



**SPRING 2021**



**PLATINUM ADVENTURES NEWSLETTER**

**DAY TRIPS • EXTENDED TRIPS • SEMINARS • AND MORE!**

## **A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR**

Let's spring forward to warmer days and good times with friends. We've planted a garden full of good cheer, and new activities are blooming. For those who are energized and ready to explore, we've got a budding list of places to visit and things to see across the country. We've also sprinkled in some educational seminars and day trips sprouting up locally.

Since your safety is our utmost concern, we will be practicing social distancing and other protective measures at events. The number of guests on motorcoaches will be limited, face coverings will be used when required, and event attendees will need to sign a waiver. Also, please know all our extended trips include trip insurance, which can give you peace of mind in uncertain times.

At the time of print, the extended trips, outings, and presentations in this newsletter are all scheduled to occur as planned. However, due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, these events may need to be rescheduled or canceled. Please contact me with any questions you may have.

I look forward to seeing you soon!

*Ellie Bartlett Terry*



**FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY OF THE EVENTS YOU SEE IN THIS NEWSLETTER, OR TO RSVP, CONTACT ME:**

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## DAY TRIPS

You'll have the unique opportunity to explore the wonders we have nearby. We carefully plan each of our day trips, events, and seminars to ensure they are packed with as much adventure and education as possible. Plus, each event offers a great chance to share with friends just what the Platinum Adventures Club is all about.

Pay close attention to the means of transportation for these trips. Oftentimes, we will gather and transport the group by bus, but there are some events that require you to commute on your own. As always, if you should have any questions about any of these day trips, or would like to RSVP, contact your bank's Platinum Adventures director at the phone number or email listed in this newsletter.



### MAY 2021

#### Letters for Veterans Collection

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

Prior to Memorial Day, draft a letter or two to thank and honor a veteran. We will collect letters of gratitude, which will be given to well-deserving vets all over the Chicagoland area with the help of Honor Flight Chicago. Although various Honor Flight trips to Washington, D.C., may be paused, we can still say thank you to our local heroes.

Please drop the letters off at your nearest Wintrust Bank branch's drive-up window or mail them to North Shore Community Bank & Trust, Attn: Ellie Bartlett Terry, 576 Lincoln Ave., Winnetka, IL 60093.

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**



### MAY, JUNE, AND JULY 2021

#### Free Coin Appraisals

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

#### *Various locations*

Do you have old coins in your change jar? They may be worth more than you think. Ron Beckstrom from Golden Rule Coins will be at our banks to appraise and buy rare, collectible, and antique coins; paper money; and gold. Stop by your local branch for a list of dates and locations to select an appraisal event that is most convenient for you! Reservations are required for an appraisal.

Please call Ellie Bartlett Terry at 773-883-4144, or email [ebartlett@wintrust.com](mailto:ebartlett@wintrust.com) to make your 15-minute appointment.

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

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## **TUESDAYS: MAY 11, MAY 25, AND JUNE 8** **Protecting Your Identity and Other Assets**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Join us for educational presentations on keeping your financial information safe. You will learn about forms of identity theft and how to protect yourself against them; elder financial abuse and how to prevent it; and managing risks to your financial security. We will also discuss how to be financially prepared when disaster strikes and how to plan for the unexpected.

### **May 11: Wintrust Bank - Mont Clare**

3050 N. Harlem Ave. | Chicago

### **May 25: Wintrust Bank - Sauganash**

4343 W. Peterson Ave. | Chicago

### **June 8: Wintrust Bank - Old Town**

100 W. North Ave. | Chicago

**TIME: 10 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**



## **MORTGAGE OPTIONS TAILORED FOR YOU**

Life can take you many places. Sometimes, it even leads you to a new home. That's why we're here. Our professionals can help you downsize, upgrade, or refinance. Whatever your next big decision is, we have the experience and knowledge to create a mortgage solution that's perfect for you.

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## **THURSDAY, MAY 13 AND TUESDAY, AUGUST 24** **Extended Trips Preview**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

### **Northview Bank & Trust**

245 WAUKEGAN RD. | NORTHBROOK, IL

Join us for an exciting presentation showcasing some of our upcoming extended trips. We will discuss Colorado Springs, New York City Holiday and St. Louis Holiday this December, and an Arizona Baseball Getaway next March. It's never too early to start thinking about baseball! After hearing about these trips, you'll want to start packing your bags.

