



Fulwood Methodist Church

Trip to York 2019



Residential Trip to York – The Mercure Fairfield Manor Hotel – Sunday 24th November 2019 – 3 nights / 4 days

This is a three night / 4 day trip to York staying at The Mercure Fairfield Manor Hotel. This is a good hotel just a few miles out of York. Ken and Janet stayed at the hotel last December to test it out and were entirely satisfied. For more information about the hotel please see the website link below:-

<https://www.mercureyork.co.uk/>

It is on a bus route and just a few minutes walk from a Park and Ride. We shall have the coach available at all times and we will use it to ferry people into and out of York.

We have provisionally reserved some rooms based on a half board (dinner, bed and breakfast) basis.

Cost per person sharing a room will be £330 including gratuities. Admission on excursions and to venues in York will be additional.

Single rooms are available at a supplement. The first six are provided free of charge and there are a further eight available at a total cost of £99 per person. We will share the cost out among those wanting a single room - so the supplement will be between £0 and £60 per person.

Travel plans are as follows:

Sunday 24th November 2019

Depart Fulwood Methodist Church at 1.00pm. Arrive at the hotel at approximately 4.00pm. Dinner at 6.00pm and an evening of relaxation

Monday 25th November 2019

Full day in York to pursue your own interests. A guide to activities and sights in York will be supplied nearer the time. There is much to do and see. There are many fine restaurants and cafes.

Evening of relaxation (or Ken may try to obtain the services of a speaker to visit the hotel to offer a talk on York, perhaps)

Tuesday 26th November 2019

Morning visit to Castle Howard. Their Christmas season will be in full swing and there will be much to see and do both indoors and out.

<https://www.castlehoward.co.uk/>

Return to hotel late afternoon for dinner.

Optional evening visit into York to see their splendid Christmas lights.

Wednesday 27th November 2019

Depart the hotel around 10.00am and return to Preston via Harrogate. Stop and stay in Harrogate - information will be given nearer the time.

Arrive back into Preston around 6.00pm

Please Note:-

1. Monday and Tuesday programme could be interchangeable to fit into local weather forecast
2. At this stage Ken has been unable to identify any theatre events which are likely to be of interest. Ken will continue to look out for what is available. We might want to consider a cinema visit one evening.
3. We need a minimum of 20 people for this visit to be viable - at present we have around 18 interested people so please speak with your friends.
4. Full payment will be needed by around 20th September 2019. No deposit is required. However, we would advise you to seek external insurance to cover illness etc since we will not be providing insurance on this occasion and we are unable to offer refunds.