



Nigitsu Shrine

Rhythms of Prayer
(beginning at 7:45 pm;
featuring percussion
instruments)



Myōjōin Temple

Temple will be
illuminated for
evening visitors

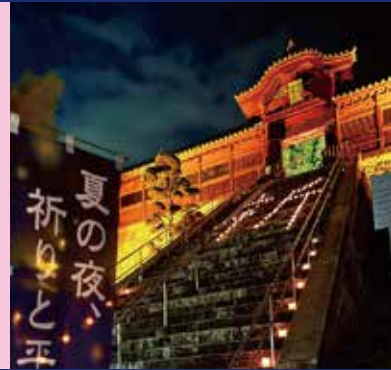
Tsuruhane Shrine

- 1) Candle lighting
(beginning at 7 pm)
- 2) *Hanachōzu*: cleanse
your hands in a flower-
filled stone basin before
offering a prayer



Hiroshima Tōshōgū Shrine

- 1) Paper crane curtain
(beginning at 9 am)
- 2) *Shō* (Japanese wind
instrument) performance and
retelling of the Hiroshima
atomic bombing (beginning at
6:30 pm)



Onaga Tenmangū Shrine

- 1) Paper crane workshop (9 am-
12 pm): fold your own paper
cranes with prayers for peace
- 2) *Shakuhachi* Japanese
bamboo flute performance to
pray for the repose of souls
(beginning at 7:25 pm)



Kokuzenji Temple

Sutra reading
(beginning at 7:45 pm)

Shōkōji Zen Temple

Shakuhachi flute
performance by *komusō*
monks (wandering Zen
priests with Japanese
bamboo flutes)
(beginning at 8 pm)



Evening Guided Tours

Join free guided tours of the temples and shrines by the
Futaba-no-Sato Historical Walking Trail Volunteer Guide Association

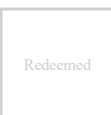
Sign up starts at 5:45 pm; tour begins at 6 pm

Meeting point: Eki-kita Terrace of JR Hiroshima Station (2F North Exit)
(Participation is free and no advance registration required)

Tour routes:

- 1) Hiroshima Tōshōgū Shrine to Nigitsu Shrine
- 2) Hiroshima Tōshōgū Shrine to Shōkōji Zen Temple

Stamp Rally



Receive a stamp from staff at each temple and shrine. Collect
three or more stamps and redeem them for a free *ramune* soft
drink. Offer is limited to the first 300 participants on August 5,
with one redemption per person.

Leave only memories—please use the trash bins at each temple
and shrine and help keep all seven sacred sites clean.

Hiroshima Station