**TIME: 2 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

*The destinations presented may change based upon availability at time of trip preview.*



## **MONDAY, MAY 17 AND TUESDAY, JULY 27** **Online Banking with the Pros**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Have you ever wanted to use online banking but haven't felt comfortable taking the leap? Come and learn from the pros! Join us for an educational presentation as we discuss enrolling in online banking and its benefits and features. We will discuss mobile banking, bill pay, and external transfers, as well as the security benefits of online banking and how it can provide some cost savings.

### **May 17: Evanston Community Bank & Trust**

901 Grove St. | Evanston

### **July 27: North Shore Community Bank & Trust**

7800 Lincoln Ave. | Skokie

**TIME: 10 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 19**  
**Honoring Our Veterans**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*Virtual event*

Join us to recognize the Memorial Day holiday with a moving presentation by Honor Flight, a nonprofit organization created solely to honor America's veterans for all their sacrifices. Honor Flight transports our heroes to Washington, D.C., to visit and reflect at the memorials dedicated to their service and remember their friends. We will also enjoy a special concert filled with patriotic songs sung by Andrew Blendermann.\*

*To register for this event, visit [pamay.eventbrite.com](http://pamay.eventbrite.com). Online login information will be emailed to you three hours prior to the event.*

**TIME: 4 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

\*Andrew Blendermann is not an affiliate of Wintrust.



**WEDNESDAY, MAY 26**  
**Platinum Adventures Memorial Day Event**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*Wintrust Bank - Norridge*

*4369 N. HARLEM AVE. | NORRIDGE, IL*

In recognition of the upcoming Memorial Day holiday, let's remember and honor those who gave the ultimate sacrifice. Drive over to the bank today to pick up an American flag gift and a patriotic treat from Platinum Adventures, while supplies last.

**TIME: 10 AM TO 3 PM**



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## FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS: JUNE TO SEPTEMBER Ice Cream Days

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

### *Various locations*

Let us treat you to a cool, sweet treat! It was a long winter, and we all deserve a little something sweet. Stop by the bank to scoop up some ice cream and have a fun-filled day with neighbors, family, and friends. The ice cream cart will be outside, pending the weather. It's just our little way of saying thank you for being a valued customer. Call or stop by your local branch to see what Ice Cream Day is most convenient for you! No reservations are required. Just show up ready to mingle, and bring some sunshine with you!

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

## SATURDAYS: JUNE TO SEPTEMBER Shred Days

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

### *Various locations*

Protect yourself from identity theft at our Shred Days. Gather your personal, sensitive information, and we'll shred it on-site for free!<sup>1</sup> No plastic bags, and there is a limit of three paper bags or small boxes to shred. And, you can view the shredding through the monitor on the exterior of the truck. Please call or visit your local branch for a list of dates and locations to select an event that is most convenient for you!

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

**1. Shred Event(s).** No purchase necessary. Limit three boxes/bags per person. Wintrust Community Banks assume no liability for shredded items.

## THURSDAY, JUNE 3 Pain Management Techniques

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*North Shore Community Bank & Trust*  
7800 LINCOLN AVE. | SKOKIE, IL

Join us for a morning of self-help to learn five ways to successfully reduce chronic pain. Anne Weinrep, Psy.D.,\* a licensed clinical psychologist with an expertise in chronic pain management, will help us understand broad definitions of pain; identify and learn stress reduction techniques; identify thoughts that act as internal stressors for pain and how to change them; and learn diaphragmatic breathing. This is a 90-minute presentation that will include learning muscle relaxation techniques and an imagery exercise, two key skills in a pain-lowering program.

**TIME: 10 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

\*Anne Weinrep, Psy.D. is not an affiliate of Wintrust.

## TUESDAY, JUNE 15 A Day with Abe Lincoln

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

### *Stefani Prime*

6755 N. CICERO AVE. | LINCOLNWOOD, IL

Join us for an afternoon with Abraham Lincoln himself, as he discusses the history of the U.S., from its establishment in 1776 through the end of the Civil War in 1865. This was a remarkable time of new ideas, tremendous change, and exciting growth in our young country. Kevin Wood,\* a professional Lincoln presenter who bears a remarkable resemblance to "the Great Emancipator," will take us on a journey following one of our nation's most beloved and esteemed historic figures. A delicious, plated lunch will be served before this exciting presentation.

