

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE



(TRAVEL WITH THE CATHOLICS OF THE HOLY LAND)

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Day 1 – Monday, October 12, 2020

Depart St Joseph Church towards Washington airports to take our flight to the Holy Land.

Day 2– Tuesday, October 13, 2020

Arrival at Tel Aviv airport. After customs we meet the guide, and the bus driver.

After that we drive, if time permit, nearby Tel Aviv airport to celebrate arriving safety mass at Trappist monastery. This monastery is the site in which the Israelites, led by Joshua defeated the Amorites (Joshua 10:1-11). We will visit their winery.

Arriving at the hotel in Tiberias, dinner and overnight at the hotel.

Day 3– Wednesday, Oct 14, 2020

Breakfast at the hotel

Drive to Cana of Galilee, visit the Church of the Wedding Feast, celebrate the renewal of marriage vows, also taste the wine of Cana. Proceed to Nazareth,

11:00 Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Annunciation, which is the only place in the world where the pilgrims pray (John 1:14) the Word [here] became flesh “hic Verbum caro factum est”, after that we visit the birthplace of St. Joseph.

Visit Mary's Well.

13:45 Proceed to Mt. Tabor, ascend by taxis to visit the Church of Transfiguration.

15:00 Drive to the Baptism Site on the River Jordan.

Dinner and overnight at the Hotel.

Day 4 – Thursday, October 15, 2020

Breakfast at hotel.

Visit Capernaum, and Tabgha.

After that we proceed to Mt. of Beatitudes, where we celebrate the Mass here.

Continue through the Hula Valley to Banias (Caesarea Philippi) one of the sources of the Jordan River. Matthew 16:13 Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, “Who do people say that the Son of Man is?”.

Drive through the Golan heights drive to Ein Gev, get a view of the road to Damascus where St. Paul had his conversion.

16:00 Cross the Sea of Galilee by boat to Tiberias.

Dinner and overnight at the Hotel

Day 5 – Friday, October 16, 2020

Breakfast at hotel

Drive through the Valley of Armageddon, to Mt.Carmel. Enjoy the view from Muhrakha.

Continue to Stella Maris.

11:00 Celebrate Mass at Stella Maris

Drive along the Mediterranean to visit Caesarea, after that back to the Sea of Galilee – enjoy extra time at St. Peter’s Primacy.

Return to Tiberias.

Dinner and overnight at the Hotel.

Day 6 – Saturday, October 17, 2020

Breakfast at Hotel

Depart Tiberias, drive along the Jordan Valley to Jericho. Visit the Zacchaeus’s Tree and ascend to Mt. of Temptation. (where Satan tempted our Lord) by cable car.

After that we arrive at Qasr el Yahud – official Baptism Site on River Jordan, to renew our baptismal vows.

Drive to the shores of Dead Sea - the lowest point on Earth – Enjoy a ‘dip’, a swim.

Proceed to the Inn of the Good Samaritan for a visit and celebrate the Mass in the desert. Bypass Bethany – and ascend to Jerusalem. Enjoy a first impression of the panoramic view over Old and New City from Mt. Scopus.

Dinner and overnight at the hotel in Jerusalem.

Day 7- Sunday, October 18, 2020

Breakfast at hotel

Drive to the Mt. of Olives for view.

Walk on Palm Sunday Road Procession to the Garden of Gethsemane. Visiting the Church of Ascension and Pater Noster (the Lord’s Prayer)

11:00 Celebrate Mass at Dominus Fleuit.

Continue to the Garden of Gethsemane, and Mary’s Tomb by Gethsemane.

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In the afternoon visit the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu, and the Dormition Church on Mt. Zion.

Dinner at the Hotel.

20:00 Holy Hour at the Church of All Nations at Gethsemane, Adoration & Confession (optional).

Day 8 –Monday, October 19, 2020

Breakfast at hotel.

Transfer to the Old City. Enter through St. Stephen's Gate.

Visit Church of St. Ann, and the Pool of Bethesda.

10:00 Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Flagellation.

Walk along the Stations of the Cross on Via Dolorosa carrying one large cross, pass the Ecce Homo Arch and Condemnation Chapel. Visit the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. See the Rock of Calvary and The Holy Tomb.

Continue through the market area to visit the Temple Area.

Walk through oriental bazaars.

Transfer to hotel.

Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem

Day 9 – Tuesday, October 20, 2020

Breakfast at hotel

Proceed to Haas Promenade, for a panoramic view on Kidron Valley.

Drive to Ein Karem, visit the Church and birthplace of St. John the Baptist and Church of Visitation.

Enjoy shopping before Mass

Celebrate Mass at the Church of Nativity and stop and visit the birthplace of our Lord, and the manger scene,

After that we visit Milk Grotto where Christian tradition says is the place where the Holy Family found refuge during the Massacre of the Innocents, before they could flee to Egypt. The name is derived from the story that a "drop of milk" of the Virgin Mary fell on the floor of the cave and changed its color to white. The space, which contains three different caves, is visited by some pilgrims in hope of healing infertile couples.

Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 10 - Wednesday, Oct 21, 2020

Breakfast at hotel.

In the morning we see the Model of the Old City with the 2nd Temple era.

After that drive to the City of David.

Visit & Mas at the Room of Last Supper Caenacle.

Then we continue to the Shepherds' field for good bye party.

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Day 11 Thursday, October 22, 2020

Depart Tel Aviv airport to the USA

Day 12 Friday, October 23, 2020

Arriving Washington airports, then we take the bus to go to St Joseph Church

Trip Includes:

Bus from/to your Church to the airport
Round trip airfare
Meet and assist upon arrival and departure – English speaking guide.
Transfers by A/C & heated Coach all throughout the itinerary.
3 stars hotels of full breakfast, and full supper each day.
A daily bottle of water.
Double or twin room.
All tours and guides (English Speaking of course).
Entrance fees to places on the itinerary.
Boat ride at Sea of Galilee.

Not Included: Passport Fees

Items and souvenirs of a personal nature
Trip Insurance
Airport taxes and border fees
Tips for guide and driver

Cost: Per person \$3550.00
Single Supplement \$750.00 extra

Deposit of \$550.00, (250.00 is non-refundable) – at registration, no later than 1/20/2020.

First payment	March 1, 2020	\$600.00
Second payment:	April 1, 2020	\$600.00
Third payment:	May 1, 2020	\$600.00
Fourth payment:	June 1, 2020	\$600.00
Fifth payment:	July 1, 2020	\$600.00

Travel Insurance: the cost is \$ 300 (not included)

Make your checks payable to “**Holy Land Pilgrimage;**” mail to: **Holy Land Pilgrimage, c/o**
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Cancellation Policy:

- 150 days or more prior to departure \$250.00
- 75 – 149 days prior to departure 25% of total trip cost
- 46 – 74 days prior to departure 50% of total trip cost
- 0 – 45 days prior to departure NO REFUND

Please fill out this information and mail to, St. Joseph Church, Petersburg, 151 West Washington St., Petersburg VA 23804

INSURANCE (Check One) YES, I WANT IT NO I DON'T WANT IT
I have included the amount of _____ in addition to \$550 for deposit on this trip.

FULL NAME AS IT APPEARS ON THE PASSPORT or Driver License (if you still do not have passport):	
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HOME PHONE:	
CELL PHONE:	
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THIS IS A CATHOLIC RELIGIOUS PILGRIMAGE INCLUDING DAILY MASS, SCRIPTURE READINGS, MEDITATION & THE ROSARY.

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