

Your itinerary for visiting the most important organs in Paris during the weekend
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SATURDAY			
17.00	Ste.Clotilde	Audition (organ concert)	<i>(only second Saturday of the month, September-June)</i>
17.45	Sainte-Madeleine (1846, III/58)	Prelude of the 18.00-Mass	18.00 Take the Metro (ligne 12) to Assemblée Nationale and walk to SteClotilde (5 minutes)
18.25	Sainte-Clotilde (1859, III/71):	Evening Mass	Olivier Penin will be glad to welcome you on the organ tribune! 19.40 Very fast walk to Notre-Dame or RER C Musée d'Orsay – Notre Dame or bus 63 or walk to M St.Germain-desPrés and take the metro till St.Michel
20.00	Notre-Dame-de-Paris	Audition (organ concert)	
SUNDAY			
9.30	Notre-Dame-de-Paris* (1867, V/113)*	Laudes (choir organ), followed by the prelude (great organ) of the 10.00 Gregorian mass	End of mass: 11.20, you have all the time to walk to St. Sulpice (15 minutes) (or Metro line 4 (St.Michel to St.Sulpice))
10.00	Ten options	See next page	Do mind: all preludes are very short, you will have to wait for the offertoire, communion and sortie to hear the organ in all its beauty
12.05	St.Sulpice	Audition (organ concert)	Visit to the organ loft cancelled due to 'security reasons'
13.30	Lunch break		Take a break now for a good lunch! Suggestions: <i>Au Vieux Colombier</i> , 65 rue Rennes (at the entrance of Metro St.Sulpice), a very nice and typical Parisian brasserie, which has conserved its art nouveau style or <i>Le Saint André</i> , 2 rue Danton (at the south sortie of M4 St Michel), a friendly Parisian brasserie with a comprehensive menu.
16.00	Sacré-Coeur	Vespers	Cavaillé-Coll's last masterpiece, although in a bad shape nowadays
17.30	St-Eustache	Audition (organ concert)	18.00 Walk back to Notre-Dame-de-Paris
18.30 OR 18.45	Notre-Dame-de-Paris* St.Etienne-du-Mont	Evening Mass Evening Mass	At 17.45 there is an evening prayer, with interludes on the great organ Prelude and sortie are short at St. Etienne-du-Mont...
22.00	Sacré-Coeur	Mass	Cavaillé-Coll's last masterpiece, although in a bad shape nowadays
* do mind the large queue for entering Notre Dame (5-10 minutes waiting time ☺)			

OTHER OPTIONS SUNDAY BETWEEN 10.00-11.30, attending the prelude of the 11.00 mass (starting point: Notre-Dame)

If you prefer the symphonic organs:

- 10.15 5 minutes walk to Metro Mabillon and take ligne 10 to Cardinal Lemoine, 5-minute walk to **St. Etienne-du-Mont**
- 10.15 10-minutes walk to metro Sèvres-Babylone and take ligne 12, 2-minute walk to **Trinité**
- 10.15 10-minutes walk to metro Sèvres-Babylone and take ligne 12, 2-minute walk to **Madeleine**
- 10.15 5 minute walk to Metro Hotel de Ville, take line 11 to Belleville, change to line 2 to Ménilmontant, 5 minute walk to **Notre-Dame-de-la-Croix**
- 10.15 10-minutes walk to metro Sèvres-Babylone and take ligne 10, 1-minute walk to **Église d'Auteuil** (silent till mid 2018 due to a restoration)
- 10.15 5 minutes walk to Metro Cité, take ligne 4 to Barbes-Rochechouart and take a 15 minute walk to **St. Bernard de la Chapelle**
- 10.15 5 minutes walk to Metro Hotel de Ville, take ligne 1 to Bastille and take a 10 minute walk to **Saint-Antoine-des-Quinze-Vingts**

If you prefer French baroque organs:

- 10.30 5 minutes walk to Metro Cité, take ligne 4 to Réaumur-Sebastopol and take a 5-minute walk to **St-Nicolas-des-Champs**
- 10.30 5 minutes walk to Metro Hotel de Ville, take ligne 1 to Tuileries, take a 5-minute walk to **St-Roch**
- 10.30 a 10-minute walk to **St-Gervais**

If you prefer German baroque organs:

- 10.30 a 10-minute walk to **St-Louis-en-l'île**

Other organs you should visit (but don't fit into any schedule):

- Saint-Denis (Metro ligne 13) (Sunday 10.00 AM)
- Aubervilliers (Metro ligne 12) (Sunday 9.30, 11.00 AM)
- Versailles, Cathédrale St. Louis (RER C) (Sunday 11.00 AM)

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