**TIME: 11:45 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS \$50 | NON-MEMBERS \$55  
TRANSPORTATION IS NOT INCLUDED.**

\*Kevin Wood is not an affiliate of Wintrust.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16**

**Protecting Seniors From Scams**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

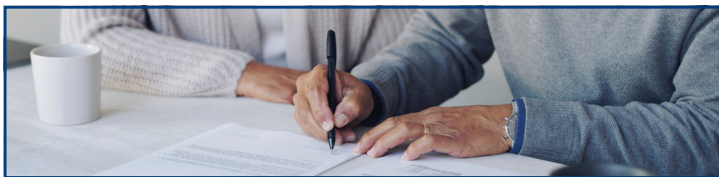
*Virtual event*

Join us for an engaging presentation by the Illinois attorney general's office. Far too often, scam artists prey on individuals to gain their trust and obtain access to their financial accounts resulting in exploitation and fraud. We'll learn about the wide range of scams that specifically target older citizens, as well as how you can protect yourself, friends, and family from scam artists and fraudulent businesses.

*To register for this event, visit [pajune.eventbrite.com](http://pajune.eventbrite.com). Online login information will be emailed to you three hours prior to the event.*

**TIME: 4 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**



**MONDAY, JUNE 21**

**Lasting Retirement Seminar**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*Wintrust Bank - Gladstone Park*

*6336 N. MILWAUKEE AVE. | CHICAGO, IL*

When positioning your portfolio for retirement, there are a number of variables you need to consider, including the risk of the securities you own, the rate at which you withdraw funds, and the length of time you'll need your portfolio to provide for you. Join us for an informational session presented by Wintrust Investments Vice President, Rob Stewart, to learn how to address these risks and prepare your finances for retirement.

**TIME: 11:45 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

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**THURSDAY, JULY 1**

**America the Blenderful**

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*Wildwood Tavern*

*6480 W. TOUHY AVE. | NILES, IL*

Join us for a summer piano concert with our favorite songs by request including Sinatra, Broadway hits, the Beatles, and more classics that you know and love. There will also be a patriotic sing-along with our performer, Andrew Blendermann.\* Patriotic attire is encouraged! Andrew has been performing professionally for more than 20 years. From musical theater, piano bars and a cappella concerts, he's done it all. Come ready to sing and clap along! Please choose lemon chicken, BBQ brisket of beef, grilled salmon, or a homemade veggie burger for lunch.

**TIME: 11:45 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS \$45 | NON-MEMBERS \$50**

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## TUESDAY, JULY 13 AND THURSDAY, JULY 15 Medicare Made Easy

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

Are you getting ready to apply for Medicare and need help deciding what's best for you? Are you unsure about the process? Do you already have Medicare and want to make changes? Diane Adduci of Adduci Insurance Services will give an educational presentation on eligibility; enrollment; the benefits of Medicare Parts A and B; and Medicare supplements. She will help us understand this complicated issue in a 90-minute presentation.

**July 13: Wintrust Bank - Norridge**

4369 N. Harlem Ave. | Norridge

**July 15: Wintrust Bank - Near West**

2 N. Western Ave. | Chicago

**TIME: 10 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**



## WEDNESDAY, JULY 21 Should I Stay or Should I Go?

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*Virtual event*

Join us for an informative discussion presented by Elderwerks, a nonprofit organization that helps families find senior housing and elder care solutions. Elderwerks also assists older adults through the transition from one home to another and finds the services they need to remain in their home. This presentation will cover making a home accessible, planning for a move, and transitioning to a new senior lifestyle.

**To register for this event, visit [pajuly.eventbrite.com](http://pajuly.eventbrite.com). Online login information will be emailed to you three hours prior to the event.**

**TIME: 4 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

## THURSDAY, JULY 22 Ten Greatest Presidential Decisions

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*Levy Senior Center*

300 DODGE AVE. | EVANSTON, IL

A president who advocated for small government is presented with a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. But, to seize the opportunity, he must turn away from his political principles. What will he do? Another man, who became president because of the incumbent's death, is given confidential military information and learns our country possesses the ultimate weapon. Should he use it? Join professor Gary Midkiff\* for an investigation of these and other momentous presidential decisions: some good, some bad, all important.

**TIME: 1:30 PM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE  
TRANSPORTATION IS NOT INCLUDED.**

\*Gary Midkiff is not an affiliate of Wintrust.

