



**WEDNESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2016**

**09: 30 - 15:30**

**DION:**

**THE SACRED CITY IN THE FOOTHILLS OF OLYMPUS,  
THE MOUNTAIN OF THE GODS & MUSES**

*DURATION: 6 hours*

Cost: 78,00€/person

Includes: *coach bus transportation, professional tour guide, entrance fees, lunch*  
minimum participation 20 people

*In case of less participants an extra cost of €30,00 pp will apply or a refund of the total amount*

Dion, the sacred city of the Macedonians and famous residence of the Twelve Gods of Greek Mythology, lies on the foothill of Mount Olympus (2.917m). Dion sanctuary was founded in the 5th century BC and it is dedicated to the father of Gods, Zeus. For Macedonians, this place was as sacred as was Zeus' sanctuary in ancient Olympia for the rest of the Greeks. Inside the walls, one can see remains of rich houses, baths, the Odeon and a Christian basilica. Outside the walls, you will have the opportunity to see exquisite sanctuaries and the earliest existing theatre in Macedonia. A visit to the Archaeological Museum of Dion which hosts important finds from Dion is also included.

The excursion includes lunch at a local tavern by the foothills of Mount Olympus (village Litochoro).

*09:30 departure from Porto Palace*

*10:45 guided tour of Dion sanctuary & Archaeological Museum of Dion*

*12:15 departure for Litochoro village*

*12:30 lunch*

*14:15 departure for Thessaloniki*

