

12-DAY PILGRIMAGE

# HOLY LAND & JORDAN

WALK IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS



## YOUR TRIP INCLUDES



- Round-Trip Air from
- Professional Guides
- First-Class Hotels
- Medical Protection
- Land Transportation
- and MORE!



**MAY 13 - 24, 2024**  
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**\$4,599**  
COST PER PERSON



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## Included

- \* Round-trip airfare
- \* Airport taxes and fuel surcharges
- \* First-class hotels (prices based on double occupancy)
- \* Land transportation as per itinerary
- \* Breakfast & dinner
- \* Sightseeing/admissions fees as per itinerary
- \* Professional tour guides
- \* Medical Protection Plan

## Not Included

- \* Trip cancellation insurance (we strongly recommended purchasing)
- \* Nativity Pilgrimage offers a comprehensive policy for an additional cost.
- \* Passport & visa costs
- \* Tips for tour guides and drivers
- \* Personal items such as hotel extras, laundry, phone calls, etc.
- \* Meals not specified in the program
- \* Items not specifically mentioned above

## Registration

- \* A non-refundable, non-transferable deposit of \$300 is due at registration. Your registration form must include a copy of your passport and the names on both must match exactly.
- \* Passports must be current six months after your departure date.
- \* Your final payment is due 02/02/24 (100 days before departure).



The Treasury, Petra



Church of the Annunciation



The Sea of Galilee



## Daily Itinerary

### Day 1: Flight to Tel Aviv, Israel

Your pilgrimage begins today by boarding your flight to Israel. Rest assured, all necessary precautions for your journey have been taken. So sit back, relax, and enjoy your flight. Your spiritual journey awaits!

### Day 2: Tel Aviv / Netanya

After arriving at Ben Gurion Airport, our tour guide and driver will take us to our hotel in Netanya. If there is time, we will stop in Jaffa City to celebrate Mass at St. Peter's Church. Dinner and overnight at your hotel in Netanya.

### Day 3: Cana / Mt. Tabor / Nazareth / Tiberias

We start by celebrating Mass at Cana, the site of Jesus' first miracle. Here couples may renew their wedding vows. We will then go to Nazareth and visit The Basilica of the Annunciation, St. Joseph's Church, Mary's Well, and the old market. Our final stop will be Mount Tabor before returning for dinner and overnight at your hotel in Tiberias.

### Day 4: Mt. of Beatitudes / Tabgha / Capernaum / Sea of Galilee / Tiberias

After breakfast, our Holy Land journey continues by visiting the Mount of Beatitudes, where Jesus gave His Sermon on the Mount, followed by Tabgha, where he performed "The Feeding of the 5,000." Next, we will visit the Church of Peter's Primacy, followed by Capernaum, where Jesus lived and started his ministry in Galilee. We will end our day by celebrating Mass on a boat as we sail on the Sea of Galilee. Dinner and overnight at your hotel in Bethlehem.

### Day 5: Bethlehem / Nativity Church / Shepherds' Field / Ein Karem

We begin our day in Bethlehem at Shepherds' Field by celebrating Mass at the chapel. Next, we will visit the Church of the Nativity, known as the birthplace of Jesus. This afternoon, we will go to Ein Karem, the home of St. John the Baptist. Finally, we will visit the Church of the Visitation, where the Virgin Mary visited her cousin, Elizabeth, and proclaimed the "Magnificat."



Church of the Nativity



Afterward, we will return to your hotel for dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

### **Day 6: Jerusalem / Christ's Passion**

We begin our day on the Mt. Of Olives at the Pater Noster, where Jesus taught the Lord's Prayer to his disciples. Next, we will walk the Palm Sunday route stopping at Dominus Flevit, where Jesus wept over Jerusalem, and the Garden of Gethsemane, where Jesus prayed before his arrest. Next, we will have Mass at the Church of All Nations. Finally, we will travel to the hill of Mt. Zion, the highest point in ancient Jerusalem, and visit the Upper Room, followed by St. Peter in Gallicantu (Latin for cock's crow), where Peter denied our Lord three times. Afterward, we will return to your hotel for dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

### **Day 7: Jerusalem / Via Dolorosa**

Today, we retrace the last steps of Jesus as we walk along the Via Dolorosa (Way of Sorrow) through the Old City markets, praying the Stations of the Cross. Next, we will celebrate Mass at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, followed by a visit to St. Anne's Church, the home of the Virgin Mary and her parents, Saints Joachim and Anne. Next, we will pass the Ecce Homo, where Pontius Pilate proclaimed, "Behold the man," before ending our tour at the Wailing Wall, the Jewish Faith's holiest site. You have the rest of the day to visit other Holy Sites, shop, or rest at your hotel. Dinner and overnight at your hotel in Bethlehem.

