

APRIL 8 - 11, 2027

## Itinerary

### Day 1 - Thursday, April 8, 2027

Arrive in the Washington, DC, area and stretch your legs with time to explore and enjoy lunch on own at the Smithsonian Institute's museum of your choice. A delicious Welcome Dinner is included this evening before checking in to your hotel.

### Day 2 - Friday, April 9, 2027

Enjoy breakfast at your hotel each morning. Meet your Guide & venture to the United States Capitol, the most recognizable building & symbol of democracy in the world. Later, tour the impressive Library of Congress, home to over a million historical books, before enjoying lunch on own at the Capitol Café. Visit Arlington National Cemetery, America's most sacred square mile. Stop to see the Air Force Memorial on your way to dinner this evening. Embark on an Illuminated Monument Tour to see the grand stone, marble, and bronze structures of the Nation's Capital beautifully lit with soft glowing lights. Experience iconic landmarks such as the Vietnam War Veterans, Lincoln, & Korean War Veterans Memorials. Stop at the Kennedy Center of the Performing Arts for a spectacular view of the city from the rooftop terrace.

### Day 3 - Saturday, April 10, 2027 - Cherry Blossom Festival Day!

This morning, witness the spectacular Cherry Blossom Parade from your MARS-exclusive Premium View Seats located next to the National Archives and across from the TV cameras for this nationally broadcast event. After the parade, enjoy free time and lunch on your own while strolling along The Wharf, one of DC's hottest hangouts with loads of shopping and restaurants lining the boardwalk. After the parade, board the MARS Exclusive "Pink Champagne" Dance & Luncheon Cruise. Enjoy beautiful views of the Tidal Basin from the glass-enclosed Bateaux and the outside decks while enjoying great music, delicious dining, and festive games & prizes.

### Day 4 - Sunday, April 11, 2027

Step back in history with free time at one of the Smithsonian Institute's museums along the National Mall, exploring the halls of some of the world's rarest collections of artifacts. Enjoy lunch on your own upon arrival and then spend the afternoon taking a deep dive into the history and culture of our Nation & the Peoples who helped shape it to become the global leader we are today. Depart for home with a photo album you'll treasure forever!

~ A MARS Signature Tour ~

The Classic Cherry Blossom Festival

The 2027 "Pink Classic Package" features VIP seating for the National Cherry Blossom Festival Parade®, the annual, MARS-exclusive "Pink Champagne Cruise" onboard The Odyssey glass-enclosed Bateaux, commemorative keepsakes, festive events, & expert DC Tour Guide services.

Experience Washington, DC at its peak during the official festival - when the city comes alive with iconic events, vibrant energy, and is adorned with breathtaking pink blossoms.

## Highlights

- Smithsonian Institute Museums
- Guided Pink Memorial Stroll
- United States Capitol
- Library of Congress
- Arlington National Cemetery
- Illuminated Monument & Memorial Tour
- Cherry Blossom Parade VIP Seating
- The Wharf
- "Pink Champagne" Cruise onboard the Odyssey Bateaux
- The People's House: A White House Experience

## Inclusions

- 3 nights' hotel accommodations
- 3 Breakfasts, 3 Dinners
- VIP Premium Parade Seating
- 2026 Commemorative Festival Pin
- Admissions and Guide Services
- Taxes & Hotel Fees

