

Ionian Odyssey - Northern • 8 days / 7 nights

20 Sep 2026 – 27 Sep 2026

DEPARTURE LOCATION

Nikiana Marina, Lefkada

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This Northern Ionian sailing journey explores the islands and mainland coastline of western Greece, beginning and ending in Lefkada.

Accommodation is onboard in private ensuite cabins aboard a luxury catamaran.

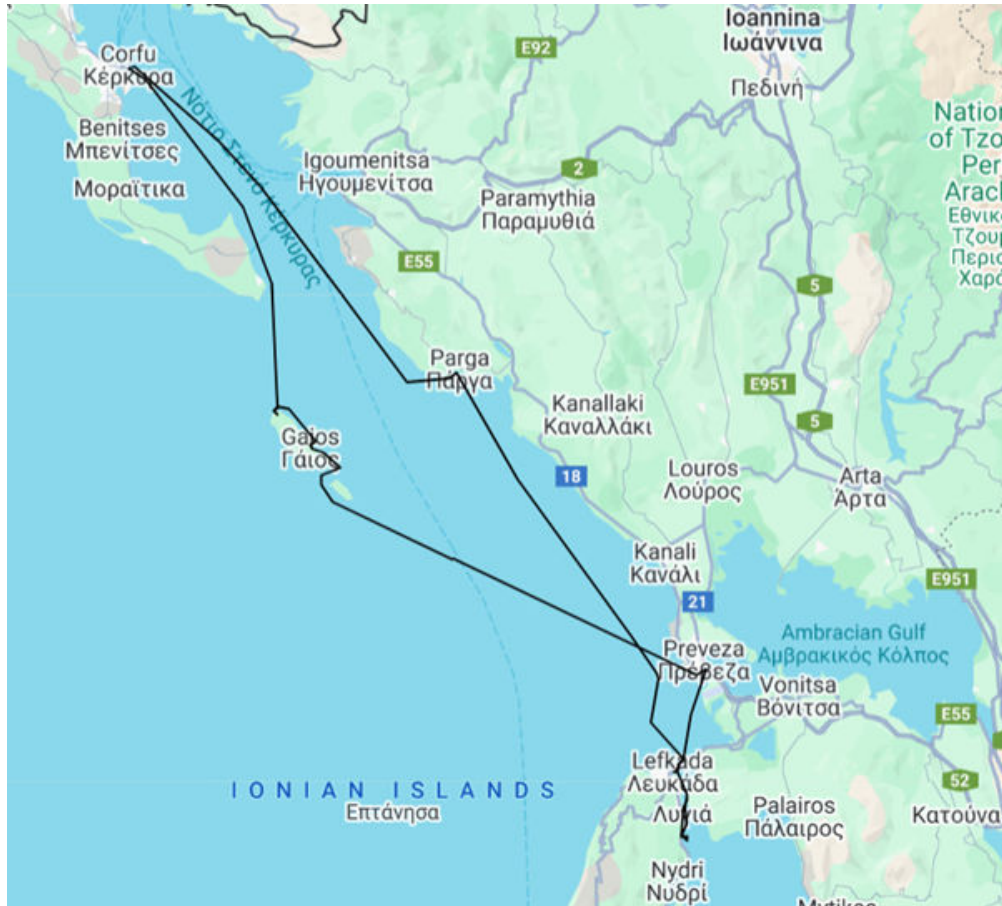
The itinerary begins with a sail from Lefkada to Prevezza, on the mainland coast, followed by a crossing to Paxos, where time is allowed to enjoy the island and its surrounding waters. A full day in Paxos provides an opportunity to relax, swim, and explore at a slower pace.

From Paxos, the journey continues north to Corfu, with time to explore the Old Town and surrounding areas. After Corfu, the route heads south along the mainland coast to Parga, known for its harbour setting and hillside old town.

The journey concludes with a final sail from Parga back to Lefkada, offering a well-paced introduction to the Northern Ionian that balances coastal cruising, island exploration, and relaxed time ashore.

