

# **THE AGES AND FACES OF GREECE**

## ***A Tour for Earlhamites and Friends of the College***

We cordially invite Earlhamites and friends of the College to join us on a tour of Greece from June 8-23. We will explore the spirit of the various ages of Greece (from Minoan to modern) as we examine the archaeological, cultural and artistic evidence.



**Athenian Parthenon**

We will begin in Athens with the Acropolis (which includes the Parthenon), travel to Eleusis and then to Corinth where we will see the Temple of Apollo, one of the oldest classical temples in Greece, and the traces of the Roman occupation of the site.

On our fifth day we visit Mycenae, the palace celebrated in the Homeric poems. We visit the great theater at Epidaurus, travel to Sparta and then to Olympia where we will walk the site of the Olympic games. We complete this leg of the tour with a visit to the spectacular mountains of Delphi and another Temple of Apollo.



**Mycenaean funeral mask**

We then travel by ferry to Crete to study the reconstructed Minoan palace at Knossos and other Minoan sites. When we return to Athens we will visit some of the museums that bring the ages and faces of Greece more clearly into focus. And, yes, there will be beach time here and there.



### **Minoan bull-leaping fresco**

The tour will be led by Steve Heiny, who has taken many student groups to Greece. He will be assisted by Kathy Cole, Earlham Class of 1975. We will be hosted by the Athens Centre, which has provided for Earlham students and faculty for years.

Costs: \$ 5,050 per person for single-rooms, \$ 4,140 for double rooms. These costs cover all travel within Greece, including ferry to Crete and flight back to Athens, and breakfasts. They do not cover airfare to and from Greece, or lunch or dinner. We will be the guests of the Athens Centre for two dinners.

This tour will require walking for two or three miles a day, in a few places on unimproved paths.

Questions may be addressed to Steve Heiny ([heinyt@earlham.edu](mailto:heinyt@earlham.edu)) or to Kathy Cole ([kjcolemd@gmail.com](mailto:kjcolemd@gmail.com)).

A \$1000 deposit will reserve your place with us. We can take a maximum of 20 participants. We will refund the \$1000 if you back out for any reason before March 1, or if a minimum of 10 participants is not met by April 1. We will notify anyone who has sent in their deposit when we have reached the minimum of 10 needed to go. All fees are due April 10th, 2020.

Checks should be made out to Katherine Cole, with a note in the subject line, "Earlham Greece Trip." Katherine's address is: 2514 Trophy Lane, Reston, VA 20191.