



## **GUDURICA – VRŠAC – MONASTERY MESIC**



Starting from the appointed site at 08:00h...

Arrival in the village **Gudurica**. This wine tour is a big adventure, because almost every house has its own wine cellar, and every single wine is the brand for themselves. Ride through the Vrsac vineyards and meet with the famous varieties of wine in this region such as: Italian Riesling, Rhine Riesling, White Burgundy, Chardonnay, Traminac...

Visit the **church of St. Theodore**. Original church was built in 1679, was destroyed in 1780. and in its place was built the present one. Icons dates from the 18th century, where left their trace the artistic painters Jovan Klajić and Milisav Markovic. In the church are located Bogorodičin throne and arhijerejski throne with the later repainted icon of Christ from the 18<sup>th</sup> century.

Visit to the **monastery Mesic**, women's monastery of the Serbian Orthodox Church in the Banat Diocese. It is one of the most important monasteries in the south-eastern Banat, which originated in 15<sup>th</sup> century, although according to a local legend it was established in 1225. by Arsenije Bogdanović Hilandarac who was personally by Sveti Sava set up for a monastery prior. Arrival in Vršac, the city that can boast with a centuries long tradition of a wine production. The city is rich in history and tradition, surrounded by the beautiful nature. Sightseeing: "Pharmacy on the stairs" - the oldest pharmacy in the Balkans, Roman Catholic Cathedral of St. Gerhard, the Serbian Orthodox Church ...

Visit to the family winery "Vinik", in the city centre of **Vršac**. In the basement with the authentic atmosphere, while sitting by the oak tables and surrounded by the wine barrels, you can enjoy the wine tasting. The story of the wine you will hear from the great wine master of the "St. Teodor", which will organize the wine tasting and reveal you the secret of making this divine drink. Late lunch in the winery with the tamborines, local wine and a great atmosphere...