## THURSDAY, JULY 29 Chicago Cubs vs. Cincinnati Reds

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

*Wrigley Field*

1060 W. ADDISON ST. | CHICAGO, IL

We're taking you out to the ballgame! Join us as we cheer on our Chicago Cubs as they face the Cincinnati Reds at Wrigley Field. It's always a fun day at the ballpark, and it'll be great to experience the sights and sounds of baseball once again. Lunch will be on your own at one of the food vendors or restaurants located at Wrigley Field. The game starts at 1:20 p.m., and the price includes the game ticket and deluxe motorcoach transportation. Let's go, Cubs!

**CALL FOR PRICING AND DEPARTURE INFORMATION.**  
*Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the venue may change its fan attendance policy for this game.*

LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4**  
**"Kinky Boots"**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

*Paramount Theatre*

23 E. GALENA BLVD. | AURORA, IL

Charlie Price is a factory owner struggling to save his family business. Lola is an entertainer with an exciting idea. Together, this unexpected pair learn to embrace their differences and create a line of sturdy stilettos unlike any the world has ever seen! The winner of six Tony Awards, including best musical, "Kinky Boots" will dazzle you with its glorious costumes, choreography, and songs written by Grammy Award-winning and Tony Award-winning pop icon Cyndi Lauper. We'll enjoy lunch before this matinee performance in the Meyer Ballroom. Lunch will include salad, entree, and dessert.

**COST: MEMBERS \$120 | NON-MEMBERS \$130**

**CALL FOR DEPARTURE INFORMATION.**

*Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, the venue may make a schedule change to this performance.*

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 25**

**Extended Trips Preview**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

*Wintrust Financial Center*

9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL

Join us for a special trip presentation and travel the world with us! You'll hear all about the exciting trips and see slideshows for great destinations we've planned for you, including Branson Blast; New York City Holiday; St. Louis Holiday; Discover Hawaii; Arizona Baseball Getaway; Cherry Blossom Time in Our Nation's Capital; Spotlight on the French Riviera; Switzerland and the Italian Lakes; Jewels of the Rhine River Cruise; and more. You'll want to start packing your bags! Lunch is included.

**TIME: 11:30 AM**

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

*The destinations presented may change based upon availability at time of trip preview.*

LIMITED SEATS  
AVAILABLE



**THURSDAY, AUGUST 26**

**Frida Kahlo Art Exhibit**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

*The Cleve Carney Museum of Art*

425 FAWELL BLVD. | GLEN ELLYN, IL

One of the most recognized artists of the 20th century, Frida Kahlo's unique painting style reflects both her native Mexican culture and her contemporary flair. Enjoy a docent-led tour of the temporary Frida Kahlo exhibit at the College of DuPage, followed by lunch at Reserve 22, set on the beautiful greens of the Village Links Golf Course. After our delicious three-course lunch, we will tour the nearby Willowbrook Wildlife Center, which provides care and medical treatment to injured and orphaned wild animals. For lunch, choose from a chicken taco salad, panko-crusted baked cod, or pasta primavera.

**COST: MEMBERS \$105 | NON-MEMBERS \$115**

**CALL FOR DEPARTURE INFORMATION.**

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23**

**Extended Trips Preview**

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

Join us for this trip presentation, and you just may want to start packing your bags! We will highlight our upcoming trips, including Spotlight on the French Riviera, Discover Hawaii, Cherry Blossom Time in Our Nation's Capital, Summertime Mystery Trip, Jewels of the Rhine River Cruise, and so much more. You never know where your next adventure will take you!

**10 AM | Wintrust Bank - Mont Clare**

3050 N. Harlem Ave. | Chicago

**2 PM | Evanston Community Bank & Trust**

901 Grove St. | Evanston

**COST: MEMBERS & NON-MEMBERS | FREE**

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## EXTENDED TRIPS

Have you always wanted to explore the world but don't know where to begin to plan your travels? We have the solution for you. Let us handle all of the planning. Our extended trips offer you the chance of a lifetime to see the world like you've never seen it before. Extended trips range in length from a few days to a few weeks. Most transportation, lodging, meals, and

entertainment will be provided and have been thoughtfully planned out by our Platinum Adventures directors alongside experienced and highly-qualified travel professionals. All extended trips include at home pick-up and return and trip insurance. Sit back, relax, and join us for this rare opportunity to see the sights you never thought you'd see. If you have any questions, need more information, or would like to make reservations for any of our extended trips, please contact your bank's Platinum Adventures Club director.



