

Walk the footsteps of Jesus



A PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

With Fr. Matthew O'Leary
Holy Rosary Parish, Edmonds, WA
January 21st to February 5th, 2024

21 Jan 2024: Day 1 Depart USA. Our pilgrimage begins today as we depart on our flight to the Holy Land. Meals and drinks served aloft.

22 Jan 2024: Day 2 Arrive in the Holy Land. Meet our Tour Guide, Rami Yatim, who will escort us throughout our pilgrimage. Drive to Caesarea Maritima and tour the ancient port city. Drive on to the Sea of Galilee. Opening Pilgrimage Mass. Dinner and Overnight at Pilgerhaus.

Mass: 19:00 Pilgerhaus—House Chapel

23 Jan 2024: Day 3 After breakfast, enjoy a boat ride across the Sea of Galilee. See the "Jesus boat" at Nof Ginosaur. Lunch at Tanureen in Magdala. Visit Magdala and tour archaeological site. Dinner and overnight at Pilgerhaus.

Mass : 14:00 Magdala (Boat Chapel)

24 Jan 2024: Day 4 After breakfast, drive to Cana of Galilee, the place commemorating the first Miracle of Jesus. Drive on to Nazareth. Visit the Basilica of the Annunciation, St. Joseph Church, and the Old Synagogue. Lunch in Nazareth. Drive to Akko, visit Crusader Fortress and Old City of Akko. Dinner and overnight at Pilgerhaus.

Mass : 09:00 - 09:50 Cana—Church of the 1st Miracle

25 Jan 2024: Day 5 After breakfast, drive to the Golan heights. Visit Tel Dan, Banias (ancient Caesarea Philippi), and walk through the Syrian and Lebanon borders. Lunch at Banias. Return for relaxing afternoon. Dinner and overnight at Pilgerhaus.

Mass: 9:00 Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes—Dalmanutha at Tabgha

26 Jan 2024: Day 6 Visit the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes at Tabgha, Church of the Primacy of St. Peter, and Capernaum. Lunch at Pilgerhaus. Quiet afternoon and evening to enjoy the tranquility of the Sea of Galilee. Perhaps walk over to Eremos cave and Bay of Parables. Dinner and overnight at Pilgerhaus.

Mass: 9:00 Church of the Primacy of Peter at Tabgha

27 Jan 2023: Day 7 After breakfast, drive to Mt. Tabor to visit the Church of the Transfiguration. Then on to Nablus to visit Jacob's Well. Drive on to Jerusalem. Visit Israel Museum. Dinner and overnight at Golden Walls Hotel in Jerusalem.

Mass: 9:00 – 9:50 Mount Tabor—Church of the Transfiguration

28 Jan 2024: Day 8 After breakfast drive to Jerusalem and to the Mount of Olives to enjoy a panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit Chapel of Ascension and Pater Noster Church. Continue walking to Dominus Flevit, the Garden of Gethsemane, and Church of All Nations. Lunch. Walk to Western Wall and visit Cardo. Dinner and Overnight at Golden Walls Hotel in Jerusalem.

Mass : 10:00 – 10:50 Dominus Flevit—Church

29 Jan 2024: Day 9 After breakfast, visit Mt. Zion, Dormition Abby, David's Tomb, the Cenaculum or Upper room, and the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu. Lunch at Jerusalem Hotel or Azzahra Hotel. Walk in Old City of Jerusalem. Dinner and overnight at Golden Walls Hotel in Jerusalem.

Mass: 9:00 – 9:50 St. Peter in Gallicantu—Lower Church

30 Jan 2024: Day 10 Stations of the Cross along the Via Dolorosa at 4:00am. Mass at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. Tour the Church after Mass. Return to hotel for breakfast and rest. Later visit St. Anne Church, the Pool of Bethesda, the Chapel of Flagellation. Free afternoon in Jerusalem. Dinner and Overnight at Golden Walls. **Mass: 06:30 Church of the Holy Sepulchre—Golgotha**



31 Jan 2024: Day 11 After breakfast, drive to Bethlehem. Visit the Church of the Nativity, the Milk Grotto, and Shepherd's Fields. Free Afternoon. Visit to Cheers Bar. Overnight at Sunrise Hotel in Bethlehem.

Mass: 11:00 Bethlehem Basilica / St. Joseph

1 Feb 2024: Day 12 After breakfast, drive to the Jordan Valley and the Baptismal Site of Jesus on the Jordan River. Renew Baptismal Promises. Drive on to Jericho to see the Mount of Temptation, Tel Sultan, and the sycamore tree of Zacchaeus. Lunch in Jericho. Dinner with local Christian families in Beit Sahour. Overnight at Sunrise Hotel in Bethlehem.

Mass: 10:00 – 10:50—Church of the Good Shepherd in Jericho

2 Feb 2024: Day 13 After breakfast visit Bethany and the Tomb of Lazarus. Drive on to Qumran and the Dead Sea. Visit archaeological and religious site. Lite lunch in Qumran. Perhaps swim in Dead Sea. Dinner and overnight at Sunrise Hotel in Bethlehem.

Mass: 9:00-9:50 Bethany – Church of St. Lazarus

3 Feb 2024: Day 14 After breakfast and Mass, you may select one of the optional visits to Olive Wood Workshops, L'Arche Community and Holy Child School, Spice Market and Cooking Regional Food* or Masada* (*additional costs/reserve on arrival). Dinner and Local Music and Folklore Dance at Shepherds Tower. Overnight at Sunrise Hotel in Bethlehem.

Mass: 8:00-8:50 Bethlehem – Milk Grotto

4 Feb 2023: Day 15 After breakfast, drive Abu Gosh and visit Emmaus. Then drive onto Ein Karem to visit the Visitation Church and Church of St. John the Baptist. Closing Mass at Emmaus. Free afternoon. Dinner and Local Music and Folklore Dance at Shepherds Tower. Overnight at Sunrise Hotel in Bethlehem.

Mass: 11:00 – 11:50 Abu Ghosh – Resurrection Church

5 Feb 2024: Day 16 After breakfast, Drive to Airport for Departure

****Daily schedules subject to some circumstantial change.***

****All Masses tentatively set for named locations, subject to situational change.***



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