WHERE TO GO:

• Head south to Lille and discover the Old Town’s Flemish inspired architecture.

• See some art at the Palais des Beaux-Arts, do a spot of shopping at Marché de Wazemmes, one of France’s largest outdoor markets and stop for a bite to eat in Lille’s city square, taking in the cosmopolitan atmosphere.

• Drive west to Arras and visit the UNESCO listed Belfry at the City Hall with views across the city and beyond from 75 metres high!

• Delve into the history of Arras with a visit to Carrière Wellington, a system of tunnels which provided a hiding place for thousands of soldiers during WW1. Its 17th century citadel is also a UNESCO World Heritage Site and worth a visit.

• Don’t forget to try Cœurs d’Arras, heart shaped gingerbread biscuits, for a sweet treat for your onward journey.

• Stop at Boulogne-sur-Mer, a charming seaside town less than an hour from both our ports. Try some freshly caught seafood, visit the largest medieval crypt in Northern Europe, and meet some friendly fish at Nausicaa, Europe’s largest aquarium!