Friends of the Crèche International Convention, Toronto, Canada
November 10-12, 2011

PRE & POST CONVENTION TOURS SUMMARY

PRE-CONVENTION TOURS

Wednesday, November 9, 2011

All day tour to 17th Century Jesuit Mission site north of Toronto with stops en route to see a major collection of crèches from across the world and tour of the McMichael Gallery of Canadian Art. Will include lunch in Kleinberg, and traditional 17th Century supper and tour of the mission museum prior to a torch-light tour of site where you can imagine yourself as being back in the 17th Century in the Canadian woodlands. Arrive back to Fairmont Royal York Hotel before 9:00pm.

Thursday, November 10, 2011

Choice of tours:

1. All day city bus tour that will include lunch and a stop at the Ukrainian Museum and St. Anne's Anglican Church known for its Byzantium architecture and paintings by Canada's famed Group of Seven Artists. Details will follow.
2. Two half day walking tours of downtown churches and parts of Toronto's Old Town. There will be one in the morning, followed by a second in the afternoon.
3. Half day bus tour to Kleinberg to see a major collection of crèches from across the world. This is the same collection that participants of the all day tour to the Jesuit Mission would have seen on Wednesday, and designed for those unable to be in Toronto on Wednesday.

POST CONVENTION TOURS

Sunday-Monday, November 13-14, 2011

Two day tour to Montreal by train to explore Old Montreal and see the famed collection of crèches from across the world at St. Joseph's Oratory. Tour participants could opt to return directly home from Montreal instead of returning to Toronto.

IN ADDITION

Saturday, November 12, 2011

We are planning a very early walking tour to the St. Lawrence Market in the heart of Toronto's Old Town for early risers well before the morning sessions begin!