



THE MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS ALONG THE CANALS

France · Belgium



NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 2026

OUR BOUTIQUE HOTEL BARGES on the canals of France and Belgium

As the festive season approaches, the canals are adorned with lights and take you to the heart of the most beautiful cities and villages decorated for Christmas.

Christmas markets, sparkling streets, local traditions, and a magical atmosphere set the tone at every stop. Enchanting landscapes, a rich historical heritage, and delicious regional specialties complete this unique experience.

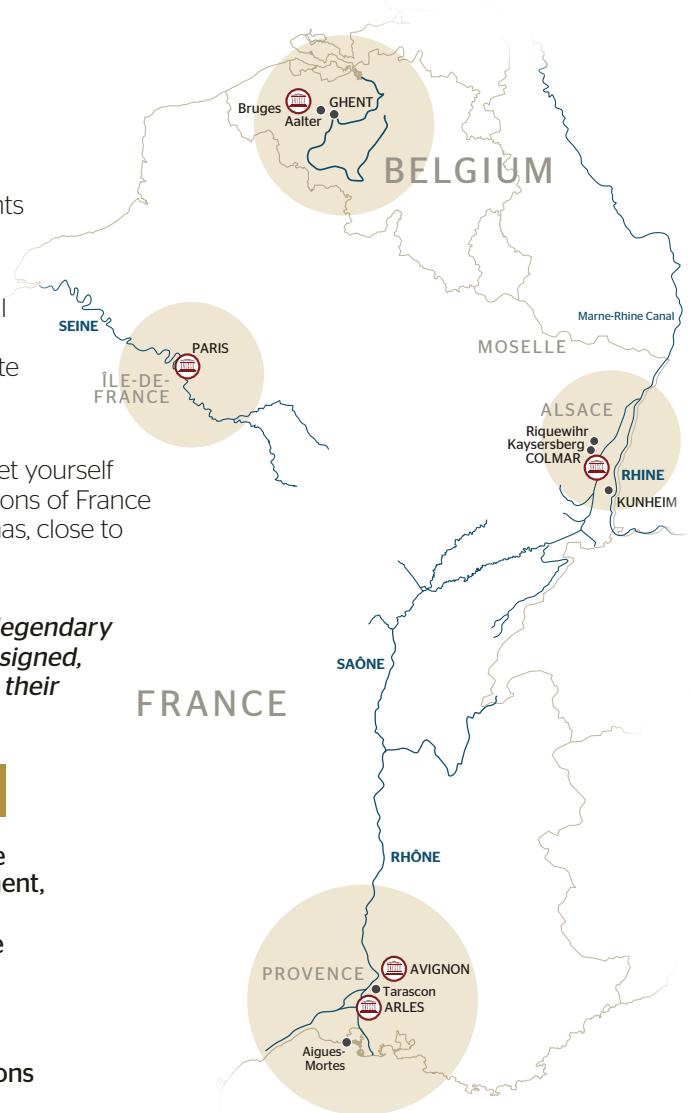
The gentle art of living is at the heart of canal cruises. Aboard our boutique hotel barges, enjoy an all-inclusive stay and let yourself drift along the waterways through some of the most beautiful regions of France and Belgium. A privileged way to experience the magic of Christmas, close to the festivities and year-end traditions.

We have reinvented an iconic way of travelling by bringing the legendary Freycinet-gauge barge back into the spotlight. Completely redesigned, it invites you to explore France and Belgium differently, close to their characterful villages, their history, and their art of living.

YOUR CROISIEUROPE BENEFITS

- A magical stay close to the Christmas markets: our barges are moored in the heart of Paris, Strasbourg, Colmar, Avignon, Ghent, Bruges, and more
- An unusual and charming experience offering excellent value for money in the pleasure cruising sector
- Original itineraries
- Excursions included in all programmes
- Discovery of the hidden treasures of French and Belgian regions
- An intimate atmosphere and an attentive onboard crew
- Small-capacity cruising: 22 passengers
- Ideal for a group of friends or a family
- Onboard facilities: jacuzzi and bicycles

Our canal programmes are subject to lock closure dates. As these dates vary from year to year, specially adapted replacement programmes are arranged when necessary. Please contact us for details.