Itinerary Overview

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Day 1: Lefkada - Prevezza

Day 5: Corfu

Day 2: Prevezza - Paxos

Day 6: Corfu - Parga

Day 3: Paxos

Day 7: Parga - Lefkada

Day 4: Paxos - Corfu

Day 8: Lefkada – Disembarkation

Details

- Small group tour (maximum 8 - 10 guests)
- Hosted by Luxe Sailing + Land Tours, with licensed local guides where required
- Relaxed cruising pace
- Some walking on uneven surfaces on walks and at historical sites
- Luxury catamaran accommodation

Inclusions

- 14 nights accommodation on a luxury catamaran with private ensuite
- 14 breakfasts
- 13 lunches
- 4 dinners
- Professional skipper
- Hostess
- All itinerary-related sea and land transfers, including ferries and taxis, where required
- Entry fees for onshore excursions, ancient sites, and museums
- Wi-Fi available onboard
- Tender (dinghy)
- Air conditioning
- Sea scooter
- 2 Stand Up Paddleboards (SUPs)
- Linen
- Bath towels
- Beach towels
- Fuel

Exclusions

- Flights
- Transfers not listed under Inclusions (available on request at additional cost)
- Personal expenses

Itinerary

Day 1: 20 Sep 2026
Lefkada - Prevezza

Meals: D
Accom: Yacht



Guests embark their yacht in Lefkada in the late afternoon and settle in on board before departure.

We set sail south along the mainland coast toward Preveza, enjoying an easy and sheltered introduction to life on the water. The sail is relaxed, with time to unwind on deck as we cruise toward our destination.

Embarkation

5:00 pm

Embark and settle in for your Ionian journey

Sailing

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Depart Lefkada, sailing north through the Lefkada Canal toward Preveza.

Free Time

7:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Free time to relax on board before heading ashore for dinner.

Welcome Dinner

7:30 pm - 10:00 pm

Welcome dinner at Treli Garida (The Crazy Prawn), a local taverna in Preveza.

About Lefkada

Lefkada: A Greek Island Paradise

Introduction: Welcome to the enchanting island of Lefkada, Greece! Nestled in the crystal-clear waters of the Ionian Sea, Lefkada offers a perfect blend of stunning natural beauty, rich history, and warm Greek hospitality. With its pristine beaches, rugged landscapes, charming villages, and delectable cuisine, this hidden gem is a dream destination for travellers seeking an unforgettable island experience. Let Luxe Sailing be your guide as we delve into the wonders of Lefkada!

How to Get There: Join one of our Luxury Sailing tours.

Lefkada is conveniently accessible by air and sea. For international visitors, the nearest major airport is the Aktion National Airport (PVK), which is approximately 20 kilometres away from Lefkada town. From the airport, you can easily reach the island via taxis, buses, or rental cars. Alternatively, if you're already in Greece or neighbouring regions, you can also take a ferry to Lefkada from the ports of Igoumenitsa or Patras.

Day 2: 21 Sep 2026
Prevezza - Paxos

Meals: B • L
Accom: Yacht



Departing Preveza, we sail west across the Ionian Sea toward Paxos, with time to stop at Antipaxos for swimming in its famous turquoise waters. We then continue on to Paxos, arriving in the island's charming main harbour of Gaios. Sheltered, lively, and full of character, Gaios is known for its waterfront tavernas, pastel-coloured buildings, and relaxed evening atmosphere — an ideal place to go ashore, stroll the harbourfront, and enjoy dinner overlooking the water.

Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Breakfast on board your yacht

Sailing

9:30 am - 4:00 pm

Departing Preveza, we sail west across the Ionian Sea toward Paxos, with time to stop for a swim in the crystal-clear waters around Antipaxos before continuing to Paxos.

Lunch - Sailing

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Enjoy a delicious lunch on board the yacht

Free Time

4:00 pm

Free time to explore the harbour town of Gaios on Paxos, stroll along the waterfront, enjoy a swim, or relax on board the yacht.

