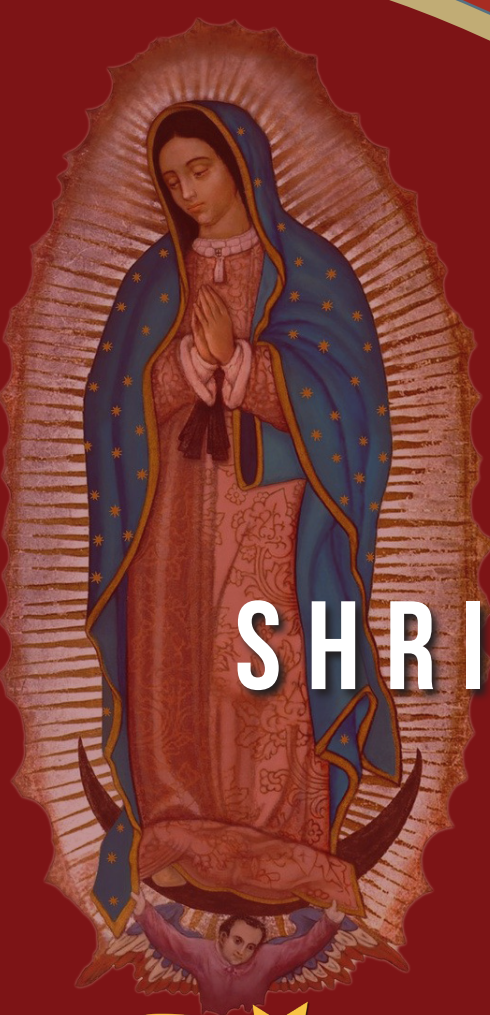


8 DAY PILGRIMAGE



JUNE 03 - 10, 2024

SHRINES OF MEXICO

\$2,549 PER PERSON



ROUND-TRIP AIR FROM SAN ANTONIO, TX

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REGISTER ONLINE

INCLUDED YES

- Round Trip Airfare
- All airport taxes & fuel surcharges
- First-Class Hotels
- Prices Based on Double Occupancy
- Land Transportation / Land transfers as per itinerary
- Breakfast and dinner daily
- Sightseeing and admissions fees as per itinerary
- Daily Masses
- Professional local guides
- A medical travel protection plan for everyone on this trip is provided for FREE

NOT INCLUDED NO

- Trip cancellation protection plan is not included and is strongly recommended
- Nativity Pilgrimage/Trawick International offers trip insurance at an additional cost
- Gratuities for tour guides, drivers, hotel & restaurant staff
- Passport & visa costs
- Items of a personal nature (hotel extras, laundry, phone calls, etc.)
- Items not specifically mentioned above

REGISTRATION INFO

- A deposit of \$300.00 is due at registration.
- Names on registration and passport MUST match exactly.
- U.S. Passports must be valid for at least six (6) months after the return date.
- The registration form must include a copy of the passport. We are not responsible for Visa procurement.
- Your final payment is due (100 days prior to departure)



Shrines of Mexico

DAY 1: DEPART FOR MEXICO CITY

Your pilgrimage begins as you depart on your flight to Mexico City. Upon arrival, we will board our motor coach for sightseeing throughout the city as we transfer to the hotel.

Evening: Dinner and overnight accommodations will be at your hotel.

DAY 2: MEXICO CITY: SHRINE OF GUADALUPE

We will start our tour at the 3 Cultures Square and the Church of Santiago Tlatelolco, where Juan Diego was baptized. We'll spend a full day at the Shrine with a private Mass and guided tour. We'll also have time to shop this afternoon before returning to your hotel.

Evening: Dinner and overnight accommodations will be at your hotel.

DAY 3: FATHER PRO / HISTORICAL CENTRE

After breakfast, we begin our day by visiting the museum of Padre Pro and celebrating Mass at Sagrada Familia. Afterward, we will drive to the Historic City Centre and visit the Metropolitan Cathedral on the Zocalo(main square). Inside you will see the Chapel of the Miraculous Cross of Poison. Originally made of white marble, the cross miraculously turned black from absorbing poison placed on it intended to kill a Bishop who traditionally kissed the feet of the cross every day after Mass.

