

# India and Pakistan open pilgrim corridor

The Kartarpur Corridor will permit visa-free access for Sikh pilgrims from India to Kartarpur in Pakistan, home to one of Sikhism's holiest shrines, in a rare cooperation between the nuclear-armed neighbours



## Gurdwara Darbar Sahib Kartarpur

Temple built on site where founder of Sikhism, **Guru Nanak**, died in 1539. Sikhs' second holiest site after his birthplace, commemorated at **Gurdwara Janam Asthan** in Nankana Sahib

- Corridor, which can accommodate up to 5,000 pilgrims per day, replaces drawn-out visa process and 125km journey via Lahore
- Cooperation could build confidence after increase in tension when Delhi stripped partial autonomy from Indian-administered part of Kashmir