Day 3: 22 Sep 2026
Paxos

Meals: B • L
Accom: Yacht



Today is spent enjoying the island of Paxos at a relaxed pace. We explore the island's coastline by sea, with time to swim in sheltered bays and enjoy Paxos' famously clear turquoise waters. Depending on conditions and preference, there is the option to visit the charming harbours of Lakka or Longos, both known for their picturesque settings, waterfront tavernas, and laid-back atmosphere.

The afternoon is unhurried, allowing time to swim, relax on board, or explore ashore. We return to the main harbour later in the day, with the evening free to enjoy Paxos at leisure and dine ashore overlooking the water.

Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Breakfast on board your yacht

Sailing

9:30 am - 4:00 pm

A relaxed day based in Paxos, with time to swim in nearby bays and the option to visit the picturesque harbour of Lakka.

Lunch - Sailing

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Enjoy a delicious lunch on board the yacht

Free Time

4:00 pm

Free time to relax on board the yacht or enjoy Paxos at your own pace, including time ashore along the harbourfront.

About Paxos and Anti Paxos

Paxos and Anti Paxos, Greece

Introduction: Welcome to the captivating islands of Paxos and Anti Paxos, tucked away in the azure waters of the Ionian Sea, off the western coast of Greece. Paxos and Anti Paxos are renowned for their unspoiled natural beauty, pristine beaches, clear waters, and a serene ambiance that will leave you spellbound. Whether you seek relaxation or thrilling adventures, these islands have it all. Let Luxe Sailing be your guide to an unforgettable journey through these idyllic Greek paradises.

How to Get There: Paxos and Anti Paxos are accessible via ferry from various ports on mainland Greece. The closest major airports are in Corfu and Preveza. From either of these airports, you can take a domestic flight or reach the ports of Igoumenitsa, Corfu, or Parga, and then catch a ferry to the islands. Ferry schedules may vary depending on the season, so it is advisable to check in advance.

Day 4: 23 Sep 2026
Paxos - Corfu

Meals: B • L
Accom: Yacht



Departing Paxos, we sail north toward Corfu, with a brief stop in the beautiful harbour of Lakka for a swim and coffee ashore. We then continue to Corfu, arriving later in the day and berthing in the marina.

The approach to Corfu is a highlight in itself. Elegant fortresses rise above the Old Town, Venetian buildings line the waterfront, and the island's grand scale and energy are immediately apparent. After mooring, there is time to go ashore for an evening stroll, a drink by the harbour, or dinner in one of Corfu's many excellent restaurants.

Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Breakfast on board your yacht

Sailing

9:30 am - 4:00 pm

Set sail north toward Corfu, with a short stop in the picturesque harbour of Lakka on Paxos for swimming and sightseeing before continuing to Corfu.

Lunch - Sailing

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Enjoy a delicious lunch on board the yacht

Free Time

4:00 pm

Free time to explore Corfu Town, stroll the waterfront and old town streets, or relax on board the yacht after berthing in the marina.

Day 5: 24 Sep 2026
Corfu

Meals: B • L
Accom: Yacht



Departing Corfu, we sail south along the mainland coast toward the colourful seaside town of Parga. Framed by a Venetian castle and backed by lush green hills, Parga is one of the most picturesque towns in the Ionian, with a lively waterfront, sandy beaches, and a relaxed Mediterranean atmosphere.

On arrival, we berth in the marina and head ashore to explore. There is the option to stroll the harbourfront, swim at a nearby beach, or visit a local olive oil museum, where guests can learn about traditional production methods and enjoy an olive oil tasting. The evening is free to dine ashore in one of Parga's many waterfront tavernas, watching the sun set over the bay.

Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Breakfast on board your yacht

Free Time

9:30 am

A full day to explore Corfu, with time for sightseeing, swimming and enjoying the island at a relaxed pace.

