

AUSTRIA'S DANUBE TREASURES

VIENNA TO PASSAU – 5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS



WEISSENKIRCHEN

Let Riverside introduce you to the remarkable world along the Austrian Danube! Embark in the Baroque City of Music, Vienna, the Austrian capital made famous by its music, architecture, art, and powerful imperial rulers. Then, pass through the real-life fairytale scenery of the spell-binding Wachau Valley. Visit popular Dürnstein with its distinctive blue and white abbey and imposing clifftop castle ruin; romantic Weissenkirchen, part of the largest wine-growing community in the Wachau; and Linz, an inviting European Capital of Culture. Disembark in Passau, the City of Three Rivers and one of Germany's busiest manufacturing centers of bladed weapons during the Renaissance!

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Day 1 – Vienna	Day 4 – Mauthausen/ Linz
Day 2 – Vienna	
Day 3 – Dürnstein/ Weissen- kirchen/ Wachau Valley	Day 5 – Passau



DATES IN 2027

6 Jun, 20 Jun, 4 Jul, 18 Jul, 9 Aug, 23 Aug



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Further enhance your cruise with unforgettable experiences—like a VIP, after-hours entrance to breathtaking Belvedere Palace. Bask in the ornate Baroque atmosphere as you are treated to a private musical performance and the opportunity for a crowd-free viewing of Klimt's masterful "The Kiss".

DAY 1 – VIENNA

Welcome to Vienna, Austria's exquisite capital on the eastern edge of the Vienna Woods. Docked on the beautiful blue Danube, the Riverside Mozart awaits your arrival, so embark and let your personal Butler help you settle into your luxurious Suite. Tonight, meet fellow cruisemates during your first gourmet dinner on board.

DAY 2 – VIENNA

The magic of Vienna unfolds before your very eyes today. A RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions offers a tour through Schönbrunn Palace, the Habsburg rulers' opulent summer getaway; or the chance to admire some of the city's most famous monuments and museums lining the historic Ringstrasse. You can find a list of available excursions for your cruise on our website. Tonight, don't miss our RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE after-hours entrance into Belvedere Palace for a private orchestral performance and crowd-free viewing of Klimt's masterful "The Kiss".

DAY 3 – DÜRNSTEIN / WEISSENKIRCHEN / WACHAU VALLEY SCENIC CRUISING

Step off the ship in Dürnstein, the "Pearl of the Wachau". This is where England's King Richard the Lionheart was imprisoned on his way home from the Crusades—and you can hike up to his castle prison for incredible views over the river. Other possibilities include a wine experience to learn what creates the valley's popular wines, or an active approach to sightseeing by e-bike. Re-board your ship for lunch, then dock in Weissenkirchen to hike or explore the town that was at one time considered the center of the Wachau Valley. Return to the ship in time for dinner, which is a special treat! As you pass through the castle-lined scenery of the Wachau, savor a splendid al fresco barbecue up on the Vista Deck.



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ST. FLORIAN MONASTERY, LINZ

DAY 4 – MAUTHAUSEN / LINZ

Early arrival in the market town of Mauthausen. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, visit the Baroque jewel of St. Florian Monastery, or maybe venture farther afield to Mozart's Salzburg or medieval Český Krumlov in the Czech Republic. After lunch on board, disembark in Linz for a guided city walk and visit to the impressive cathedral, or an invigorating hike up the 1,768-foot (539-meter) Pöstlingberg hill overlooking the city. Tonight, a final gourmet dinner on board celebrates your exciting journey along the Austrian Danube.

DAY 5 – PASSAU

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see our website.

This cruise has extensions available, see our website for details.