Scheduled Itinerary

Saturday - March 2  Arrive in San Diego
Meet your hosts and explore your neighborhood.
5:30 Gather along with your hosts for a festive Welcome Dinner
prepared by our own Chef Marcus on our church campus. Get to
know your fellow travelers.
Introduction to San Diego: its history, its economy, what makes it
special. Enjoy a concert by our resident church musicians.

Sunday - March 3
9:30 Church Service: meet the members of our wonderful
community and participate in a special reception after the
service.
Visit the colorful murals of Chicano Park in Barrio Logan, recently
declared a National Monument. Learn the troubled history of the
park, and the triumphant success of this monument to Chicano
culture.
Concert in the park: picnic in Balboa Park while listening to the
sounds of the world’s largest outdoor pipe organ. Visit the San
Diego History Museum for a Park orientation. Spend time like a
local at our International Cottages where you can enjoy dancing
from around the world. Or, if you prefer be our guests at a
selection of some of our favorite museums in the Park. We know
your interests vary, so we will let you match the program to your
tastes!
Take a brief walking tour of the Gaslamp Quarter
Travel to dinner to enjoy the vibes and flavors of the Latinx
community.

Monday - March 4
9:00 Visit the World Famous San Diego Zoo. After an hour-long
orientation, you’ll have the entire morning to visit your favorite
animals.
Lunch on your own on Coronado Island. There are a number of
charming eateries in this classic beach town.
Take a walking tour of Coronado, led by a local resident and
expert. Visit the famous Hotel Del Coronado, a wooden Victorian
beach resort with lots of colorful history.
Return to San Diego by ferry. This short cruise provides the
opportunity to see our impressive bay, shoreline, and skyline!
Dinner at the church.

Tuesday - March 5
9:00 Start with a drive through the fabled enclave of La Jolla,
stopping at several viewpoints. A longtime member of our com-
community will give a tour of the University of California at San Diego
(UCSD) campus, including pieces from the impressive Stuart Art
Collection.
Lunch at the Cliffhanger Café at the Torrey Pines Gliderport,
followed by a drive through Biotech Mesa.
Return to La Jolla, stopping to see the colony of seals and other
attractions, before landing in Pacific Beach, where we will enjoy
happy hour treats near the ocean. Walk down the Mission Beach
boardwalk as the sun sets, followed by a bonfire and sing along.

Wednesday - March 6
Travel to Cabrillo Monument. See the famous Point Loma light-
house and learn the history of the first European landing in San
Diego. If time and tides allow, we will do some tidepooling.
Visit the Naval Training Center, which has been converted into an
arts and dining center. Lots of choices for lunch, as well as some
interesting museums.
We know UUs like choices! We offer several options:
• Old Town: tour of historic buildings circa 1850, discussion of
  the mission settlements, tour of Whaley House, mariachi music,
  lots of eating and shopping possibilities!
• Tour of Downtown and the new Library
• Return to the Zoo
• Seaport Village: a waterfront shopping and dining complex with
  beautiful views of San Diego Bay
• More Balboa Park - you’ve only touched the surface!
Gather back at the church for a farewell dinner
See San Diego at night. There are vantage points in San Diego
that are particularly beautiful at night.

Thursday - March 7  Departure
Say your good-byes and head home after breakfast, or make
plans to rent a car and visit our mountains and deserts,
beaches or Tijuana (bring your passport!).
Experience
The World Famous
San Diego Zoo

Discover
Powerful Images
in Chicano Park

Encounter
Coronado Village Life
& the fabulous
Hotel Del Coronado

Enjoy
Colorful Old Town San Diego

Visit
Balboa Park &
its fascinating museums

Explore
Art and architecture
of UCSD and La Jolla

Spend
Time at the beach and
places of natural beauty

See
Point Loma Lighthouse
& Cabrillo National Monument

Tour
Historic Gaslamp Quarter

Packages start
$999 at just

5 nights accommodation
5 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 5 dinners
All admission fees + transportation during your stay

INCLUDES:
Group limited to 12 people. A $300 deposit reserves your spot, and is refundable up to 30 days ahead (less a $75 administrative fee). Balance due 45 days before the visit. Participants must be able to walk up to one mile, handle stairs and some hills, and stand indoors and out.

For a registration application, go to www.FirstUUSanDiego.org/sdvisit. Have additional questions? email SDVisit@firstuusandiego.org