Ampney St Mary (Norman carving, mural); St Lawrence, Lechlade (Tower carvings, roof bosses and corbels)

Your Accommodation:

High Quality 3 or 4 star locally based hotel.

All of the following are included in the Tour Price:

- 2 nights B&B
- Wine Reception
- 2 lunches, 2 dinners
- All Tour transportation
- All entrance fees
- All coffee, tea and cakes
- Information pack
- Expert guide services
- Dedicated 24 hr tour manager

Cost: ONLY £365 per person (based on 2 sharing a twin/double room)

SRS: £30 per night

Additional nights available with special discounted rate. Please enquire for more details.

Some walking is involved on this tour.