



JOIN US MARCH 13 - 21, 2025

HOLY LAND

WITH PASTOR JIMMY MCLOUD



\$5,782

COST PER PERSON
FROM CLEVELAND, OH

FOR INFO

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DAILY ITINERARY



DAY 1: FLIGHT TO TEL AVIV, ISRAEL

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

DAY 2: TEL AVIV / GALILEE

After arriving at Ben Gurion Airport and traveling through customs, we will meet our tour guide, who will accompany us throughout our pilgrimage. We will board our tour bus and continue to Galilee. Dinner and overnight accommodations will be at our hotel in Tiberias.

DAY 3: CANA / NAZARETH / SEA OF GALILEE

We begin our day in Cana, where Jesus performed his first miracle of turning water into wine. Next, in Nazareth, we will visit the Basilica of the Annunciation, where the Word became flesh. Later this afternoon, we set sail on the Sea of Galilee, as was done in the time of Jesus—dinner and overnight at our hotel in Tiberias.

DAY 4: CAESAREA PHILIPPI / MT OF BEATITUDES / CAPERNAUM / TABGHA / GALILEE

After breakfast, we start our day on the Mount of Beatitudes, where Jesus gave the Sermon on the Mount. Afterward, we will drive north to the Golan Heights, stopping at Banias, an inhabited site for 2,000 years until it was abandoned and destroyed following the “Six Day War.” Its natural spring is the source of the Banias River, one of the main tributaries of the Jordan River. Banias is also the site of ancient Caesarea Philippi, where Peter confessed his faith in Christ. Next, we continue to Capernaum, where Jesus lived and started his ministry in Galilee. After a break to enjoy a St. Peter’s Fish lunch, we will visit the Church of the Multiplication of Loaves and Fish in Tabgha. It commemorates Jesus’ miracle of feeding 5,000 people using only five loaves of bread and two fish. Afterward, we will see the Church of Peter’s Primacy, where Jesus appeared to his disciples after being resurrected—dinner and overnight at our hotel in Tiberias.

DAY 5: MT. TABOR / JORDAN RIVER / JERICHO / JERUSALEM

We begin today’s journey on Mount Tabor, where the Transfiguration occurred. Next, we continue to the Jordan River to renew our baptismal promises at Qasr el Yahud. This site holds the oldest and most sacred tradition of being where Jesus was baptized by John the Baptist (Matthew 3:13-17). Next, in Jericho, we will see Mt. of Temptation, where Satan tempted Jesus while fasting for forty days and forty nights. Finally, we will return to your hotel for dinner & overnight accommodations.

DAY 6: BETHLEHEM / SHEPHERDS’ FIELD / NATIVITY CHURCH / EIN KAREM / JERUSALEM

After breakfast, we will begin our day trip to Bethlehem at Shepherds’ Field, where the shepherds saw the Star of the Nativity and learned of the birth of Christ. Next, we will see the Church of the Nativity and the site of our Lord’s birth. Afterward, we will have time to shop at the local Christian cooperative store before traveling to Ein Karem, the birthplace of St. John the Baptist. Here, we will see the Church of the Visitation, where Mary visited her cousin Elizabeth and proclaimed the “Magnificat.” Tonight’s dinner will be in a Bedouin tent at a local restaurant—overnight accommodations at your hotel.

DAY 7: JERUSALEM: MT. OF OLIVES / PATER NOSTER / DOMINUS FLEVIT / GETHSEMANE / UPPER ROOM / CHURCH OF ST. PETER GALLICANTU

After breakfast, we begin our tour of Jerusalem at the Mount of Olives. First, we will visit the Pater Noster, where Jesus taught the Lord’s prayer to his disciples. Our next stop is Dominus Flevit, where Jesus wept over Jerusalem. We then continue our descent to the Garden of Gethsemane, where Jesus agonized the night before his arrest at “The Rock of Agony.” Next, we will cross the Kidron Valley to Mt. Zion, where we will visit the Upper Room, the location of The Last Supper. Finally, we end our day at St. Peter in Gallicantu (Latin for cock’s crow), where Peter denied our Lord three times (Psalm 88). Finally, we will return to your hotel for dinner & overnight accommodations.

DAY 8: JERUSALEM: VIA DOLOROSA / CHURCH OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE / ST. ANNE’S / WESTERN WALL

Early in the morning, we retrace the last steps of Jesus as we pray the Stations of the Cross along the Via Dolorosa. We reflect on the greatness of his sacrifice as we make our way to Calvary and the Tomb of Jesus Christ at the Church of the Resurrection (Holy Sepulcher). Afterward, we will return to our hotel for breakfast before visiting St. Anne’s Church, the birthplace of the Virgin Mary. Next, we will visit the Wailing Wall, the holiest site of the Jewish faith. The rest of the afternoon is open for visits to other sacred sites, shopping, or resting at your hotel. Later tonight, we will have our farewell dinner, followed by overnight accommodations at your hotel.

DAY 9: RETURN FLIGHT HOME

We will transfer to the airport this morning to board our return flight home. We hope you’ve enjoyed your journey with us and hope to see you again!



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Included

- Round-trip airfare
- All airport taxes and fuel surcharges
- First-class hotels (price based on double occupancy)
- Land transportation as per itinerary
- Breakfast, lunch, and dinner
- Tips for tour guides & drivers
- Sightseeing and admissions fees as per itinerary
- Professional local guides
- Medical Protection Plan

BEATITUDES

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Not Included

- Trip cancellation insurance (strongly recommended). Nativity Pilgrimage offers a comprehensive policy through Trawick International at an additional cost.
- Passport & visa costs
- Personal items (hotel extras, laundry, phone calls, etc.)
- Meals not specified in the program.
- Items not specifically mentioned above.



DEAD SEA

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Registration

- A non-refundable deposit of \$300.00 is due at registration.
- Names on the registration form and passport must match exactly, and passports must be current 6 months after the return date.
- The registration form must include a copy of your passport.
- We are not responsible for Visa procurement.
- Full payment is due 07/26/24 (100 days prior to departure)

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TERMS & CONDITIONS

Your Package Includes

Air Transportation: Economy class and round-trip fares 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 07/26/24 (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.

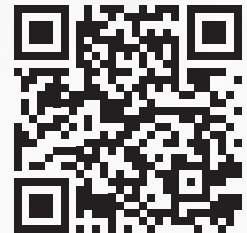
Cancellation/Refund Policy

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:

<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 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.