

DUTCH ORGAN TOUR: East of the Netherlands April 8th to April 13th 2019

Join this magnificent organ tour to several beautiful historical organs in the East part of Holland (province of Overijssel). The organs will be demonstrated by several professional organists and tour participants will have an opportunity to play if they wish. The price includes 5 nights with breakfast in a 4* hotel, three dinners and all transport during the tour with three comfortable coaches.

Itinerary in a nutshell:



Deventer



Vollenhove



Zwolle Broerenkerk

Monday 8: After arrival at Schiphol airport, the coaches will take us to our hotel in Zwolle where we will enjoy a 3 course dinner after check-in.

Tuesday 9: After breakfast we leave for the town of Apeldoorn where we find the Grote kerk with a fine organ from the Bätz/Witte firm, build in 1896 after rebuilding of the church. Then we drive to the town of Deventer with an 1868 organ from Ibach in the Broederkerk, recently restored by van Vulpen. We end the day in Deventer with a visit to the Holtgrave organ from 1839 in the Lebuïnuskerk. The restoration of this beautiful organ was finished by Reil in 2018.

Wednesday 10: today we will visit the city of Kampen. Here we go to the Buitenkerk, a less known but very fine church with a similar organ, build by Hinsz in 1754. After Kampen we go to Vollenhove where we visit the fantastic Bosch/van Loo organ. For the last organ we return to Zwolle, to the Broerenkerk. This church is a bookshop nowadays, with a nice restaurant in the Choir. After the dinner here we visit the fine Scheuer organ from 1824, still present in the church.

Thursday 11: This day we spend the day completely in Zwolle. In the morning we visit another organ in a former church, nowadays a Japanese restaurant. The organ is still there and built in 1826 by Quellhorst. After this we go to the O.L.V. kerk in the City Center to see, hear and play the romantic Maarschalkerweerd organ from 1896. In the evening follows the visit to the famous Schnitger organ from 1721 in the Grote kerk.

Friday 12: This final day we visit the eastern parts of Holland. Today three organs from German organbuilders, first in Almelo, where we find an organ from Heilmann in the Mennonite Church, and then to the beautiful village of Ootmarsum. In the Protestant church an organ from Berner from 1787 and in the Roman Catholic church an organ from Eppman from 1814. All these instruments are real treasures, although built by less wellknown builders.

Saturday 13: After breakfast, we pay a final visit to the 1827 organ of Bätz in the Church of Harderwijk for the farewell recital.

After this recital the coaches will take us to Amsterdam Schiphol airport or train station for the journey home ending a stimulating week in which we will have seen, heard and played some of the most beautiful and famous organs this region has to offer.

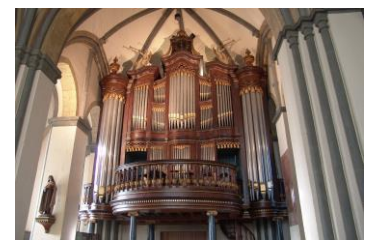
Tour members will be required to make their own way to Holland, where they will be met at and returned to Schiphol airport, or travel arrangements will be made in due time. All the travelling during the tour will be carried out by coach and is included in the overall price.



Zwolle Grote Kerk



Zwolle O.L.V. Kerk



Ootmarsum R.C. Kerk

Included In the price are:

- 5 nights B&B in a 4* hotel (with 2 sharing a twin room).
- Dinner on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening.
- Transport within Holland during the tour.
- Visits to all the organs, demonstrations and recitals etc.
- Illustrated booklet of all the churches and organs visited.

Maximum number of participants: 24 with a maximum of 10 players for sufficient playing time!

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Not Included:

- Travel to and from Amsterdam Schiphol airport or ferry port. (if necessary travel arrangements will be made individually)
- Meals, other than breakfasts (except dinner on Monday, Wednesday and Friday).
- Travel and cancellation insurance etc.
- All personal expenses etc.

Price: EUR: € 835,00 Single room supplement EUR € 125,00

The itinerary is correct at time of publication and every effort will be made to keep to the schedule, but the organisers reserve the right to change the itinerary should circumstances dictate.