

# Discover the Best of IRELAND

March 9 – 20, 2026

## Highlights Include:

*St. Patrick's Day in Killarney  
The Emerald Isle's historic sights,  
charming villages & stunning  
natural beauty*



Experience the best of Ireland's charm, history, and natural beauty, culminating in the unforgettable **St. Patrick's Day** festivities in **Killarney**. From **Dublin's** iconic sites to **Cork's** castles and **Galway's** coastal allure, this journey lets you celebrate Ireland's national holiday among lively **parades**, traditional **music**, and a **sea of green** in one of its most welcoming towns. Join your Daniel's Tour Guide at our Tour Depot in Lula, GA and transfer to the Atlanta Airport for our flight to Dublin to discover the best of **Ireland!** Learn about **Dublin's** rich history from the days of **Viking** raids, to the hard centuries of British occupation, to the proud and progressive city of today. Visit **Trinity College** for an illuminating look at the remarkable **Book of Kells**, a creative jolt that helped pull Europe out of the Dark Ages. No visit to Dublin would be complete without a visit to the **Guinness Brewery** founded in 1759 by Arthur Guinness. Tour the **Rock of Cashel**, one of the most important **medieval structures** in all of Ireland. Visit **Kilkenny**, famed for its charming medieval atmosphere laid out in its maze of narrow Norman alleyways, old abbeys, and crumbling city walls. Tour **Blarney Castle** where you'll kiss the world-famous **Blarney Stone** to gain the gift of eloquence and enjoy the expansive castle gardens displaying all type of magical **flora** and **fauna**. Sample **Jameson Irish Whiskey** at the old distillery. Tour **Cork City** and the picturesque coastal **village of Kinsale**. Enjoy a tour of the harbor town and then visit nearby **17th Charles Fort** overlooking the coast. Enjoy free time to enjoy the sights and sounds of **Cork** where you can spend time shopping, walking the buzzing streets, and seeing other cultural sights. **Killarney** comes alive to **celebrate St. Patrick's Day!** Get decked out in **green** because we spend **3 nights** in the heart of the city! Enjoy a lively **parade** full of **colorful floats**, **Irish dancers**, and **traditional music**. Take a traditional **horse-drawn Irish jaunting car** through the stunning **Killarney National Park** on your way to **Muckross House**, a grand **Victorian mansion** situated on a beautiful lake surrounded by mountain scenery. A tour highlight is an evening of world-class **traditional Irish folk music at a local pub**. Spend a full day exploring the unspoiled beauty of the **Ring of Kerry**. Known locally as '**The Kingdom**', Kerry is the crown jewel of Ireland's scenic locations with endless **panoramic landscapes** and **picturesque villages** to experience. Head north through **County Clare** to the dramatic **Cliffs of Moher**, Ireland's most visited natural attraction. Standing over 700 ft at their highest point, Moher stretches for five miles along the **Atlantic coast on the edge of Europe**. Drive to the city of **Galway** for a walking tour of the historic city with its **cobble-stoned streets** and **medieval layout**. Drive through the rugged terrain of **Connemara** as we make our way to the iconic **Kylemore Abbey**, a haven of history, beauty and serenity currently home to a **Benedictine order of Nuns** still to this day. This "Best of Ireland Tour" is spectacular! Sign up early – limited seating.

**FLY-OUT TOUR / PASSPORT REQUIRED**

**Includes: 10 nights premium accommodations (5 hotels – 2 nts Dublin, 1 nt Clonmel, 2 nts Cork, 3 nts Kilarney, 2 nts Galway), listed attractions, local step-on Guides, 18 Meals (10 breakfast, 8 dinners), private roundtrip luxury motorcoach, Economy airline flights, airport & hotel transfers.**

**COST PER PERSON: \$6995 Double Occupancy**

\$1,000 Deposit Due with Reservation

Reservation Deadline & Final Payment Due 11/10/2025

**Daniel's Discovery Tours**

Reservations: 678-864-0073

Mail Payments To: P.O. Box 1269, Clayton, GA 30525

Tour Departures: 4336 Cornelia Hwy., Lula, GA 30554

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**March 9: Flyout Day** – Meet your Daniel's Guide at the Daniel's Depot & transfer to Atlanta for Dublin flight.

