



Michigan Lighthouse Tour

6 Day/ 5 Night Group Tour

There is no better way to experience **Michigan's maritime history** than by taking a **lighthouse tour**. This tour will offer a unique glimpse into the importance of these beacons to past and present mariners.

Along the way, you'll visit some lovely Michigan towns, such as **Traverse City, Mackinaw City and Sault Ste. Marie** and see beautiful vistas, Lighthouses and more. You will cross the Straits of Mackinaw on the "**Mighty Mackinac**" **Bridge**. **The Great Lakes Shipwreck Museum** is a world class attraction and the only one of its kind dedicated to the perils and heroism of maritime transport on the Great Lakes.



- Local **Step on guide** for an **historic tour of Traverse City & Old Mission Peninsula** to view **Old Mission Lighthouse**, now a private residence, it is located on State Park land at the 45th parallel, halfway between the equator and the north pole.
- **Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore** featuring over 35 miles of Lake Michigan shoreline, sand dunes, wildlife and forests. **Philip A. Hart Visitor Center** offers exhibits on maritime and natural history of the area. **Pierce Stocking Scenic Drive** offering stunning vistas of the lake, dunes and forests
- In **Glen Arbor**, visit the **Cherry Republic**, the world's largest cherry retailer with over 130 Gourmet Cherry Products
- In **Leland and or Fishtown**, enjoy lunch and shopping on own
- **Leelanau Peninsula** offers the **Grand Traverse Lighthouse**
- Along the way to your **hotel in Mackinaw City**, stop in Petoskey & Charlevoix to view lighthouses
- **Step on guide** for a full day of touring Lake Huron lighthouses, including the **Cheboygan Crib Light, the Cheboygan River Front and Back Range Lights, and Poe Reef Lighthouse** offshore, **Forty Mile Point Lighthouse**, and step into the **Pilot House** of the freighter "**Calcite**". Along the coastline to the **Old and New Presque Isle Lighthouses**, tour the historic **Keepers Houses** and climb the Towers of these magnificent structures.
- **Upper Peninsula and Tahquamenon State Park** - see both the **Lower and Upper Tahquamenon Falls**, the second biggest falls east of the Mississippi. Stand on one of several observation decks to see the tannin colored water cascading in the river. There's a nice brewery and pub here where you can stop for lunch and a gift shop offer unique northern items.
- **Soo Locks Boat Tour** - experience locking through the Soo Locks, right along side the big ships. See the beautiful historic waterfronts of Michigan and Canada in Sault Ste. Marie. Enjoy lunch and shopping on your own in town.
- Your **step on guide** will take you along the scenic shoreline drive to Brimley to view



the Point Iroquois Lighthouse

- In **Paradise**, tour the **Great Lakes Shipwreck Museum** and **Lighthouse at Whitefish Point**. A world class museum and the only one of its kind dedicated to the perils and heroism of maritime transport on the Great Lakes. **The Shipwreck Museum** and historic buildings on site are fittingly co-located with the oldest active Light Station on Lake Superior.

Package price starting from \$499.00 per person based on double occupancy

***prices may vary according to selected dates of travel, hotel, meal choices and final itinerary
Transportation to and from your departure city is extra and can be included.*

