

KOPSC CHRISTMAS MARKETS CRUISE

November 27 – December 6, 2027



Christmastime in the Heart of Germany with 2 Nights in Prague

In Frankfurt, board your Avalon Suite Ship[®], (**Avalon Expression**) festively decorated and beautifully dressed up in Christmas color, and embark on this Christmastime river cruise through the heart of Germany. Your European river cruise takes you behind medieval walls and towered gates to enjoy a guided walking

tour in a picturesque village along the Main River. Celebrate the season in charming Würzburg, known as the “Pearl of the Romantic Road,” and surrounded by sloping vineyards-covered hills. Visit the ornate Bishop’s Residence—home to the largest ceiling fresco ever painted, then stroll through the Christmas markets while you sip Glühwein (hot mulled wine). Continue your Christmastime river cruise to Bamberg, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, where the many nativity scenes exhibited throughout the town are sure to delight. Take a guided tour of Nuremberg with free time to visit the Christmas market—one of the most famous in the world. Wander through Old Town illuminated with holiday lights and decorations, and be sure to sample some traditional lebkuchen (spicy gingerbread), a Nuremberg specialty. While on board, you’ll also hear all about German Christmas traditions.

Disembark your ship and travel to Prague, Czech Republic—a 1,200-year-old city preserved in time. Stand in front of the medieval Astronomical Clock and browse the Christmas markets where rows of brightly decorated wooden huts sell Christmas tree ornaments, wooden toys, and Czech handicrafts. And you can’t miss the beautifully decorated tree in Old Town! Historical treasures of Germany and magnificent Prague are perfectly paired with the sights, sounds, and scrumptious tastes of the joyous holiday season on this unforgettable European river cruise.



Nov. 28

1 Night Precruise – Arrive and Enjoy Frankfurt, Additional

November 29 – Dec 6

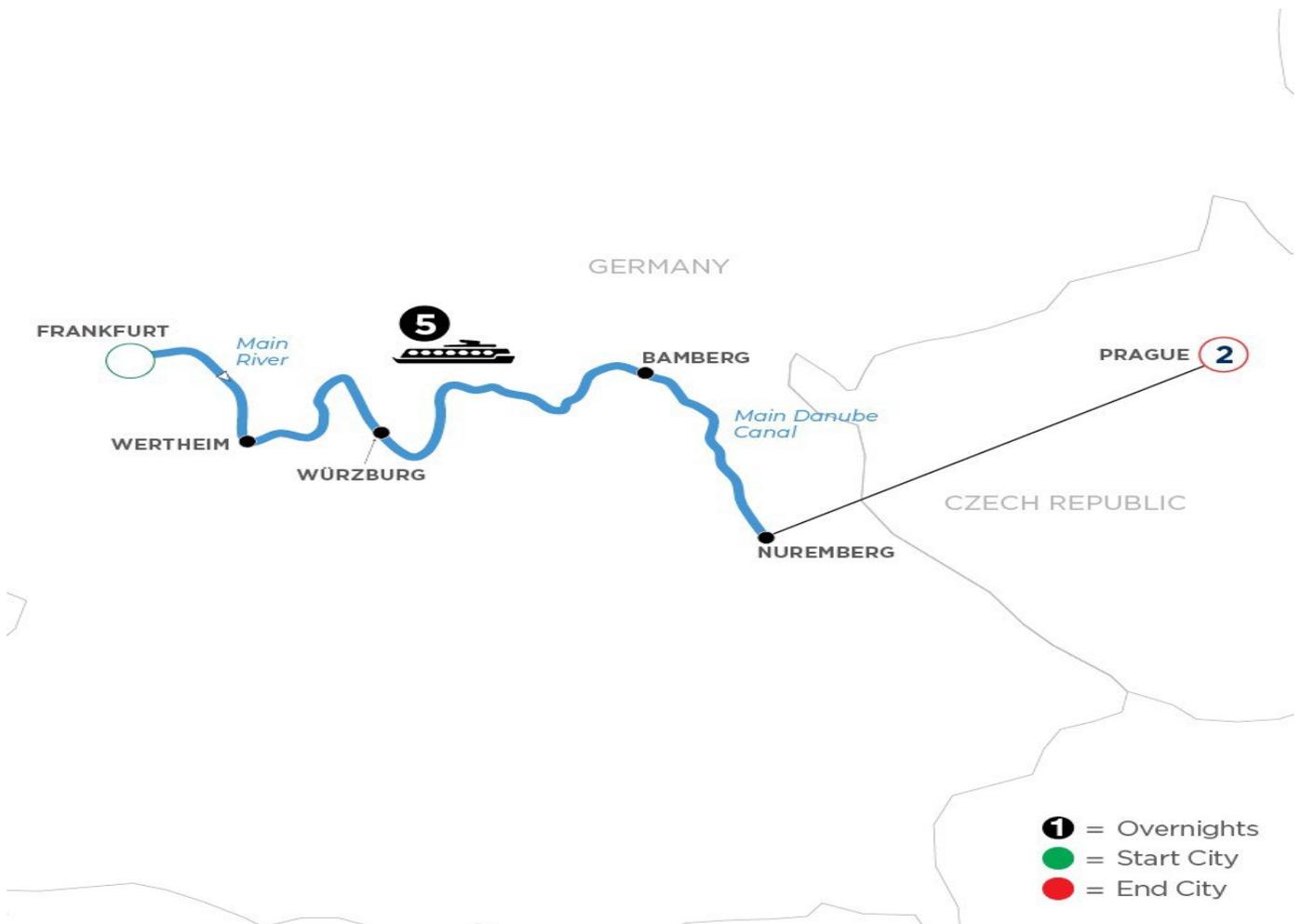
5 Night Cruise the Main River from Frankfurt – Prague on the Avalon Expression

