

Tour of Tri-Acres and Holy Trinity Lutheran Church at Seiberling Sites Tour Tea

March 11, 2016 – Akron, Ohio – Tickets are now on sale for **Tea at Stan Hywet: Seiberling Sites Tour Tea** on Saturday, April 9 from 10am-1:30pm. The tea begins with an exclusive bus tour of West Akron of Seiberling sites and includes a tour of Tri-Acres, home of C.W. Seiberling; and Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, the Seiberling family church. Following the bus tour, the group will return to Stan Hywet for tea, savory tea sandwiches and dessert with music provided Tuesday Musical Association. The tea also includes a self-guided tour of the Manor House, featuring the fresh floral displays of **Inspiration in Bloom**.

Stan Hywet is located at 714 North Portage Path in Akron, Ohio.

“Tri-Acres is rarely opened to the public. This tour is a very special opportunity to learn about Akron and Seiberling family history,” notes Kathleen C. Norman, Director of Public Programs at Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens.

Tri-Acres was built by F.A. Seiberling’s brother and Goodyear co-founder C.W. Seiberling in 1913; it is now the home of the Warther Financial Group. Designed by noted architect Edward S. Childs, the house has steel-beamed construction, ornate ceilings, hand carved panels and ornate woodwork.

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church was built in 1914 in the style of a French Gothic cathedral, with intricate hand carvings and beautiful stained glass windows. F.A. Seiberling was major influence in the construction of “The Little Cathedral on the Hill.” The magnificent pipe organ was originally a gift from the Seiberlings. Stan Hywet volunteer and Holy Trinity member, Dan Seiberling, will lead the tour of the church.

Tickets

The Seiberling Sites Tour Tea is \$100 per person; \$80 for members of Stan Hywet. Reservations are required and tickets may be purchased by visiting www.stanhywet.org or by calling 330-315-3287.

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