

Advent in ITALY 2025

11 Days

**JUBILEE
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Featuring

Rome, Orvieto,
Siena, and
Assisi

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Rome



Highlights

Sacred Sites: Visit the pilgrimage landmarks of Rome, Siena, and Assisi, and admire the exquisite crèches (Nativity scenes), a beloved tradition in these regions.

Christmas Piazzas: Stroll through the enchanting Christmas markets, where the warmth of the season makes this time of year so unique.

Culinary Delights: Savor the flavors of Italy with guided tastings of the region's finest food and wine.

Cultural Excursions: Discover the art, history, and traditions that make these regions a must-see this time of year.

Leisurely Pace: Rather than the typical pack-and-rush agenda of most pilgrimages, we will aim for a more leisurely pace with ample time for personal activities.

DAY 1: USA TO ROME

Our Jubilee pilgrimage begins with an overnight flight to Rome, Italy. We call to mind those for whom we will pray on this journey of faith.

DAY 2: ROME, ITALY

Upon arrival in Rome, we meet our Nativity Pilgrimage tour manager, who will remain with us for the duration of our pilgrimage. We depart the airport and transfer to the city center. Pending arrival time, we enjoy a panoramic tour of Rome. Dinner and overnight in Rome.

DAY 3: PAPAL AUDIENCE / ST. PETER'S BASILICA / CRECHE / PIAZZA NAVONNA

Today begins with a papal audience and tour of the magnificent St. Peter's Basilica, with time to encounter the Christmas Creche in the Square. Next, there is leisure time to explore Christmas Markets or an optional climb to the Top of St. Peter's Basilica, Castel Sant Angelo, the Pantheon, and, of course, GELATO! Dinner and overnight in Rome.

DAY 4: CATACOMBS / ANCIENT ROME / VATICAN MUSEUM / SISTINE CHAPEL

This morning, we encounter the St. Callixtus Catacombs and the subterranean passageways used as a burial place for Jewish and early Christian Roman citizens

from the second to the fifth century. In the afternoon we walk the Capitoline Hill of Ancient Rome and tour the inside of the Coliseum. This evening, we will tour the Vatican Museums & Sistine Chapel. Overnight in Rome.

DAY 5: MAJOR BASILICAS / CHRISTMAS MARKETS

Today, we enjoy a Rome tour of the major Basilicas: St. John Lateran/Scala Sancta and Santa Maria Maggiore. We end with Mass at Paul Outside the Walls. The evening is FREE to explore the Christmas Markets of Rome. Overnight in Rome.

DAY 6: ROME / ORVIETO / SIENA

Today, we drive to Orvieto to explore the Christmas Markets and celebrate Mass in the Duomo. We end our day with a scenic drive through Tuscany to Siena, where we will have an evening passeggiata (stroll) in the square. Dinner and overnight are in Siena.

DAY 7: SIENA

Today, we encounter Siena, including the House of St. Catherine, Basilica San Domenico, and the Duomo di Siena. We end with leisure time to explore the Christmas spirit of Piazza del Campo. Dinner and overnight in Siena.



Assisi

Siena

INCLUDED

- * Round-trip airfare
- * Airport taxes/fuel surcharges
- * First-class hotels
- * Ground transportation
- * Breakfast and dinner
- * Entry/admission fees
- * Daily Masses
- * Professional tour guides
- * Medical insurance

NOT INCLUDED

- * Trip-cancellation insurance (available at an additional cost)
- * Passport/Visa costs
- * Tips for your guide & driver
- * Personal items/expenses
- * Meals not specified in the itinerary
- * Items not specifically mentioned above.

REGISTER

- * Submit registration form, passport copy, & non-refundable \$300 deposit to Nativity Pilgrimage. You may also use the QR code below to register online.
- * Names on the registration form and passport must match exactly.
- * U.S. passports must be current up to six months after the return date.
- * We are not responsible for Visa procurement.
- * Full payment is due 100 days before departure on 08/29/25.

DAY 8: SIENNA / ASSISI

Today, we drive to Cortona (Under the Tuscan Sun was filmed here) and Basilica San Margaret, followed by lunch on Lake Trasimeno. We arrive in Assisi with free time to explore, pray, and taste! This evening, we savor the peace and tranquility of Assisi. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 9: ASSISI

Today, we will enjoy a tour of Assisi, including the life-size Creche scenes, the Basilicas of San Francesco and Santa Chiara, Mass at Santa Maria Maggiore (Schedule pending), a tour of the Museum of Memory (Assisi's aid to Holocaust survivors), and the Tomb of Saint Carlo Acutis. The evening will be free to stroll the Christmas Markets. Dinner and overnight in Assisi.

DAY 10: ASSISI

We start our day with a morning visit to San Damiano. We will tour the Basilica di Santa Maria degli Angeli/Portiuncula. We'll have lunch at a local asteria and afternoon wine tasting at Tili Vini (Organic vineyard with wines, cheese, bruschetta). We end our pilgrimage with a drive to Rome and Farewell Dinner

DAY 11: DEPARTURE

This has been a week that will last a lifetime! This morning, we will head to Roma Airport for our return flight to the USA.





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. Fares, 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.

Meal Plan: The meal plan offers breakfast & dinner daily, unless otherwise stated.

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: Valid for the duration of 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.

Extra food/beverage: You are responsible for any 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 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.

Single Room Supplement: Tour price based on double-occupancy. If you wish to stay in a single room, there is an additional single room supplement as stated on your registration form. Single rooms are limited and will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

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 on 08/29/25. 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% 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:

Days Prior to Departure	Charge
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.