WELCOME ABOARD

MS ANNE-MARIE • MS DÉBORAH • MS JEANINE • MS MADELEINE • MS RAYMONDE



LOUNGE/BAR (MS ANNE-MARIE)



RESTAURANT (MS MADELEINE)

COMFORTABLE CRUISES

ON BOARD, EVERY DETAIL IS TAKEN CARE OF, AND THE 6 CREW MEMBERS ENSURE ATTENTIVE, TAILOR-MADE SERVICE.



CABIN (MS RAYMONDE)

A true haven of charm with a contemporary and refined setting, our boutique hotel barges welcome 22 passengers. The décor is carefully curated, and the atmosphere on each vessel is both elegant and intimate, perfectly in keeping with its surroundings.

The restaurant serves delicate cuisine, while the lounge/bar offers a beautiful space opening onto the outdoor deck, complete with a jacuzzi. On the sun deck, comfortable loungers invite you to relax. Bicycles are also available.

All meals with drinks are included and showcase local specialties enhanced with new flavours that will delight passengers' taste buds.

Menus take passengers' preferences into account and are created according to the chef's inspiration and the fresh produce available at the markets during each stopover.



SANTONS DE PROVENCE

5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. FAN_XMASPP / NAF_XMASPP⁽¹⁾ **EXCLUSIVE OFFER**

Santons and Christmas traditions along the canals of Provence

DAY 1 | Avignon

Boarding at 6:00 p.m.

Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

"Christmas traditions"-themed evening

DAY 2 | Avignon • Tarascon

Excursion proposed:

• Avignon and the Palace of the Popes

A visit to Les Halles market⁽²⁾

Cruise towards Tarascon

Christmas-themed evening

DAY 3 | Tarascon • Arles

Excursion proposed:

• Tarascon Castle

Cruise towards Arles

Excursion proposed:

• Les Baux-de-Provence, its Santon Museum, Arles, and the Santonniers' Fair

"Christmas Carols"-themed evening



DAY 4 | Arles • Aigues-Mortes

Cruise towards Aigues-Mortes

Excursion proposed:

• Tour of Aigues-Mortes

Gala dinner

DAY 5 | Aigues-Mortes • Avignon

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

Transfer by coach to Avignon

Cruise highlights

- Discover the Christmas traditions of Provence, including santons, cozy evenings, and culinary delights
- Onboard evenings with a Christmas theme

ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED

MUST SEES:

- Visit the Château de Tarascon, a fortress blending Gothic and Renaissance styles
- The Santons Museum in Les Baux-de-Provence and its traditional Provençal nativity scene
- Aigues-Mortes, a medieval city dating back to the 13th century

FAVOURITE:

- The Santonniers Fair in Arles, exceptional for the quality of the pieces on display, tells the story of this art since 1750.



INCLUDED ON BOARD

On board the MS ANNE-MARIE

2026 Departures

December: 1st, 6⁽¹⁾, 11, 16⁽¹⁾

Example price/person⁽³⁾

£898

Possibility to privatize the barge - rate: please contact us. Barge capacity: 22 passengers.

This offer includes: the cruise with all meals from dinner the first evening to breakfast on the last day • drinks included on board (excluding premium lists) and a drinks package for meals taken outside the ship (1/4 wine or 1 mineral water and 1 coffee per person and per meal) • accommodation in a double occupancy cabin • the excursions mentioned in the programme • transfer by coach Aigues-Mortes/Avignon on D5 • travel assistance and repatriation insurance • all port fees.

This offer does not include: cancellation and baggage insurance • personal expenses • drinks on premium lists, drinks taken during excursions or transfers

Ask us about our available facilities

⁽¹⁾ Cruise in the opposite direction.