### **Day 8: Bethany / Jordan River / Jericho / Qumran / Dead Sea**

Today's journey begins in Bethany, where Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead. After visiting the Lazarus Church, we will continue to the Jordan River. You will have the opportunity to renew your baptismal vows. Afterward, we will drive down the Jordan Valley to Jericho., the world's oldest city from 9,000 BC! We will view the Mt. of Temptation, where Satan tempted Jesus, and then go to Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were uncovered in 1947. On our way back to Bethlehem, we will swim in the mineral-rich waters of the Dead Sea, renowned for its healing properties. Afterward,

we will return to your hotel for dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

### **Day 9: Bethlehem / Amman**

After breakfast, we will cross the border into Jordan via the Allenby Bridge and drive to Madaba. Next, we will visit Mt. Nebo, where Moses was granted a view of the Promised Land before his death. Here, you will have an incredible panoramic view of the Holy Land and Jordan River Valley. Afterward, we will travel north to the capital city of Amman for dinner and overnight at your hotel.

### **Day 10: Wadi Musa / Petra**

After breakfast, we will drive to Wadi Musa, through the Siq, and on to Petra. Surrounded by mountains, Petra is a city of buildings and structures carved from rose-colored stone. For this reason, it is also called the "Rose City." Two of its most popular sites are the Monastery and the Treasury. After lunch, we will return through the Siq to Wadi Musa and Amman for dinner and overnight at your hotel.

### **Day 11: Jerash / Jericho**

We begin our day in Jerash, home to one of the best preserved Greco-Roman cities, which earned it the nickname "Pompeii of the East." The most well-known monuments include the colonnaded street, the Temple of Zeus, the Forum, and Hadrian's Arch. Later this afternoon, we will return to Jericho for dinner and overnight at your hotel.

### **Day 12: Return Flight Home**

We will transfer to the airport this morning to board our return flight home.



# TERMS & CONDITIONS

## **Your Package Includes**

**Air Transportation:** Economy class and round-trip airfares are based on the time of the reservation. Rates and times are subject to change without notice. Airfares, once issued, are non-refundable, non-transferable, and cannot be used towards future travel.

**Land Transportation:** All land transportation as described in the itinerary will be by Deluxe Motor Coach. Some may be equipped with Wi-Fi service.

**Hotels:** Your hotels will be first-class with double occupancy (2 people per room with a private bath). Neither Nativity Pilgrimage nor the trip coordinator are responsible for providing a roommate.

**Single Room:** There is an additional cost per person as specified on the registration form. Single rooms are limited and will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Meal Plan:** The meal plan offers two (2) meals per day: Breakfast & Dinner.

**Baggage:** Nativity Pilgrimage limits all passengers to one (1) piece of checked luggage and one (1) carry-on. All passengers should check with the airlines carriers for up to date baggage weight and dimensions.

**Airport Fees:** Airport Taxes, portorage, fuel surcharges and security fees. Medical Protection Plan is provided during the trip.

## **Your Package Does Not Include**

**Cancellation Protection Plan:** We highly recommend purchasing travel insurance upon registration.

**Passport Expenses:** Passports or any additional documents that may be required. Passports must be valid 6 months after your return date.

**Personal Items:** Laundry, other beverages (wines, liquors, mineral water, tea, coffee, etc.) and food that are not on the menus of your included meal package, and any additional luggage.

**Non-itinerary fees:** Any sightseeing fees, other services, or personal items that are not specifically mentioned as being included in your itinerary.

**Lunch:** You are responsible for lunch or any other meals not specified in your itinerary.

**Tips for your tour guide & driver:** The recommended amounts of tips per person are \$7.00 – \$9.00 per day for guides, \$5.00 – \$7.00 per day for drivers, \$1.00 – \$2.00 per day for hotels, and \$1.00 – \$2.00 per day for restaurants.

## **General Travel Information**

**Group Air:** Group air differs from individually purchased airline tickets in that it is subject to the terms and conditions of the airlines. For this reason, we need to receive your registration and full payment by the payment deadline. After that date, registrations may be subject to a different rate, ticketing method, or airline. Additional fees and charges may apply. Group air flights are confirmed 60 – 90 days prior to departure.