December 4-6

2 Nights in Prague – INCLUDED

December 6

Fly Home



Includes prepaid gratuities; mimosas at breakfast; beer & wine with dinner and cocktails 1 hour before dinner; and a complimentary list of excursions for passengers in each port.

Additional tours at cost open 90 days prior for all customers

Promo price of \$4,188 plus \$180 port fees (includes \$150 off) e.g. \$4,038 plus port fees with 2 nights in Prague; start with 10 spaces, can add more when filled (same price)

Staterooms (queen/dbl twins)	Rate	Port Fees	Savings	Total (per person)
Deluxe D/E (at waterline)	\$4,188.00	\$180.00	(\$150.00)	\$4,218.00
Panorama B (above waterline)	\$5,616.00	\$180.00	(\$150.00)	\$5,646.00
Panorama A (above waterline)	\$5,688.00	\$180.00	(\$150.00)	\$5,718.00
Panorama P (above waterline)	\$5,723.00	\$180.00	(\$150.00)	\$5,753.00

D/E Staterooms (at waterline); windows 1.5 feet x length of room – Indigo Deck
 Panorama A/B Staterooms; floor-ceiling stateroom width windows - Sapphire Deck
 Panorama P Staterooms; floor to ceiling stateroom width windows - Royal Deck

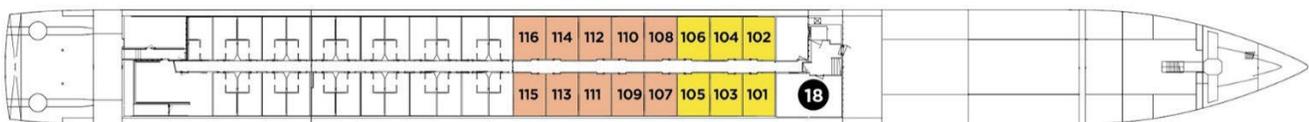


D/E Staterooms 172 sq ft
(Indigo Deck)