⁽²⁾ The Halles in Avignon: closed on Mondays and in the afternoons.

⁽³⁾ Lowest price across all proposed departures, based on double occupancy cabin.

5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. FAN_NOPP

Christmas Cruise on the Canals of Provence

2026 DEPARTURE: December: 23 • From **£898** pp⁽³⁾

Set sail on a cruise through the heart of Provence, where the magic of Christmas comes alive through the traditions of the South: nativity scenes, santons, festive lights, and delicious seasonal flavours. From Avignon to Arles, enjoy a warm and authentic escape shaped by exceptional heritage and the gentle charm of Provence.

5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. NAF_NYEAPP⁽¹⁾

New Year's Eve in the Colours of Santons

2026 DEPARTURE: December: 28⁽¹⁾ • From **£983** pp⁽³⁾

Celebrate New Year's Eve in Provence, as you explore charming villages, iconic monuments and the southern way of life. From Tarascon to Les Baux-de-Provence, via Aigues-Mortes, ring in the New Year in a unique and festive atmosphere.

Detailed programmes available on request.



PARIS, AVENUE MONTAIGNE

4-DAY / 3-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. PAM_AIPP **EXCLUSIVE OFFER**

Prestigious Paris & and the Canal Saint-Martin

DAY 1 | Paris

Boarding at 6:00 p.m.

Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

Evening of traditional Titi Parisien show on board

DAY 2 | Cruise along the canal Saint-Martin Paris and its famous sites

Excursion proposed:

- Guided tour of Paris

DAY 3 | Paris • Saint-Germain-des-Prés district

Excursion proposed:

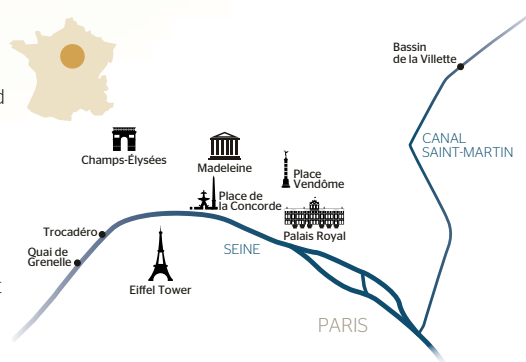
- Guided tour of the Saint-Germain-des-Prés district

Afternoon cruise on the Seine

Gala dinner

DAY 4 | Paris

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.



Cruise highlights

- The ship is moored in the heart of Paris, a meeting point for all cultures and all ages

ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED

MUST SEES:

- Panoramic tour of the capital, including its charming historic covered passages
- Visit to the iconic Saint-Germain-des-Prés district, rich in history, where heritage and creativity define this legendary neighbourhood

FAVOURITE:

- Cruise along the Canal Saint-Martin through the heart of the quintessential Parisian neighbourhoods, all the way to the foot of the Eiffel Tower

 INCLUDED ON BOARD

5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. PAM_XMASPP

Prestigious Christmas Eve in Paris

2026 DEPARTURE: December: 23 • From £1316 pp⁽²⁾

As Christmas approaches, Paris takes on a whole new look. Its most beautiful monuments light up, decorations adorn its streets, and the windows of the grand department stores come to life. Set off on an unforgettable Christmas cruise in the heart of one of Europe's most romantic and magical capitals. Discover Paris and all the priceless treasures that have made its reputation.

5-DAY / 4-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. PAM_NYEAPP

Prestigious New Year's Eve in Paris

2026 DEPARTURE: December: 30 • From £2028 pp⁽²⁾

Sailing along the Seine, celebrate the New Year in style on a unique cruise in the heart of the magnificent French capital.

You will cruise along the Canal Saint-Martin, whose distinctive scenery delights all lovers of Paris and provides the perfect setting for a romantic cruise.

