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Duration: 2h · Type: Classic

Accompanied by your guides, set off to discover the majestic Mainz Cathedral(1), one of the most important religious buildings in Germany. Founded in 975, this millennium-old cathedral dominates the historic heart of the city and stands as a remarkable testament to the spiritual and political role Mainz has played over the centuries. You will admire its impressive architecture, blending Romanesque, Gothic, and Baroque influences, as well as the many treasures it houses. This iconic monument, which has witnessed the passage of emperors, archbishops, and major figures of German history, remains today one of the most prestigious symbols of the Rhine Valley. During the visit, you will discover the various stages of its construction and the successive transformations that have given it its unique character. Its imposing nave, richly decorated chapels, and atmosphere of serenity make it an essential site for understanding the history and heritage of Mainz.

PLEASE NOTE

(1) Subject to religious services or special celebrations.

- Good walking shoes are recommended: the tour is on foot and the streets in the old town are cobblestoned.
- The ship will continue sailing during the excursion.
- The order of the visits can change.
- Times are approximate.