

**Itinerary for:**

**Dates: June 29 – July 12, 2022**

**Celebrating the 175th Anniversary of the founding of the Armenian Evangelical Church**

June 28 (T)	Depart to Yerevan	
June 29 (W)	Welcome, check-in at <a href="#">Marriott Hotel</a> in Yerevan	
June 30 (Th)	<p><b>MORNING FREE</b></p> <p>3:00 PM Martiros Saryan House Museum</p> <p>5:00 PM Welcome Dinner at Yerevan Bantok Getapin (By the river) <b>(D)</b></p>	Light
July 01 (F)	<p>10:00 AM Depart hotel for City tour of Yerevan [Including the city center, Mother Armenia Monument, City panorama, Opera, Cascades]</p> <p>2:00 PM Return to Marriott Armenia Hotel.</p> <p><b>AFTERNOON FREE</b></p> <p>6:30 PM Depart for AEC Anniversary Public Celebration in Yerevan at Aram Khachaturian Concert Hall (AMAA Armenia staff to join for incidental emergency)</p> <p>9:00 PM Return to Marriott Armenia Hotel.</p>	Light
July 02 (Sa)	<p><b>MORNING &amp; AFTERNOON FREE</b> (Visit Vernissage, open-air market)</p> <p><b>OPTIONAL: Tour Participants may join AMAA morning event</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Depart for One-Day Armenian Evangelical Lay and Spiritual Leadership Convention on the 175th Anniversary of the Armenian Evangelical Movement at 18 Baghramyan Ave.</p> <p>6:00 PM L'Espoire Pour L'Armenie's (Hope for Armenia-France) 30th Anniversary Celebration Banquet Dinner</p> <p>9:00 PM Return to Marriott Armenia Hotel.</p>	Light
July 03 (Su)	<p>7:30 AM Depart to Inauguration of the newly constructed AMAA Center in Stepanavan</p> <p>11:00 AM 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Worship Service at Stepanavan Church</p> <p>12:30 PM Dedication Service of new Stepanavan Center</p> <p>2:00 PM Lunch in Stepanavan at Carahunge Restaurant <b>(L)</b></p> <p>7:00 PM Return to Marriott</p> <p><b>EVENING FREE</b></p>	Heavy
July 04 (M)	<p>10:00 AM Depart hotel to visit Avedisian School</p> <p>1:00 PM Megerian Carpet Museum. [Observe a process of creating Armenia rugs. Learn hidden meanings of design elements.]</p> <p><b>AFTERNOON &amp; EVENING FREE</b></p>	Light

July 05 (Tu)	<p>9:00 AM Depart hotel to visit Alphabet Park            11:00 AM Visit “Shogh” Day Center in Vanadzor            1:00 PM Lunch at Tufenkian Avan Dzoraget Hotel (L)            5:00 PM Visit Gourmet Dourme (Chocolate Factory) and Karmravor Church 7<sup>th</sup> Century Church            7:00 PM Return to Marriott  <b>EVENING FREE</b></p>	Heavy
July 06 (W)	<p>9:00 AM Depart to Oshagan. Visit the Tomb of Mesrob Mashtots.            10:30 AM Continue to Gyumri            12:30 PM Lunch at Cherkezi Dzor (L)            2:00 PM Visit the AMAA Gyumri Center            4:00 PM Depart to Byurakan            6:00 PM Cultural event and dinner near Kosh Village in Byurakan Tonatsuyts (D)            9:30 PM Return to Marriott</p>	Heavy
July 07 (Th)	<p>9:45 AM Depart to visit Tsitsernagaberd            10:30 AM Armenian Genocide Museum w/ Wreath for group            11:45 AM Visit National Gallery of Armenia  <b>AFTERNOON FREE</b>              6:20 PM Depart to Shiragian Play at Theater of Young Spectator located at 3 Moskovyan St. Yerevan            7:00 PM Shows begins promptly.            9:00 PM Return to Marriott Armenia Hotel.</p>	Medium
July 08 (F)	<p>10:00 AM Depart to Kecharis Monastery in Tsaghkadzor            12:30 PM Lunch to be provided by Camp Hankavan            2:00 PM Spend time with children at Sheen Shoghik Camp in Hankavan            4:00 PM Return to Marriott  <b>EVENING FREE</b></p>	Medium
July 09 (Sa)	<p>11:00 AM Depart to Khor Virap Monastery            2:00 PM Armas Winery – tasting and lunch (L)            5:00 PM Return to Marriott  <b>EVENING FREE</b></p>	Medium
July 10 (Su)	<p>9:00 AM Depart to Dilijan            11:00 AM Visit Haghartsin Monastery            12:00 PM Worship service at Dilijan Church            1:30 PM Lunch at Flying Ostrich Restaurant (L)            3:00 PM Visit Lake Sevan and Sevanavank            5:00 PM Return journey to Yerevan            6:00 PM Farewell Dinner at Tsirani Restaurant (in Abovyan) (D)            9:00 PM Return to Marriott</p>	Heavy
July 11 (M)	<b>FREE DAY</b>	
Return USA July 12 (Tu)	Depart Yerevan to final destination.	