



## American Celebration of Music in Ireland Preliminary Fact Sheet

Based on the results of the recent survey, we are excited to announce that we have engaged Music Celebrations International (MCI) to coordinate an Alexandria Singers performance tour abroad. This adventure will include 5 full days to enjoy many popular sights in Ireland!

**Dates:** 17-23 July 2018

**Trip Highlights:** Bunratty, Cork, Ring of Kerry, Blarney, Waterford, Kilkenny, Glendalough and Dublin.

**Performances:** We will perform two concerts of our current repertoire (Spring 2018) solo, and then engage with a local performing group for our third concert, which will benefit a local charity; leveraging two of our mission's pillars: artistry and service.

**Options:** All options include daily breakfast, lodging for 5 nights, luxury coach tours and transfers and two group dinners.

1. Complete tour package (includes airfare departing DC on 17 July and returning on 23 July)
2. "Land-only" option (travelers purchase their own airfare and join the group)
3. Extended departure option (includes airfare departing DC on 17 July, but returning TBD days later. This option requires travelers to make their own arrangements for lodging and meals for the additional days, but it does include transportation to the airport.)

### Estimated Costs:

1. Complete package: \$3000.00
2. Land Only: \$1800.00
3. Extended departure: \$3000.00 plus travelers' own expense for additional lodging and meals

**Next Steps:** For those who wish to participate, a non-refundable deposit of \$200 is required by June 15, 2017, after which each traveler will receive a precise payment schedule that will allow for the total cost of the trip to be distributed over 10 months, with final payment not due until May 2018.