



ITALY & SICILY



12-DAY PILGRIMAGE † APRIL 21 - MAY 2, 2025



\$5,399 PER PERSON

DEPARTURE FROM DALLAS (DFW)

FOR INFORMATION

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Daily Itinerary



Day 1: FLIGHT TO ROME

Begin your journey as you travel together by private chartered bus to DFW to board our flight to Rome, Italy!

Day 2: ARRIVE IN ROME

Arrive in Rome and transfer to your hotel for check-in. After settling in, take some time to relax, shop, or explore the charming streets lined with boutiques and artisan shops. As the day transitions into the evening, prepare yourself for a delectable dinner featuring authentic Italian cuisine. Afterward, retire to your comfortable accommodations for a restful overnight stay in the heart of the Eternal City.

Day 3: ROME

Embark on a captivating full-day tour of Rome, starting with a visit to the iconic St. Peter's Square and Basilica, where you'll marvel at the grandeur of one of the world's most revered religious sites. This afternoon, embark on a leisurely walking tour, immersing yourself in the rich history and culture of Rome as you explore landmarks such as the Colosseum, the Piazza Navona, Trevi Fountain, and the Pantheon. Conclude the day with a delightful dinner at a local restaurant, savoring the authentic flavors of Roman cuisine. Overnight accommodations at your hotel.

Day 4: ROME

Embark on an unforgettable journey into the depths of Rome's history with a Scavi tour, uncovering the ancient catacombs and archaeological wonders buried beneath the city's surface. Explore the fascinating exhibits of the Borgia Museum, delving into the art and artifacts of Renaissance Italy. Continue your exploration with a visit to the Church of the Bones, a unique and intriguing site adorned with elaborate skeletal decorations. Dinner & overnight accommodations at your hotel.

Day 5: ROME / SORRENTO

Bid farewell to Rome as you depart this morning for the enchanting coastal town of Sorrento. Along the way, indulge in a delightful wine-tasting experience, savoring local wines amidst the picturesque vineyards of the Italian countryside. Upon arrival in Sorrento, take some time to explore the charming streets, vibrant markets, and stunning vistas overlooking the sparkling waters of Naples Bay. Enjoy a sumptuous dinner showcasing the fresh flavors of Southern Italy before retiring to your hotel for the night.

Day 6: SORRENTO / NAPLES / POMPEII

Embark on an unforgettable journey through history as you depart from Sorrento to explore the ancient city of Naples. Discover the highlights of this bustling metropolis with a guided tour, including iconic landmarks and hidden gems tucked away in its labyrinthine streets. Continue your excursion to the legendary ruins of Pompeii, where you'll embark on a guided tour through

the remarkably preserved remnants of this ancient Roman city frozen in time. Return to Sorrento in the evening, where you can unwind and reflect on the day's adventures over a delicious dinner.

Day 7: SORRENTO / AMALFI COAST / CAPRI

Immerse yourself in the breathtaking beauty of the Amalfi Coast as you embark on a scenic exploration of its charming coastal towns, each offering its own unique allure and enchanting vistas. For those seeking an extra dose of adventure and romance, opt for an excursion to the legendary island of Capri. Indulge in the island's picturesque streets, visit the mesmerizing Blue Grotto, or ascend to the summit of Monte Solaro for stunning panoramic views of the Mediterranean Sea. Conclude your day with a delightful dinner in Sorrento, savoring the flavors of the region before retiring for the night.

Day 8: SORRENTO / NAPLES / PALERMO

After breakfast, we'll transfer to the airport for your flight to Palermo, Sicily. Upon arrival, immerse yourself in the city's rich history and culture with a guided tour that includes iconic landmarks, bustling markets, and historic neighborhoods. Indulge in a delicious dinner featuring Sicilian cuisine and spend the night in Palermo, soaking in the vibrant atmosphere of this fascinating city.

Day 9: PALERMO / MONREALE

Embark on a captivating excursion to Monreale this morning. You'll marvel at the magnificent Monreale Cathedral, renowned for its stunning architecture and exquisite mosaics. Explore the charming surroundings of Monreale, filled with picturesque landscapes and quaint streets. This afternoon, return to Palermo, where you can further explore its enchanting streets, sample local delicacies, and soak up the authentic Sicilian ambiance.

Day 10: PALERMO / SYRACUSE

Depart Palermo and journey towards the captivating city of Syracuse, known for its ancient ruins, fascinating history, and stunning waterfront views. Upon arrival, take in the sights and sounds of this UNESCO World Heritage Site, including the renowned archaeological park, vibrant markets, and charming old town. Delight in the unique blend of Greek, Roman, and Baroque influences that characterize Syracuse's architectural wonders and cultural treasures.

Day 11: SYRACUSE

Immerse yourself in the timeless beauty and allure of Syracuse as you explore its myriad attractions, including the legendary Ear of Dionysius, the picturesque Ortigia Island, and the majestic Syracuse Cathedral. Wander through narrow cobblestone streets lined with colorful buildings, visit local artisan shops, and savor the flavors of Sicilian cuisine at traditional trattorias. Spend the day discovering the hidden gems and fascinating history of this enchanting city.

Day 12: SYRACUSE / RETURN FLIGHT HOME

Bid farewell to Syracuse as you depart in the morning for your departure flight home.



PANTHEON ROME

✓ included

- Round-trip airfare from DFW
- All airport taxes and fuel surcharges
- Round-trip private chartered bus from OKC to DFW
- First-class hotels (price based on double occupancy)
- Land transportation (as per itinerary)
- Breakfast & dinner
- Sightseeing/admissions fees (as per itinerary)
- Daily Masses
- Professional local guides
- Medical protection plan

✗ not included

- Trip cancellation insurance is not included but is strongly recommended.
- Nativity Pilgrimage offers a comprehensive policy through Trawick International at an additional cost.
- Passport & visa costs
- U.S. Passports must be valid for at least six months after your return date.
- Gratuities to the tour manager, guides, and driver
- Personal items/expenses
- Meals not specified in the program
- Items not specifically mentioned above

SICILY POMPEII



ITALY NAPLES

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- A non-refundable, non-transferable deposit of \$300.00 is due at registration.
- Names on the registration form and passport MUST match exactly.
- Passports must be current six months after the return date.
- Your registration form MUST include a copy of your passport.
- We are not responsible for Visa procurement.
- The final payment is due 01/10/25 (100 days before departure).

CATANIA SICILY



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 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 01/10/25 (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

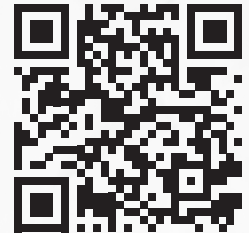
Insurance premiums are non-refundable. We highly recommend purchasing travel insurance to avoid these cancellation fees.

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.