Admire iconic sights such as the Eiffel Tower, the Trocadéro and Tuileries Gardens, and Île Saint-Louis. You will also discover the Saint-Germain-des-Prés district and its unique atmosphere - a charming and elegant neighbourhood steeped in history, sure to enchant you.

Detailed programmes available on request.



On board the MS DÉBORAH

2026 Departures

December: 2, 6, 10, 14, 18

Example price/person⁽²⁾

£1035

Possibility to privatize the barge - rate: please contact us. Barge capacity: 22 passengers.

This offer includes: the cruise with all meals from dinner the first evening to breakfast on the last day • onboard drinks included (except for drinks from our premium lists) • accommodation in a double occupancy cabin • the excursions mentioned in the programme • travel assistance and repatriation insurance • all port fees.

This offer does not include: drinks from our premium lists, or drinks ordered during excursions or transfers • cancellation and baggage insurance • personal expenses • any services not specifically mentioned in the programme • transfers/travel to and from departure/arrival points.

 Ask us about our available facilities.

(1) Depending on water levels.

(2) Lowest price across all proposed departures, based on double occupancy cabin.



KAYSERSBERG

4-DAY / 3-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. CKC_XMASPP

Enchanting Christmas Markets along Alsatian canals

DAY 1 | Colmar

Boarding at 6:00 p.m.

Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

DAY 2 | Colmar • Kunheim • Kayserberg Riquewihr

Cruise towards Kunheim

Excursion proposed:

- Kayserberg⁽¹⁾ and Riquewihr and their Christmas markets

Christmas-themed evening

DAY 3 | Kunheim • Colmar

Cruise towards Colmar

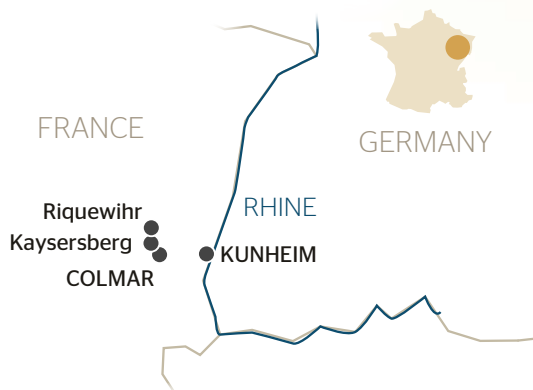
Excursion proposed:

- Colmar, its Christmas market and Choco-Story chocolate museum

Gala dinner

DAY 4 | Colmar

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.



Cruise highlights

- Charming Alsatian Christmas markets
- Picturesque Little Venice in Colmar
- Holiday delights: Tasting of Alsatian gingerbread on board and hot chocolate in Colmar

ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED

MUST SEES:

- Colmar and the Choco-Story chocolate museum - no Christmas is complete without sweet treats
- Riquewihr's authentic Christmas market surrounded by the brightly coloured half-timbered homes typically found in the area

FAVOURITE:

- The Christmas exhibit in Kayserberg⁽¹⁾, with Alsatian traditions created by local artists and craftspeople on display

    INCLUDED ON BOARD



COLMAR

On board the MS JEANINE or MS MADELEINE

2026 Departures

November: 29 • December: 1st, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17

Example price/person⁽²⁾

£926

Possibility to privatize the barge - rate: please contact us. Barge capacity: 22 passengers.

Ce prix comprend: the cruise with all meals from dinner the first evening to breakfast on the last day • drinks included on board (excluding premium lists) and a drinks package for meals taken outside the ship (1/4 wine or 1 mineral water and 1 coffee per person and per meal) • accommodation in a double occupancy cabin • excursions mentioned in the programme • travel assistance and repatriation insurance • all port fees.

Ce prix ne comprend pas: cancellation/baggage insurance • personal expenses • drinks on premium lists, drinks taken during excursions or transfers

    Ask us about our available facilities

⁽¹⁾ The Kayserberg Christmas Market is open on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. On other days, we'll visit the Eguisheim Christmas Market, one of the most beautiful in Alsace.

