

Take a walk in UNIVERSITY CIRCLE



**Bonus Route
+12 min**

**Full Route
2.5 mi ~ 50 min**

And marvel at our beautiful local homes!

MAINTAIN SIX FEET BETWEEN YOU AND OTHERS AT ALL TIMES



STAY HOME IF YOU ARE EXHIBITING SYMPTOMS

University Circle Historic Home Tour

A Washington Place Inn, Little Italy

- Part of the Little Italy Historic District
- A former home converted to a restaurant in the 1970s
- Original home built in 1895

B Murray Hill Road, Little Italy

- Part of the Little Italy Historic District
- Originally called Cozad Street, named for the family whose farm extended from the Cozad-Bates House (point F) to the foot of the bluff
- Dozens of historic homes and structures
- Homes, duplexes, and other buildings built 1890-1930

C Nicola Petti Apartments, Little Italy

- Part of the Little Italy Historic District
- Designed by Nicola Petti, local architect born in Italy, around 1900
- Today used by artisans and artists as gallery and studio space

D La Collina Apartments, Little Italy

- Part of the Little Italy Historic District
- 5-story residential building built in 2019 with retail on the ground floor
- Its name translates from Italian as “The Hill”

E Centric

- 7-story residential building built on a former parking lot
- Completed 2018

F Cozad-Bates House

- Historic farmhouse once owned by the Cozad family, who were known abolitionists before the Civil War
- Beginning in 2020, a portion of the house will be open to the public as an interpretive center telling the story of the local anti-slavery movement
- Original farmhouse built in 1853; expanded 1860s; front portion in 1872

G East 115th Street

- A historic apartment building and several homes, all built c.1900

H Western Reserve College for Women

- Relocated from Hudson, Ohio to University Circle in 1881
- Historic college buildings around Mather Quad and on Euclid Avenue exemplify late-nineteenth and early-twentieth century architecture

J Abington and Cummington Roads

- These streets no longer exist but were once part of this dense single- and multi-family neighborhood, which along with many historic homes on Cornell and Adelbert Roads, were lost to institutional expansion
- Present-day UH Drive aligns with the former location of Abington Road, and Cummington once ran slightly to the west of today’s Circle Drive
- Most homes built 1885-1925; demolished 1950-1970

K Severance Hall

- Today’s iconic home of The Cleveland Orchestra was completed in 1931
- Until c.1900, parts of this land were owned by the Ford family, who had lived here since at least the 1850s and for whom nearby Ford Road is named. The Fords were known abolitionists before the Civil War

L Nathaniel Doan Homestead

- Today’s Fine Arts Garden and Wade Lagoon were formalized as public greenspace in the 1930s by the Cleveland Garden Club
- Wade Lagoon, though now enclosed, was once a mill pond created from the damming of Doan Brook by Nathaniel Doan, which he used for his grist mill
- Nathaniel Doan was one of this region’s first white settlers in 1799

M Park Lane Villa

- Built in 1919 overlooking Wade Park
- Still in use as for-rent residential units today

N Judson Manor

- Built in 1922 as “Wade Park Manor”, a luxury residential hotel
- Guests included Dwight D. Eisenhower, Walt Disney, and Jack Benny
- Converted in the 1980s to a senior living community, as it is today

O One University Circle

- 20-story residential tower completed in 2018
- Former location of the Western Reserve Historical Society (until 1930s)
- Former location of the Children’s Museum of Cleveland (now in Midtown)

P Newton Avenue Historic District, Hough

- 21 colorful bungalows and 2 apartment buildings dating from 1910-1920

Q Innova, Hough

- 6-story residential building built in 2015 with retail on the ground floor