**Departure Cities:** If your departure city is not listed on the brochure, indicate which airport you would like to depart from on the registration form. We will provide you with the best possible price and flight schedule in order to connect with the group. Additional fees and charges may apply.

**Land-Only Option:** If you would like to book your own air travel, indicate on your registration form that you want the "Land Only" option. By booking your own air, you may select your seat, airline, and travel schedule, use airline miles/points, provide airline reward program information, and make any special requests directly with the airline. No changes can be made after the final payment deadline. Land-only services begin and end at the hotels unless you are able to meet the group at the airport. Land-only travelers are responsible for their own airport transfers.

## **Important Nativity Pilgrimage Policies**

The airline selects seat assignments for group air. We do not. Seat upgrades are available for registered travelers, by request. Quoted rates for an upgrade are subject to change until payment is received. Some upgrades are not available until the group tickets are issued.

**Seat Upgrades:** Once Nativity Pilgrimage receives an upgrade request, we will contact the airlines to finalize your request. We cannot guarantee the acceptance of this request, as it is subject to availability and pricing (which changes daily).

**Seat Location Requests:** Once Nativity Pilgrimage receives a seat location request, we will contact the airlines to finalize your request. We cannot guarantee acceptance of this request, as it is subject to availability and pricing (which changes daily).

**Other Special Requests:** Once Nativity Pilgrimage receives a special request, such as a wheelchair, food, etc., we will contact the airlines to finalize your request. We cannot guarantee acceptance of this request as it is subject to availability and pricing (which changes daily).

## **Booking Conditions**

**Deposit:** A non-refundable deposit of \$300.00 per person is required at the time of booking. No reservation will be processed without a deposit.

**Payment Deadline:** Full payment is due Friday, February 02, 2024 (100 days before departure). Registrations received after the deadline require an additional \$100 (subject to availability). If payment is not made in full 50 days prior to departure, your payments are non-refundable.

You may use any major credit card to pay your deposit online. There is an additional 3% fee for each credit card transaction. We also accept checks, money orders, Zelle payments, and ACH transactions.

## **Late Payment Policy**

Customers will receive late fees if they are not paid in full:

100 days – 61 days prior to departure.....\$150

60 days – 30 days prior to departure.....\$300

30 days – day before departure.....Subject to cancellation

Customers are also responsible for any difference in fare due to late payment (subject to availability). Refusal to pay will be considered a cancellation.

## **Cancellation/Refund Policy**

We hope that nothing will prevent you from taking your pilgrimage with Nativity Pilgrimage. However, should you need to cancel your trip, your cancellation must be in writing via email or letter. It will be effective on the date of receipt.

The following cancellation fees will apply:

<b>Days Prior to Departure</b>	<b>Charge</b>
100 + Days	Lose Deposit
99-50 Days	50% of trip cost
49 Days	100% of trip cost

Insurance premiums are non-refundable. We highly recommend purchasing travel insurance to avoid these cancellation fees.

Protect Your Trip



Follow the link or scan the QR code to view our Travel Protection Plan details.

<https://nativity.trawickinternational.com>

## **Responsibility**

Nativity Pilgrimage, Inc. and their agents assume no liability or responsibility in regards to travel in any form for any injuries or loss of property, accidents, delays, changes in schedule or itinerary, incidental damages or any irregular circumstances. This would include, but not be limited to, default or omission by any third party providing services or facilities related to and/or included in the tour or any part thereof.

The IATA carriers, steamship firms, and other transportation companies whose services are featured in these tours, are not to be held responsible or accountable for any act, omission, or event during the time the passengers are not on board their respective conveyance. The passage contract in use by these companies, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the companies, the purchaser of these tours and/or passengers, and Nativity Pilgrimage Inc. does not assume any liability or responsibility in connection therewith. They are not responsible for any losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in air or other services, sickness, weather, strike, war, guarantees, or other causes. All such losses or expenses shall be borne by the passenger as tour rates provide for arrangements only for the time stated.

The right is reserved to substitute hotels of similar quality to those specified in the itinerary. Nativity Pilgrimage reserves the right to cancel any tour prior to departure. Refund details vary upon each trip. No refund will be made for any used portion of the tour unless arrangements are made prior to departure from the United States. Prices and itineraries are subject to change without notice if booking conditions are not complied with.