⁽²⁾ Lowest price across all proposed departures, based on double occupancy cabin.



BRUGES

4-DAY / 3-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. GAB_XMASPP / BAG_XMASPP⁽¹⁾

An enchanting Christmas Getaway between Ghent and Bruges

DAY 1 | Brussels • Ghent

Possibility of coach transfer between Brussels and Ghent
Boarding at 5:00 p.m.

Excursion proposed:

- Guided tour of the Christmas market in Ghent⁽²⁾

Introduction of the crew and welcome cocktail

DAY 2 | Ghent

Excursion proposed:

- Guided tour of Ghent and a tasting of local specialties

Cruise towards Aalter

DAY 3 | Aalter • Bruges

Cruise towards Bruges

Excursion proposed:

- Bruges, its Christmas market and brewery

Gala dinner



DAY 4 | Bruges • Brussels

Disembark at 9:00 a.m.

Possibility of coach transfer between Bruges and Brussels

Cruise highlights

- A unique cruise through the heart of Flanders

ALL EXCURSIONS INCLUDED

MUST SEES:

- Visit to a typical Belgian brewery in Bruges with tasting
- Journey to the heart of the historic centre of Bruges, with its emblematic Gothic architecture

FAVOURITE:

- The Christmas Market of Ghent, an ode to the magic of the festive season



INCLUDED ON BOARD

On board the MS RAYMONDE

2026 Departures

December: 2, 6⁽¹⁾, 10, 14⁽¹⁾

Example price/person⁽³⁾

£1031

Possibility to privatize the barge - rate: please contact us. Barge capacity: 22 passengers.

This offer includes: the cruise with all meals from dinner the first evening to breakfast on the last day • drinks included on board (excluding premium lists) and a drinks package for meals taken outside the ship (1/4 wine or 1 mineral water and 1 coffee per person and per meal) • double occupancy cabin • excursions mentioned in the programme • travel assistance and repatriation insurance • all port fees.

This offer does not include: cancellation/baggage insurance • personal expenses • drinks on premium lists, drinks taken during excursions or transfers



Ask us about our available facilities



⁽¹⁾ Cruise in the opposite direction.

⁽²⁾ The opening dates of the Christmas Market in Ghent have not yet been clearly defined, as they are pending a decision from the government. In case of closure on any of the starting dates, on D1, this excursion will be replaced by a guided walking tour of illuminated Ghent, and on D2, the free time at the Christmas Market will be replaced by free time in Ghent.

⁽³⁾ Lowest price across all proposed departures, based on double occupancy cabin.

8-DAY / 7-NIGHT CRUISE • REF. NAP_MNPP / NAP_NOPP / NAP_NOUVPP

The spirit of Christmas off the coast of Italy's most beautiful cities

Naples • Milazzo • Vibo Marina • Salerno • Naples

Immerse yourself in Italian Christmas traditions

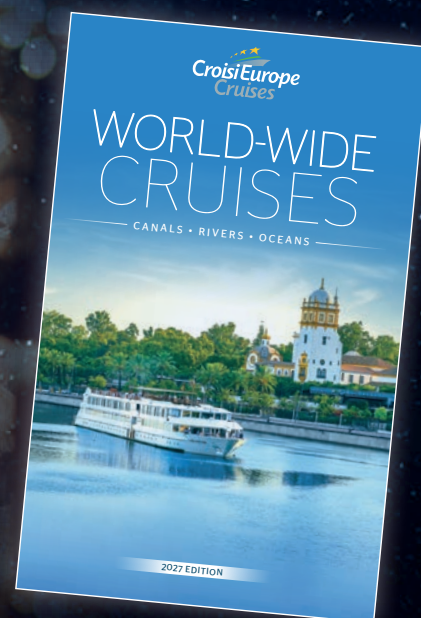
2026 DEPARTURES: | £475 discount per person or NO single supplement
7, 14, 21, 28 DECEMBER | Detailed programmes and prices available on request.

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