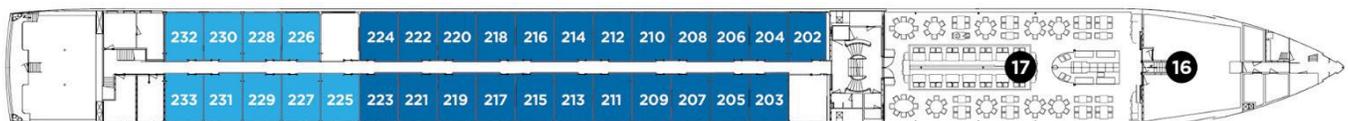


Panorama A/B/P Staterooms 200 sq ft
 A (Sapphire Deck Forward)
 B (Sapphire Deck Aft)
 P (Royal Deck, see next page)

Indigo - Deck 1



Sapphire - Deck 2



Royal - Deck 3



Pink-colored staterooms are Royal Suites (300 Sq Ft), call for pricing.

Transfers from Prague to the Airport are not included and ~60 euros per taxi

\$250.00 non-refundable initial deposit per person; No space is held, stateroom price guarantee only as long as staterooms are available.

Avalon Cancellation Policy: Any payments outside your initial deposit are refundable up to 90 days prior; 90-30 days prior 50% penalty; 30-1 days prior 80% penalty and day of cruise is 100%.

Availability as of 02/15/2026 – ship has a total of 84 staterooms

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D Category – 5 left

B Category – 8 left

A Category – 22 left

P Category – 27 left

Suites – 2 left

Holidaze will offer options for 1-2 nights group hotel in Frankfurt and air block (minimum 10 persons). We can add 1-2 nights at the Frankfurt Hotel if Avalon has group space. Pricing for air and hotel options will be available in January 2027.

You also have the option to book your own air and hotel if you want to extend your vacation.

Avalon Hotel in Frankfurt

The Westin Grand Frankfurt
Konrad-Adenauer Str. 7

Avalon Hotels in Prague

Prague Marriott
V Celnici 8

or

Cosmopolitan Hotel Prague
Zlatnicka 3/112

Avalon Notes for all River Cruises:

- itinerary by motorcoach or alter the program, including hotel overnight when necessary.
- Guided Tours, Optional Excursions, activities, sailing and docking schedules may be contingent on weather conditions or other issues outside of our control and could therefore be subject to change at any time.
- Please check visa requirements with your local consulate(s); responsibility for obtaining visas rests with the traveler.
- Christmas markets generally operate from late November until the third week of December.

Trip insurance is highly encouraged. Holidayz/Anne offers Allianz single trip and annual policies for those with multiple trips.

DAILY ITINERARY

1 FRANKFURT, GERMANY (EMBARKATION)



- Welcome to Germany. Your Suite Ship® is Ready for Boarding.

Flights into Frankfurt must arrive by 3 pm.

Guests must be on board ship by 5 pm.

- EVENING/OVERNIGHT CRUISE TO MAIN RIVER VILLAGE

Dinner

2 MAIN RIVER VILLAGE



- Hidden Gifts and Holiday Delights
- **DISCOVERY EXCURSION**
Join a German Cookie Baking Demonstration on board your ship while sailing.
- **CLASSIC EXCURSION**
Take a Guided Tour of a picturesque village along the Main River.
- **DISCOVERY EXCURSION**
Get into the holiday spirit as cheerful carolers come aboard to fill the air with beloved Christmas songs. Later, enjoy live entertainment on board.

AFTERNOON/OVERNIGHT CRUISE TO WÜRZBURG

Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

3 WÜRZBURG

- Old Saint Nick and Nutcrackers Sweet

- **CLASSIC EXCURSION**

Take a Guided Sightseeing Tour of the “Pearl of the Romantic Road” with its Old Main Bridge, towering fortress, and baroque Bishop’s Residence.

You may choose to join a Guided Optional Excursion to the beautiful Bavarian town of Rothenburg. Visit the Käthe Wohlfahrt German Christmas Museum—the world’s most extensive collection of traditional German Christmas decorations.