**March 10: Arrive Dublin – Coastal Drive – City Tour – Guinness Brewery**

Following arrival at Dublin Airport we will be met by your Driver/Guide and escorted to our awaiting motorcoach. On departing the airport we will travel to the picturesque town of Malahide and continue the coast road to Portmarnock, home to the world class Portmarnock Golf Club. Continuing the coast road we will wind our way around the Hill of Howth with stunning views over Dublin Bay before arriving to the fishing village of Howth. From here we travel along the north side of Dublin bay to Dublin City where we will enjoy a panorama tour of Ireland's capital on the bank of the river Liffey. We will see the Georgian Squares with their 18th Century houses, St. Patrick's Cathedral, the Phoenix Park (biggest town park in Europe), statue filled O'Connell Street and the fashionable Grafton Street. No visit to Dublin would be complete without a visit to the Guinness Brewery founded in 1759 by Arthur Guinness. Here we will enjoy a self-guided tour and a pint of Guinness in the 360-degree roof top bar while enjoying some spectacular views of Dublin City. This afternoon we will check into the Camden Court Hotel for a two night stay. Overnight: The Camden Court Hotel. (D)

**March 11: Dublin City Tour – Christ Church Cathedral – Book of Kells**

This morning we will enjoy a tour of Dublin City. We will visit Christ Church Cathedral, founded in the 11th century by the Viking King Sitric. This working Anglican Cathedral is an architectural masterpiece with a magnificent Nave, vaulted ceilings and medieval tiled floor. Following some free time for lunch we will visit Trinity College to view The Book of Kells, a 9th century Latin manuscript of the four Gospels written on vellum (prepared calfskin) and is one of Ireland's greatest cultural treasures and the world's most famous medieval manuscript. We will also visit the Long Room which houses 200,000 of Trinity College's oldest books and considered to be one of the world's most beautiful libraries. The remainder of the afternoon is free explore Dublin on our own. Overnight: Overnight: The Camden Court Hotel. (B&D)

**March 12: Kilkenny – Rock of Cashel – Clonmel**

This morning we bid farewell to Dublin and travel south to Kilkenny City, a charming medieval city on the banks of the River Nore. Here we will have some free time to wander through the charming old, cobbled stone streets of this medieval city, experience the history and appreciate the blend of past and present with modern day shops housed in century old buildings. You may also wish to visit Kilkenny Castle. This 12th century castle was remodeled in Victorian times and set in extensive parklands. The central block now includes a library, drawing room, and bedrooms decorated in 1830's splendor as well as the beautiful Long Gallery. From here we continue to Cashel where we will take a guided tour of the amazing Rock of Cashel. This was the seat of the Kings of Munster from 370 – 1101 and has early associations with St. Patrick. The group of medieval buildings includes a 12th century Round Tower, a 13th century Gothic Cathedral, a 15th century High Cross and Romanesque Chapel. From here we continue to Clonmel in County Tipperary and check into the Minella Hotel overlooking the River Suir for an overnight night stay. Overnight: Hotel Minella. (B&D)

**March 13: Blarney Castle – Jameson Distillery – Cork**

This morning we depart Clonmel and travel to Blarney Castle and Gardens. The castle was built in 1446 and today we will have an opportunity to climb the spiral stairs to the top of the castle and kiss the famous Blarney Stone said to bestow the gift of eloquence on all those who dare. As we make our way through the castle grounds, we can also visit the Castle Gardens and Rock Close or visit the Blarney Woollen Mills. From here we travel to Middleton where we will visit The Old Jameson Distillery for a guided tour. Here we will learn the history of whiskey making in Ireland and enjoy a glass of Jameson before departing. Next, we head to Cork City on the banks of the river Lee where we will check into our centrally located Metropole Hotel for a two night stay. Overnight: The Metropole Hotel. Cork City. (B&D)

**March 14: Kinsale – Charles Fort – Cork City**

This morning we will travel to Kinsale, a historic fishing town on the southern coastline of County Cork made up of cobble stone streets, boutique shops, and lively pubs. It is also renowned for its excellent restaurants and is known as the gourmet capital of Ireland. We will visit Charles Fort, one of the finest examples of a 17th century fortification left in Ireland. Charles Fort, situated on the approach to Kinsale Harbour, is steeped in history from the 17th century right up to and including the War of Independence. We will have a guided tour of the Fort while enjoying the spectacular view of Kinsale harbour. This will be followed by some free time in Kinsale to browse through some of the town's many craft shops, take a walk along the harbor and observe marina activity or enjoy some lunch in one of the town's many pubs and cafes. We will then return to Cork City where we will have the option of taking a walking tour in the heart of Cork City Centre. The markets' origins can be traced as far back as 1610. Overnight: The Metropole Hotel. Cork City. (B)

**March 15: Cork - Killarney National Park - Killarney**

This morning we depart for Killarney, the biggest town of Kerry. We will board a traditional Irish Jaunting Car (horse drawn carriage) through the Killarney National Park. Our journey winds its way through some of the oldest oak forests in Ireland and by the famous

Lakes of Killarney to Muckross House and Gardens. Here we will have a guided tour of this Victorian mansion built in 1843 and is one of Ireland's leading stately homes. Overnight: The Killarney Plaza Hotel. (B&D)

