



Chapelle EXPIATOIRE

A monument dedicated to Louis XVI and Marie-Antoinette.

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GOOD REASONS TO VISIT

- A place of remembrance dedicated to Louis XVI and Marie-Antoinette.
- A monument to the history of the Revolution and the Restoration.
- A unique example of 19th-century neo-classical architecture.

The Chapelle Expiatoire, built under the Restoration, is a place of remembrance dedicated to Louis XVI and Marie-Antoinette.

It stands on the site of the former Madeleine parish cemetery, where the King and Queen were buried during the Revolution along with the bodies of 500 individuals who were guillotined, including Charlotte Corday, Olympe de Gouges and Madame du Barry. Built at the request of Louis XVIII between 1816 and 1826, the Chapelle Expiatoire is a jewel of neo-classical architecture and early 19th-century Romantic art.

DID YOU KNOW...?

The bones from the former Madeleine cemetery still lie behind the walls of the lower chapel, making the monument a necropolis of the Revolution.

2024 ADMISSION PRICES

CATEGORY 5



• FOR 20 ADULTS + /
RESELLER PRICE €5.5

• INDIVIDUALS €7

• FREE admission: minors under 18*.
Free admission: 18-25 years old
(EU nationals and regularised EU
residents).

* excluding school groups



GETTING HERE

- Lines 3, 12, 13, 14 : Saint-Lazare station (300 m).
- Line 9 : Saint-Augustin station, Havre-Caumartin (500 m).
- RER A : Auber (500 m).



VISITS

SELF-GUIDED TOUR

With guide booklet.
Duration: 30 min.

LECTURE TOUR other languages available on request.

Reservation required.
Duration: 1hr30.

PRIVATE TOUR

Reservation required.

FACILITIES



500 m

Catering facilities.

OPENING TIMES

Subject to modification

- October to March: Wednesday to Saturday from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 1.30 p.m. to 5 p.m.
- April to September: Tuesday to Saturday from 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 1.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m.
Last admission 30 minutes before closing time.
- Closed 1st January, 1st May and 25th December.

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