

Leros Island, Dodecanese, Greece

One of Greece's best-kept secrets, Leros combines a striking Italian Art Deco port town, a Byzantine hilltop castle, and authentic fishing-village beaches — all with barely a tourist in sight.

Docked at Lakki (most ships)

Typical call: 6–8 hrs

Currency: Euro (€)

Language: Greek (English widely spoken)

🗓 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____ Arrive: _____ All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Most ships dock at Lakki commercial pier; small/expedition ships may tender to Agia Marina

Best For: WWII history, Italian architecture, authentic Greek beaches, wreck diving

Walk to Center: 5–10 min flat walk from Lakki pier to Lakki town; Agia Marina is steps from its tender dock

Don't Miss: Agios Isidoros chapel on the sea causeway and the castle views over Panteli bay

🚗 Getting around: 🚗 **Taxi** ✅ €5–€12 · 📱 **Rideshare** ❌ not available

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Battle of Leros WWII Tunnel Museum** — Walk through genuine Italian-built wartime tunnels packed with recovered guns, uniforms, aircraft wreckage, and the...
 - **Castle of Panteli (Kastro)** — An 11th-century Byzantine fortress crowning the island's central ridge, with sweeping 360° views over the bays of...
 - **Lakki Rationalist Architecture Walk** — Mussolini transformed Lakki into a model Italian naval town in the
- 1930s — the result is a hauntingly beautiful, almost...

 - **Panteli & Vromolithos Beach Afternoon** — Twin bays side by side, fringed by pine trees and lined with fish tavernas where you can eat grilled octopus and red...
 - **Wreck Diving in Lakki Bay** — The intense WWII sea battles left dozens of warplanes and warships on the seabed of Leros's deep bays, making this one...

BEST WALKS

- **Lakki Waterfront to Rationalist Town Center** 1 km · Flat · 15–20 min — From the cruise pier, walk the wide promenade past the marina and into Lakki town.
- **Agia Marina to Platanos to Castle** 1.5 km one-way · Steep · 30–40 min up — From the Agia Marina tender dock, wind uphill through the narrow lanes of Platanos — the traditional capital — past neoclassical...
- **Agios Isidoros Chapel Causeway** Short walk · Easy · ~15 min — Walk the narrow stone causeway stretching out to sea to reach the tiny Agios Isidoros chapel perched on its own rocky islet — the...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		68°	55°	5d
Jun		82°	68°	2d
Aug		86°	72°	1d
Sep		81°	68°	2d
Oct		74°	62°	5d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 5:50AM–7:00PM · Jun 5:00AM–7:55PM · Aug 5:25AM–7:25PM · Sep 5:55AM–6:45PM · Oct 6:30AM–5:55PM

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