Lunch - Sailing

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Enjoy a delicious lunch on board the yacht (included), or explore the dining options available in town (at your expense)

About Corfu

Corfu

Introduction: Nestled in the azure waters of the Ionian Sea, Corfu is a paradise of picturesque landscapes, ancient history, and vibrant culture. Known as Kerkyra to the

locals, this Greek island offers a perfect blend of sandy beaches, lush greenery, and charming villages. From its Venetian-inspired architecture to its lively nightlife, Corfu promises an unforgettable experience for every traveller.

How to Get There: Join a Luxe Sailing tour for the best way to see Corfu. Corfu is well-connected to major European cities, making it easily accessible by air and sea. You can reach the island via Corfu International Airport, which receives regular flights from various destinations. Alternatively, there are ferry services from mainland Greece and neighbouring islands for those who prefer the scenic route.

Day 6: 25 Sep 2026
Corfu - Parga

Meals: B • L
Accom: Yacht



Departing Corfu, we sail south along the mainland coast toward the colourful seaside town of Parga. Framed by a Venetian castle and backed by lush green hills, Parga is one of the most picturesque towns in the Ionian, with a lively waterfront, sandy beaches, and a relaxed Mediterranean atmosphere.

On arrival, we berth in the marina and head ashore to explore. There is the option to stroll the harbourfront, swim at a nearby beach, or enjoy an optional visit to a local olive oil museum, where guests can learn about traditional production methods and enjoy an olive oil tasting. The evening is free to dine ashore in one of Parga's many waterfront tavernas, watching the sun set over the bay.

Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Breakfast on board your yacht

Sailing

9:30 am - 4:00 pm

Set sail south along the mainland coast toward Parga, with time for sightseeing and swimming along the way before arriving in port later in the day.

Lunch - Sailing

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Enjoy a delicious lunch on board the yacht

Free Time

4:00 pm

Free time to explore the colourful town of Parga, known for its beaches, lively waterfront, and Venetian castle overlooking the harbour. Subject to availability, there may be an optional visit to a local olive oil museum with tasting.

About Parga

Parga - Your Unforgettable Mediterranean Getaway

Introduction: Welcome to Parga, a stunning coastal town nestled on the northwest coast of Greece! With its turquoise waters, lush landscapes, and rich history, Parga offers an idyllic escape for travellers seeking a perfect blend of relaxation, adventure, and cultural experiences. This guide will take you through everything you need to know to make the most of your visit to this enchanting destination.

How to Get There: By joining one of our Luxury Sailing tours.

Parga is easily accessible by air, with the nearest airport being Aktion National Airport (PVK), also known as Preveza Airport. From the airport, you can reach Parga by taxi or rental car in approximately 1.5 hours. Another option is to fly to Ioannina National Airport (IOA) and then take a scenic 2.5-hour drive to Parga. Additionally, you can reach Parga by ferry from Corfu, which takes around 1.5 hours.

Day 7: 26 Sep 2026
Parga - Lefkada

Meals: B • L
Accom: Yacht



Leaving Parga, we sail south across the Ionian Sea toward Lefkada. This is a longer sailing day, with time to relax on deck, enjoy swimming stops along the way, and take in the open Ionian seascape.

We arrive back in Lefkada later in the evening, with time to settle in on board ahead of the final day of the journey.

Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Breakfast on board your yacht

Sailing

9:30 am - 4:00 pm

Set sail south along the Epirus coastline toward Preveza, with time for sightseeing and swimming along the way before arriving later in the day.

Lunch - Sailing

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

Enjoy a delicious lunch on board the yacht

Free Time

4:00 pm

Free time to explore the old town of Preveza, wander its lively streets, or relax along the waterfront.

Day 8: 27 Sep 2026
Lefkada – Disembarkation

Meals: B
Accom: Yacht



You will disembark at 09:00 on the final day of your sailing tour in Lefkada, marking the end of an unforgettable journey through the Ionian Islands.

Breakfast

7:00 am - 9:00 am

Breakfast on board your yacht

Disembarkation

9:00 am

Disembarkation in Lefkada. Our journey comes to an end.