



Tour Name

Sunday Monuments & Market Pop-up Tour (departing from Antigua)

Tour City

Antigua

Tour Snapshot

Promenade with us along the famous La Reforma and La Sexta Avenues in Guatemala City, closed to traffic every Sunday for locals to enjoy. Admire the highlights of the monuments area, explore the old town, and stop for a delicious lunch before buying a keepsake or two from the local market. A fantastic introduction to a city whose star is finally on the rise.

Highlights

- Enjoy a traditional, traffic-free Sunday in Guatemala City
- Visit the Sunday market for a spot of souvenir hunting
- Admire many of the city's cultural highlights and hear stories of its past from your local guide
- Have lunch at a local restaurant and discover Guatemalan cuisine, Central America's best-kept secret!

Inclusions: Local English-speaking guide, roundtrip transportation from Antigua, public transit fare, water, snacks.

Exclusions: Lunch, drinks, souvenirs and items of a personal nature, tips/gratuities for your guide.

Schedule details

- Duration: 7 hours including transport to Guate City and back
- Meeting point:
La Antigua Guatemala Santa Catarina Arch (5th Avenue North and 2nd Street North).
View on [Google Maps](#).
- Find the exact meeting point with what3words: [///umbrellas.aquatics.cuddled](http://umbrellas.aquatics.cuddled)
- Starting time: 8.30 AM
- Ending point:
La Antigua`s Main Plaza.

Full Itinerary

We will meet you in Antigua and drive for one hour to Guatemala City, where we'll start our tour by exploring the geographic heart of the city.

El Obelisco on Reforma Avenue is the centre of the city, and residents from all over Guatemala City enjoy their Sundays here, working out or just having fun outdoors with their family. Every other day of the week it is congested with traffic but on Sundays cars are banned so that locals have the opportunity to experience the delights of the area.

Strolling down Reforma Avenue, we will observe many of Guatemala's most important national monuments, including a statue of Miguel Angel Asturias, one of the country's treasured sons who won the Nobel Prize for literature in 1967.

We will then hop on the new Trans Metro and make our way over to the historic city centre.

Before reaching the centre, we will make a couple of stops to admire the Torre del Reformador, the National Theatre, and the modernist Civic Center, as well as many of the marvellous murals created in this part of the city by renowned artists in the 1950s and '60s.

Lunch is next on the agenda, in a local's favourite restaurant in the old part of town, washed down with an ice cold beer if you like. (Please note that lunch and beverage will be at your own expense.)

Our last stop is La Sexta, one of the most popular places to promenade in the city, particularly on Sundays. Culture and commerce form a heady and vibrant mix here.

We will stop to appreciate the many different kinds of architecture that's proudly on display, including some stunning art deco buildings.

The tour ends in the Main Plaza where there is a buzzing Sunday market offering handicrafts, colourful textiles, and plenty of fresh produce straight from the rich soil of Guatemala.

After you have done some souvenir shopping at the market, our shuttle will whisk our visitors from Antigua back to their base. Don't forget to ask your local guide for more tips on where to go and what else to see during your Guatemalan adventure.

Staying right in Guatemala City? No problem, you can book this tour [without the pick-up from Antigua](#).

Additional information

Inclusions: Local English-speaking guide, roundtrip transportation from Antigua, public transit fare, water, snacks.

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Dress standard: Please wear comfortable shoes for walking. You may also wish to bring a small backpack for carrying water or personal shopping at the market. Bring a hat if you're worried the sun will be too much. If the forecast calls for rain, bring a raincoat or umbrella, as we will be outdoors for much of the tour.

Your Trip: For your Urban Adventure you will be in a small group of a maximum of 12 people.

Confirmation of booking: If you have your voucher, your booking is confirmed. We'll see you at the start point. Get in touch if you have any concerns or require more information via the email address or phone number (business hours only) on your voucher.

Child Policy: Travellers under 18 years of age are not permitted to join this tour.

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