

Field trip: **Thursday 5/02/19** 8:50am-around 4:00pm (depending on traffic)

8:50am Arrive for role call before boarding the bus.

**Laguna Country United
Methodist Church - LCUMC**
24442 Moulton Parkway
Laguna Woods, CA 92637

Bus leaves at 9:00am; we should arrive by 11:00. Expect to leave the Villa by 2:15.

We are going to the Getty Villa by coach!
17985 Pacific Coast Hwy, Pacific Palisades, CA 90272
<http://www.getty.edu/visit/villa/plan/>

Walk through the architecture of ancient Rome today. A visit to the Getty Villa offers an experience of ancient Greek and Roman art in a setting that recreates a first-century Roman villa. Home to the J. Paul Getty Museum's antiquities collection, the two-floor museum displays art that spans the 7,000 years from the end of the Stone Age to the fall of the Roman empire.

You'll find a café with views overlooking the villa, a gift shop and audio tours are available. You can also bring a picnic lunch to enjoy. I'm recommending the garden tours and architecture tours. This beautiful setting was created as a home for the collection of ancient Roman artifacts of J. Paul Getty.

On display now:

The inhabitants of Palmyra, an ancient Syrian caravan city at the crossroads between the Roman and the Parthian empires, embellished their tombs with distinctive funerary portraits between the first and third centuries AD. These vivid likenesses of finely dressed men, women and children, often accompanied by inscriptions naming local families, illuminate cultural exchanges taking place in the eastern Mediterranean. This installation presents sculpture from the collections of the Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek in Copenhagen and Stanford University on long-term loan to the Getty alongside historical engravings and photographs from the Getty Research Institute.

http://www.getty.edu/art/exhibitions/palmyra_sculpture/

http://www.getty.edu/art/exhibitions/palmyra_sculpture/inner.html

Handheld cameras, video cameras, and camera phones are welcome in all public outdoor spaces as well as in the permanent collection galleries. *No flash or tripods/monopods are permitted.* Cameras must be kept a minimum of 18 inches away from artwork and may never be held over an artwork.

See photo policy here: http://www.getty.edu/visit/villa/plan/photo_policy.html