



# PINNACLE TRAVEL

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## \* 8 DAYS 7 NIGHTS NEW ZEALAND PANORAMA TOUR \*

SIC Tour    Min. 2 Pax    Daily Departure    Price fr SGD4,228 per pax

### Day 1    Arrival In Christchurch    (No Meal)



#### Welcome To Christchurch

Arrive at Christchurch Airport, you will be met and take a private transfer to your staying hotel. Christchurch lies between the deep blue waters of the Pacific Ocean and the majestic, snow capped Southern Alps. This vibrant, ever evolving city features inner city parks and gardens beautifully interwoven with the meandering **Avon River**. (Optional: Christchurch tram dinner)

### Day 2    Christchurch – Greymouth    (Breakfast)



#### Tranz Alpine Train And Punakaiki Pancake Rocks

Transfer to Christchurch Railway Station for the **Tranz Alpine train**, crossing the vast **Canterbury Plains** and winding through the dramatic **Waimakariri River Gorge** to **Arthur Pass National Park**. On arrival in **Greymouth**, you will be met and transfer to the **Punakaiki Pancake Rocks and Blowholes** for a short self-guided walk to marvel at the unique pancake shaped rock formations.

### Day 3    Greymouth – Franz Josef    (Breakfast)



#### Franz Josef Nature Tour Guided Walk

A temperate climate and low altitude make **Fox and Franz Josef Glaciers** some of the most accessible in the world. Steep valleys reveal the marks left by glaciers as they have advanced and retreated over millennia and here, the ice age continues its work. Today, transfer to **Franz Josef** and enjoy an afternoon guided tour through Glacier Country, exploring the majestic West Coast temperate rainforest with your expert guide. (Optional: west coast wildlife centre general admission, Franz Josef glacier heli-hike)

### Day 4    Franz Josef – Queenstown    (Breakfast)



#### Scenic Journey On Road

This morning, you will transfer through wilderness towns, waterfalls, and rivers on your way to Queenstown. Magnificent vistas and towering mountains define this compact alpine resort town. Surrounded by such an expansive natural landscape, it is no surprise that Queenstown is known as the Adventure Capital of the World. (Optional: skyline gondola ride)



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### Day 5 Queenstown

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#### Queenstown Highlight Tour

Enjoy a morning highlights tour of Queenstown's "must-see" locations, including **Kawarau Gorge**, **Gibbston Valley**, and the historic gold mining village of **Arrowtown**. The afternoon is free to explore at your leisure or take part in an optional tour of your choice. (Optional: original onsen exclusive indoor pool, KJet 60-minute jet boat ride)

### Day 6 Queenstown – Milford Sound – Queenstown

(Breakfast, Lunch)



#### Milford Sound Cruise

Fiordland is one of the world's last great wilderness areas. Today's breathtaking tour travels past mirror like lakes and cascading waterfalls into **Milford Sound**, a fiord carved by ice age glaciers and famously described as the Eighth Wonder of the World. On arrival, board your vessel for a scenic cruise, surrounded by towering mountains and sheer cliffs plunging into the sea.

Experience the refreshing spray of waterfalls as you glide close to dramatic rock faces before returning to shore. After a full and memorable day, relax on the coach journey back to downtown Queenstown.

### Day 7 Queenstown – Mt. Cook – Tekapo – Christchurch

(Breakfast)



#### Aoraki Mt. Cook And Lake Tekapo

Today's tour departs Queenstown, travelling through the stunning **Kawarau Gorge** and the fruit and wine growing region of **Cromwell**. The journey follows the shores of beautiful **Lake Dunstan** before winding through the dramatic **Lindis Pass**. Continue across the vast plains of the **Mackenzie** District, alongside magnificent turquoise blue lakes framed by **Aoraki Mt. Cook** and the

spectacular **Southern Alps**, arriving at **Mt. Cook Village** where you'll have some free time to explore. Depart from Mt Cook, it's easy to see why many **Lord of the Rings** scenes were filmed in this remarkable landscape. Stop at the iconic **Church of the Good Shepherd**, sitting in peaceful solitude on the shores of Lake Tekapo, before continuing through the stunning countryside to Christchurch.

### Day 8 Departure From Christchurch

(Breakfast)



#### Farewell Christchurch

Hotel check out. At scheduled time, meet at hotel lobby for private departure transfer to Christchurch Airport. (Optional: Antarctic Centre)

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