**AUGUST 5 - 13**

### Alaska: America's Last Frontier

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

*FAIRBANKS, DENALI, TALKEETNA, AND ANCHORAGE, AK*

Journey through America's last great frontier to discover awe-inspiring beauty and rich cultural heritage. You'll tour Fairbanks and see the Trans-Alaska Pipeline, learn the art of gold panning, and meet mushers and the dogs of the Trail Breaker Kennel. You will travel the scenic Alaska Railroad from Fairbanks to Denali in a domed railcar, head deep into Denali National Park on a full-day tundra wilderness tour, and experience small-town Alaskan life in Talkeetna. Plus, you'll visit the Alaska Native Heritage Center and embark on a glacier cruise of Prince William Sound. Enjoy all these spectacular sights and more as you explore Alaska, the last frontier.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,660 PP | SINGLE \$6,760 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,860 PP | SINGLE \$6,960 PP**



**AUGUST 15 - 19**

### Colorado Springs

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 **ENERGETIC**

*COLORADO SPRINGS AND DENVER, CO*

Experience the magnificence of Colorado Springs. You'll visit the fascinating Garden of the Gods and see its remarkable sandstone formations. Enjoy the spectacular view as we enjoy lunch at the elegant Broadmoor Resort. Be amazed as you travel by train aboard the Historic Royal Gorge Railroad, past the granite cliffs of the Royal Gorge. Visit the Colorado Springs Olympic Training Center, United States Air Force Academy, and Red Rocks Amphitheatre. Tour the "Mile High City" of Denver before returning home.

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,975 PP | SINGLE \$3,500 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,175 PP | SINGLE \$3,700 PP**



## SEPTEMBER 8 - 18

### Portugal and The Douro River Cruise

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

SPAIN AND PORTUGAL

Start your adventure by spending two nights in Lisbon and then set sail through the Portuguese frontier. Visit expansive vineyards and sample some regional wines throughout your trip. See Spain's walled city of Salamanca and the quaint and historic towns of Portugal as you traverse the Douro River. Each port brings you to spectacular and alluring surroundings. Enjoy and relax on the lovely Emerald Radiance river cruise ship with first class service and a variety of international cuisine, onboard entertainment, and more!

**COST: STARTING AT \$5,620 PP BASED ON CABIN PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICING.**

## SEPTEMBER 30 - OCTOBER 11

### British Isles - Castles, Countrysides, and Capitals

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

SCOTLAND, ENGLAND, WALES, AND IRELAND

Discover the history and charms of the British Isles as you visit Scotland, England, Wales, and Ireland. See historic royal castles, the beauty of England's Lake District, and the charm of Ireland's countryside. You'll tour the capital cities of Edinburgh, Cardiff, and Dublin. Learn about the lure of Scotland's famous Gretna Green, known as the "marriage capital of the UK," and explore the Viking city of York. Enjoy a cruise on the tranquil English lake, Windermere; a stop to Stratford-upon-Avon, the birthplace of William Shakespeare; a visit to the House of Waterford Crystal; and experience the Blarney Castle. This will be a magical journey through four magnificent countries!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$4,970 PP | SINGLE \$6,180 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,170 PP | SINGLE \$6,380 PP**

## OCTOBER 18 - 22

### Branson Blast

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

BRANSON, MO

Have a blast in Branson on this fun-filled adventure. Our trip includes four live shows, including "Jesus" at the Sight and Sound Theatre, "Dublin's Irish Tenors and The Celtic Ladies," "Amazing Acrobats of Shanghai," and "Grand Jubilee" at the Grand Country Resort. We'll go on a tour at Dogwood Canyon Nature Park and visit the amazing Titanic Museum. You'll also have time to shop and explore this fun part of the Midwest. If you've never been to Branson, now's the time. Or, if you have, come back and see what's new!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$1,955 PP | SINGLE \$2,485 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,155 PP | SINGLE \$2,685 PP**



## DECEMBER 3 - 6

### New York City Holiday

EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC

NEW YORK CITY, NY

Let's kick off the holidays in the city that never sleeps! We'll start with a city tour where we'll see Broadway, Times Square, the Empire State Building, Central Park, Grand Central Station, and more. You'll marvel at the festive holiday window displays along Fifth Avenue and the magnificent Rockefeller Center Christmas Tree. Enjoy a performance at Radio City Music Hall featuring the famous Rockettes, as well as experience a Broadway show. This adventure is sure to get you in the holiday spirit!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,085 PP | SINGLE \$3,780 PP  
NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,285 PP | SINGLE \$3,980 PP**

Beginning October 1, 2021, all travelers on domestic flights are required to have a REAL ID compliant driver's license or state ID card, or a passport to board a flight. Visit [www.realid.ilsos.gov](http://www.realid.ilsos.gov) for more information.