Spend free time enjoying the festive, warm glow of Wurzburg’s Christmas markets.

- **EVENING/OVERNIGHT CRUISE TO BAMBERG**

Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

While we include your choice of many excursions on your trip, you may wish to explore other options to enhance your free time. Below is a selection of excursions that may be available for purchase on your cruise.

- **Rothenburg, Jewel of the Middle Ages**

- The Jewel of the Middle Ages awaits your discovery on this half-day guided excursion to fairytale Rothenburg ob der Tauber on Germany’s famed Romantic Road.

- 4.25 hrs, price range: \$\$

4 BAMBERG



- Christmas Customs and Cradle Scenes

- **DISCOVERY EXCURSION**

Enjoy an onboard Christmas Traditions Lecture while sailing.

- **CLASSIC EXCURSION**

Join a Guided Sightseeing Tour of Bamberg—medieval home of Germany’s Roman Empire dynasties. Stroll through dozens of Bamberg’s nativity scenes—from miniature to life-size.

Take free time to enjoy the quaint Christmas markets, and warm up with traditional German dumplings, sausage, and a glass of hearty Bavarian ale.

- **DISCOVERY EXCURSION**

Join an onboard workshop to learn how to create beautifully decorated candles. Later, enjoy live entertainment onboard.

EVENING/OVERNIGHT CRUISE TO NUREMBERG

Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

5 NUREMBERG



- Legends and History Lessons

- **CLASSIC EXCURSION**

Choose a Guided Tour of Nuremberg’s medieval architecture, gilded fountain, Gothic cathedral, and Kaiserburg Castle, OR

- **CLASSIC EXCURSION**

Join a Guided Tour of the historic Nuremberg Rally Grounds—used by the Third Reich. Spend free time browsing the spruce stalls of the Christmas Markets of Nuremberg.

Sample favorite Bavarian fare—bratwurst, gingerbread, mulled blueberry wine, and countless other Christkindlesmarkt culinary delights.

- **DISCOVERY EXCURSION**

Join a gingerbread Cooking Demonstration on board your ship.

OVERNIGHT DOCKING IN NUREMBERG

Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner

6 NUREMBERG (DISEMBARKATION)–PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC



- To Prague!

Bid your crew farewell and head for the Golden City of Prague

Stroll through the exquisite streets of the city and spend a free evening in one of Prague's cafés for dinner and Czech Beer.

Breakfast

While we include your choice of many excursions on your trip, you may wish to explore other options to enhance your free time. Below is a selection of excursions that may be available for purchase on your cruise.

- **Czech Dinner & Folklore Show**
Experience the heart and traditions of the Czech Republic at this festive evening featuring the country's traditional food, music, song, and dance!

3 hrs, price range: \$\$
- **Bites & Highlights of Prague**
Explore the backstreets of Prague with an expert guide to discover the city's best local eateries, meet the people behind the food, and to sample some mouthwatering specialties!

3hrs, price range: \$\$

7 PRAGUE



- Gothic Cathedrals, Grand Castles, and Great Cuisine

- **CLASSIC EXCURSION**

Take a Guided City Walk to visit Hradčany Castle Grounds; see St. Vitus Cathedral and Old Town's Astronomical Clock.

Spend a free afternoon browsing the exquisite Christmas Markets of Prague. Stroll through the brightly colored wooden stalls for ornaments and handmade toys and handicrafts.

Breakfast

While we include your choice of many excursions on your trip, you may wish to explore other options to enhance your free time. Below is a selection of excursions that may be available for purchase on your cruise.

- **Prague's Hidden Treasures**

- Walk with an expert guide around Prague's Charles Bridge and ancient Malá Strana district on the Left Bank of the Vltava River to discover the city's tucked-away treasures.

- 3hrs, price range: \$\$

8 PRAGUE



- Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.

Breakfast