Your tour continues as we travel to the National Palace, which has been occupied by the ruling class of Mexico since the days of the Aztec Empire. (Optional) This evening, you may attend the world-renowned performance of the Ballet Folklórico de México at the Palace of Fine Arts.

Evening: Dinner and overnight accommodation will be at your hotel.

Ballet performances are held on Wednesdays and Sundays. If we attend the Ballet, dinner will be at 6 pm

DAY 4: MEXICO CITY / OCOTLAN / TLAXCALA / HUAMANTLA

After breakfast and hotel check out, we will drive to the beautiful State of Tlaxcala, where our first stop will be the stunning Basilica of Nuestra Señora de Ocotlan. It was built in 1541 when the Virgin Mary appeared to Juan Diego and asked him to build it. This church's beauty is evident in its facade, towers of white mortar, and interior Baroque style. As we walk through the Basilica, you will visit the well of miraculous holy water and the Virgin of Ocotlan statue, one of the most important Marian Shrines in Mexico.

After lunch, we will visit the Church and Convent of San Francisco in Tlaxcala, both dating from 1521. The deteriorating inscription upon the pulpit confirms this claim: "Aquí tuvo principio el Sto Evangelio en este Nuevo Mundo. Primer púlpito de Nueva España," which translates to, "Here, for the first time, the Holy Gospel was preached in this New World. The first pulpit of New Spain."



Our last day activity will be a Mexican hacienda experience at the Hacienda Soltepec.

Evening: Dinner and overnight at the hacienda.

DAY 5: HUAMANTLA - PUEBLA

After breakfast at the hacienda, we will drive to the State of Puebla. First, we will visit the Santa Maria Tonanzintla and the San Francisco Acatepec, two magnificent churches in Cholula. We will spend the day in Puebla and celebrate Mass in one of its beautiful Churches. Next, we will see the nun's kitchen at the former Convent of Santa Rosa de Lima and the St. Francis of Assisi Church. Here, we will view the uncorrupted body of the Blessed Sebastian de Aparicio. Afterward, we will have time for shopping before returning to your hotel.

Evening: Dinner and overnight accommodations will be at your hotel.

DAY 6: XOCHIMILCO- COYOACAN

After breakfast, we will check out of our hotel and visit the floating gardens of Xochimilco. We will ride through the narrow canals on a Trajinera, which are Mexican flat-bottomed boats. Next, we will continue to Coyoacán and have lunch. Afterward, we will visit the Church of St. John the Baptist. This stunning piece of architecture contains seven chapels and an altarpiece dating back to the seventeenth century. Next, we'll have time to walk around and enjoy some famous Coyoacán ice cream before returning to our hotel.

Evening: Dinner and overnight accommodations will be at your hotel in Mexico City.

DAY 7: TAXCO

After breakfast, we begin our full-day excursión to Taxco, a well-preserved colonial town of cobblestone streets and tile-roofed houses. Taxco is called "The silver capital of Mexico" due



to its local silver production. First, we will visit the Church of Santa Prisca. The construction of this extravagant church started in the mid-18th century and lasted 15 years. It is decorated with nine lavish floor-to-ceiling altars covered in gold. We will celebrate Mass and then have free time for shopping.

Evening: We will return to Mexico City for a folkloric dinner at a local restaurant. Overnight accommodations will be at your hotel.

DAY 8: MEXICO CITY / USA

This morning, we will transfer to the airport to board your return flight home. We hope you've enjoyed your journey with us, and we hope to see you again!



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, Portage, Fuel Surcharges and Security Fees

Medical Protection Plan 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 after 6 months of 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, other services, or personal items that are not specifically mentioned as being included in the itinerary.

Lunch: Your meal plan offers two (2) meals per day: Breakfast & dinner. You are responsible for lunch or any other meals 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 guide(s), \$5.00 – \$7.00 per day for driver(s), \$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 air rate, ticketing method, or on a different 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, not the tour operator. 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 100 Days before departure. Late 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% late 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 cancellation must be in writing via email or letter. It will be effective on the date of receipt. The following cancellation fees will apply:

<u>DAYS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE</u>	<u>CHARGE</u>
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 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 and 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.