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## DECEMBER 5 - 8 St. Louis Holiday

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

ST. LOUIS, MO

Celebrate the holiday season in the Gateway to the West! You'll be dazzled by light displays at the Missouri Botanical Gardens and the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows. On a city tour, you'll see the Old Courthouse, the Ulysses S. Grant National Historic Site, Union Station, and more! Take a tram ride to the top of the Arch and enjoy a sample during your guided tour of the Anheuser-Busch Brewery. Check out the unique memorabilia and artifacts at the National Blues Museum as well as the interactive exhibits. You won't want to miss this fun holiday trip!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$1,875 PP | SINGLE \$2,065 PP**  
**NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$2,075 PP | SINGLE \$2,265 PP**



## JANUARY 27 - FEBRUARY 6 | 2022 Discover Hawaii

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

OAHU, BIG ISLAND OF HAWAII, AND MAUI, HI

Your Hawaiian adventure begins in Oahu with a visit to Pearl Harbor and city tour of Honolulu. The next stop is the Big Island of Hawaii, where you'll see crystal clear waters and black sand beaches. You'll make your way past waterfalls and fern tree jungles as you explore the beauty of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park. The last stop on your island-hopping adventure is the "Valley Isle" of Maui. See the stunning Iao Valley and explore the old whaling city of Lahaina. No trip to Hawaii is complete without a luau, a traditional Polynesian feast! You'll also have time to relax and enjoy the Hawaiian sunshine. Aloha!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,475 PP | SINGLE \$7,075 PP**  
**NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$5,675 PP | SINGLE \$7,275 PP**  
*Price is guaranteed for bookings through July 27, 2021.*



## MARCH 6 - 11 | 2022 Arizona Baseball Getaway

EASY ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ENERGETIC

PHOENIX, AZ

Cheer on your favorite hometown team as they prepare for the 2022 baseball season in sunny Arizona! You'll have the opportunity to see a spring training game for either the Chicago Cubs or the Chicago White Sox. Enjoy the beautiful scenery and warm temperatures as you tour the Phoenix area, visit the gorgeous red rock country of Sedona, and relax on a peaceful cruise around Saguaro Lake. You'll also explore music from around the world at the fascinating Musical Instrument Museum. Come along with Platinum Adventures to escape the cold weather!

**COST: MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,400 PP | SINGLE \$4,095 PP**  
**NON-MEMBERS DOUBLE \$3,600 PP | SINGLE \$4,295 PP**

## 2022 EXTENDED TRIPS Here's a sneak peek at what's ahead!

APRIL | Cherry Blossom Time in Our Nation's Capital

MAY | Spotlight on the French Riviera

JUNE | Switzerland and the Italian Lakes

JULY | Summertime Mystery Trip

AUGUST | Mount Rushmore, Deadwood, and the Badlands

SEPTEMBER | Jewels of the Rhine River Cruise

OCTOBER | Northern California: San Francisco, Wine Country, Carmel by the Sea, Giant Redwoods

DECEMBER | New England Winter Wonderland



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The bus cannot wait for late participants. Please arrive at your departure site 15 minutes prior to departure time. Refunds are not available for late or no-show participants.

**Depart Wilmette:**

The Church of Jesus Christ of  
Latter-day Saints  
2727 Lake Ave.  
Wilmette, IL 60091

**Depart Norridge:**

Longhorn Steakhouse  
7070 W. Forest Preserve Dr.  
Norridge, IL 60706

**Depart Chicago:**

Wintrust Bank - Old Town  
100 W. North Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60610

\*Parking at The Constellation condominiums  
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**Depart Ravenswood:**

Wintrust Bank - Ravenswood  
2300 W. Lawrence Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60625

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Reservations may be made by phone to Ellie Bartlett Terry at 773-883-4144 or by email at [ebartlett@wintrust.com](mailto:ebartlett@wintrust.com). For your reservation to be confirmed, payment must be in my office within seven days after reservations are made: Ellie Bartlett Terry, North Shore Community Bank & Trust, 576 Lincoln Ave., Winnetka, IL 60093. Please make checks payable to Platinum Adventures. Please remember to make your menu selections when you reserve your tour. Member pricing is for current Platinum Adventures Club members only.

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