

Walk the footsteps of Jesus In the Land of Abraham

A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND & PETRA

With Deacon Mark Shine
St. Charles Borromeo, Tacoma, WA
January 22 to February 5, 2024

Day 1: Depart USA to Tel Aviv Airport, Israel

Day 2: Arrive in the Holy Land. Meet our Tour Guide who will escort us throughout our pilgrimage. Drive to Tiberius. Dinner and overnight in **Tiberius**

Day 3: We start our day with a boat ride across the Sea of Galilee. Visit Capernaum and the House of Peter. Visit Magdala; the "Jesus' boat" at Nof Ginosaur; the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes at Tabgha, continue to visit St. Peter's Church on the Sea. Dinner and overnight in **Tiberius**

Day 4: Drive to Cana of Galilee, the place commemorating the first miracle of Jesus. Drive to Mt. Carmel; visit Baha'i Garden in Haifa; continue to Nazareth to visit the Basilica of the Annunciation, Mary's Well, St. Joseph Church and the old Synagogue. Dinner and overnight in **Tiberius**

Day 5: Travel north of Israel to the site of Caesarea Philippi if times allows. Then Drive to Mt. Tabor to visit the Church of the Transfiguration; visit the baptismal site on the Jordan River; and drive along the Jordan Valley to Jerusalem. Dinner and overnight in **Jerusalem**

Day 6: Tour the Old City of Jerusalem. Begin with St. Anne Church and the Pool of Bethesda; Chapel of Flagellation; walk the Via Dolorosa to visit the Church of the Holy Sepulcher; and visit the Wailing Wall. Dinner and overnight in **Jerusalem**.

Day 7: Drive to the Mount of Olives to enjoy a panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit the Chapel of Ascension and the Pater Noster Church; walk to Dominus Flevit; the Garden and the Church of Gethsemane; Mt. Zion; Dormition Abby; David's Tomb; the Cenacle or Upper Room; and the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu. Dinner and overnight in **Jerusalem**.

Day 8: Visit Bethany and the Tomb of Lazarus; drive on to Jericho; short visit to St George Monastery; drive to the Mount of Temptation; Tel Sultan; the sycamore tree of Zacchaeus; Dead Sea; and the caves at Qumran. Time may be available to swim/float in the Dead Sea. Dinner and overnight in **Bethlehem**.

Day 9: Tour Bethlehem; Nativity Church; Milk Grotto; the Shepherd's Fields; and the old city of Bethlehem. Enjoy an evening of cultural dinner with folk dancing. Overnight in **Bethlehem**.



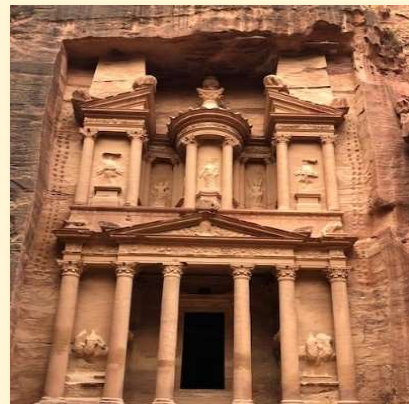
Day 10: Free Day or arrange special tour to Masada or Israel Museum. dinner and overnight in **Bethlehem**.

Day 11: Drive to Ein Karem to visit the Visitation Church and Church of St. John the Baptist. Free afternoon and overnight in **Bethlehem**.

Day 12: Early morning, after breakfast, we will drive to Allenby Bridge to cross borders to Jordan. In Jordan we will visit Madaba and Mount Nebo. Then we will drive to Petra, dinner and overnight in a hotel in Petra.

Day 13: After breakfast we will have along tour in Petra for all half day. In the afternoon drive back to our Hotel in Amman.

Day 14: Visit the Roman Theatre in Amman. Tour the City of Amman and to be introduced to the Historical and religious places there. Back to our Hotel. Fly back to the States from Amman International Airport next day early morning.



Roundtrip Airline Tickets

All Transportations, entrance fees and Visa to Jordan

Breakfast and dinner

Daily Masses

Three dinners at nice restaurants and much more

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SEATING

\$4,995 per person

On double occupancy basis
*\$998 extra per single room

The price includes

- Round-trip airfare, including all airlines taxes/fuel surcharges
- Accommodation in Deluxe hotels
- All hotel taxes and portages
- Meals as per itinerary (Breakfast and Dinner)
- Land Transportation by deluxe motor coach
- Comprehensive sightseeing as per itinerary with a licensed Christian Guide.
- All entrance fees as per itinerary including Petra

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