### **March 16: The Ring of Kerry**

Today, we embark on one of Ireland's most famous tours – The Ring of Kerry. Our first stop this morning will be the Kerry Bog Village where we can visit little thatched cottages and see how people would have lived in Ireland many years ago. Our tour continues through the wild and rugged landscape of the Iveragh Peninsula which has some breathtaking views of the Atlantic coastline. We will pass through the towns of Killorglin, Glenbeigh, Cahirsiveen and Waterville to Sneem. Our tour then winds its way through the mountains taking in some fine views of the Lakes of Killarney and the Ladies View before returning to your hotel. This evening we will have some free to enjoy Killarney at our leisure. Overnight: The Killarney Plaza Hotel. (B&D)



### **March 17: St. Patrick's Day!**

Killarney comes alive on St. Patrick's Day with a lively parade full of colorful floats, Irish dancers, and traditional music. Join the crowd to soak up the festive atmosphere, where everyone's decked out in green and celebrating together. After the parade, pop into a local pub to enjoy live music, a pint of Guinness, and some hearty Irish food. The celebration spills into the streets, with street performers and a buzzing atmosphere all around. End the day with a stroll by Killarney National Park to enjoy a quieter moment after the festivities. Overnight: The Killarney Plaza Hotel. (B)

### **March 18: Cliffs of Moher – Galway City**

This morning, we travel the coast road to the majestic Cliffs of Moher which rises to a height of 600 ft over the Atlantic Ocean. Following some free time to view the cliffs, our tour winds its way through the lunar type landscape of the Burren, from the Irish word 'bhoireann' meaning, 'a stony place' or 'a rocky place', which is a good description for this 350 sq. kilometers limestone plateau in North Clare. We will continue along the shores of Galway Bay to Galway City where we will check into the centrally located Galmont Hotel for a two night stay. Overnight: The Galmont Hotel. Galway. (B&D)

### **March 19: Connemara – Kylemore Abbey – Galway Walking Tour**

This morning we embark on a tour of Connemara. Connemara is made up of mountains, lakelands and boglands. Because of its wild and rugged beauty, it has been the location for many films. "The Quiet Man" with John Wayne and Maureen O Hara and in more recent times "The Field" starring Richard Harris to name but two. We will visit Kylemore Abbey, built 1866 and from 1920 to 2008 was home to the Benedictine Nuns. We can visit Abbey's Victorian Walled Garden which is completely enclosed by a brick and limestone wall and the beautiful Gothic Church built by Mitchell Henry in memory of his wife who died four years after the castle was constructed. On returning to Galway City we will be joined by local tour guide Brian Nolan and enjoy his famous walking tour as he takes us through the charming old cobbled stone streets of the city recounting tales of war and conquest, joy and tragedy, emigration and slavery, success and folly. Overnight: The Galmont Hotel. Galway. (B&D)

### **March 20: Depart Shannon Airport**

This morning we travel to Shannon Airport for our flight home with fond memories and newly acquired accents and many stories to relate to friends and family. Beannacht De agus go N'eiri on bothair Libh. (B)

**EXPECT AN ACTIVE LEVEL OF PARTICIPATION THROUGHOUT THIS TOUR. FLY/DRIVE TOURS REQUIRE PARTICIPANTS TO NAVIGATE LARGE AIRPORTS WHERE WALKING MAY BE EXTENSIVE BETWEEN AIRPORT GATES, YOU WILL CHECK-IN YOUR OWN LUGGAGE, AND FLIGHT SCHEDULES MAY REQUIRE EARLY/LATE DEPARTURES / ARRIVALS. GROUP AIR IS ECONOMY SEATING, IS NOT UPGRADEABLE & AIRLINES CONTROL ALL SEAT ASSIGNMENTS. CONTACT US IF YOU PREFER TO JOIN THIS TOUR AT THE GATEWAY HOTEL AND SECURE YOUR OWN AIR AND AIRPORT TRANSFERS.**





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REGISTRATION FORM
COUPLES USE ONE FORM

To Avoid Airline Ticket Change Fees, provide name(s) exactly as it appears on your Passport

Traveler #1 Passport # Issue Date Expiration Date DOB
Name for your nametag:

Traveler #2 Passport # Issue Date Expiration Date DOB
Name for your nametag:

Traveler #1 Address City State Zip
Cell Phone # Email
Is Traveler #2 address the same? yes no (if no, Traveler #2 provide a separate Registration Form)

Emergency Contact Relationship Phone#

For those traveling with a Non-spouse Roommate, list the name of your Roommate Below:
I will be rooming with:

COST PER PERSON: \$6995 Double Occupancy / \$8,295 Single Occupancy

\$1,000 Deposit per person due with Reservation; Final payment due 11/10/2025

CANCELLATION POLICY: Deposit non-refundable after 7/15/25. No Refunds after Final Payment Due Date of 11/10/25.
Optional Trip Cancellation Insurance is available.

Yes, Contact me with a Quote for Trip Cancellation Insurance.
Trip Cancellation Insurance is Due at the time of Deposit and is Non-Refundable.

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