

**TRAIN** : Venice Simplon Orient Express

**JOURNEY** : The Classic Orient - Venice to Paris

**Journey Duration** : Upto 2 days

### **Day to Day Itinerary**

#### **Day 1 - The Golden Age of Travel**

Feel the thrill of anticipation at Santa Lucia Station as your journey begins. Board the Venice Simplon-Orient-Express and make yourself comfortable in your cabin. Luxurious upholstery, polished marquetry and soft lighting set the scene for the glamor to come.

Sit down to a delicious three-course lunch in one of the beautifully restored dining cars. Through the window, the changing scenery takes in the majestic Italian Dolomites and, after Innsbruck mountains, the spectacular Arlberg route. During a relaxing afternoon, browse our onboard boutique for exclusive, elegant gifts or simply unwind in your cabin where a French *goûter*, served by your steward, makes an indulgent treat.

Soon it's time to dress for dinner. Whet your appetite with an aperitif in Bar Car '3674' before making your way to one of the dining cars. Here, the imagination of celebrated chef Jean Imbert influences both the *décor* and the menu. Seasonal specialities are accompanied by exceptional wines. After dinner, a lively ambience awaits back at the bar. Listen to the resident pianist play the baby grand as you sip sublime and classic cocktails.

#### **Day 2 - Breakfast With A View**

Unwind in your cabin this morning as your steward serves a French breakfast. Continue absorbing the scenic French countryside as you savor an exquisite brunch in the restaurant. As the train pulls into Paris, get ready to disembark for your onward explorations and adventures.

