



**You are cordially invited to join Lynn and Holly Lapka
of Lapka Ministries for this special tour in the steps of Paul:**

Greece & Aegean Cruise

10 Days/9 Nights: November 7-16, 2027

Tour cost estimated: \$4,500-\$4,700*

* The estimated tour cost is per person, sharing a double room, based on a cruise cabin type 1A and a minimum of 20 participants.

* Airfare from the US is not included (depart the US November 6, 2027).

This tour is specially designed to follow the steps of Paul on his journeys to Greece. You'll learn, experience and enjoy the famous sites of mainland Greece, in **Thessaloniki, Philippi, Athens, Meteora, Corinth and Delphi**. Then, enjoy a 3-night Aegean cruise to visit **Mykonos, Patmos, Santorini and Ephesus (Kusadasi) in Turkey**.

Highlights of services included (see below for full details):

- Private arrival and departure airport transfers (fly any airline you like).
- 6 Nights hotels in Thessaloniki, Meteora and Athens.
- 3 Nights Aegean cruise (optional cabin upgrades available).
- Touring with a private bus and expert guide on the mainland.
- 2 Private shore excursions during the cruise (Ephesus and Patmos)
- Most meals.
- Tips and more!

To register: Please carefully read this brochure. Then, register online through the tour website and pay your initial deposit. You can pay the initial deposit by credit card with an added processing fee, Zelle or send a check. The balance will be due by check, Zelle or wire transfer (ACH) only. Please see the full details in the Terms and Conditions section below.

For information, please contact Scopia LLC anytime at (414) 467-4611 or by email. Welcome!

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1. To Register for the Tour:

Registration for the tour is now open via the dedicated, secure form available on the tour website.

The upfront pay now costs are \$100 non-refundable deposit per person (\$200 per person if upgrading your cruise to a category BA cabin or higher). It can be paid by check, Zelle or credit card (added fee).

Please have the following information/documents available prior to registration:

- Your passport: If you do not have a passport or if your passport expires prior to the end of May 2028, you may still register and provide your new passport details later.

Seller of Travel: Before registering for the tour, please note Scopia LLC is not registered as a "Seller of Travel" in the states of CA, WA and HI and therefore unable to welcome aboard participants who are residents of these states, unless the tour is paid for in full, as a gift or donation, by someone residing outside of these states.

2. Touring Difficulty – Is This Tour Right for You?

The tour is not sold or offered as ADA-compliant. Aside from the beautiful sites and lots of fun during our travels, there is important information you should consider:

- While touring, you will be boarding and getting off the vehicle several times per day.
- **Some of the days will entail several hours of walking on even and uneven pavements or roads, ascend and descend stairs (sometimes without railings), walk up or down hills, or stand in place for 30-60 minutes at a time, while listening to the guide's explanations.**
- Many of the sites are not designed to accommodate travelers with walking accessories.
- Some of the days may entail drives of 2 hours or longer.
- The vehicle on the tour is not ADA-compliant but it is air conditioned.
- It is possible to skip sites and stay in the hotel/cruise, but there will be no refund for unused entrance fees.
- Sailing on a ship in the Mediterranean likely means at least some “pitching” (up/down movement) or “rolling” (swaying sideways).
- November weather is usually comfortable (60's-70's) during the daytime and cooler in the evenings (50's-60's). Rain is likely on occasion and it can get quite cold and windy on the ships outside decks in the evening.
- Food allergies or requirements will be noted and forwarded but may not be properly addressed. It is the responsibility of the participants to be diligent about their food.

3. Security and Health Information

Please be sure to carefully read information provided in these websites:

- US State Department information/travel advisory for Greece. [Click Here](#). CDC [Click Here](#).
- US State Department information/travel advisory for Turkey. [Click Here](#). CDC [Click Here](#).

4. Travel Insurance:

Travel insurance is highly recommended (but not mandatory) to cover unexpected circumstances or losses. Find more information on the [Scopia LLC website](#).

Scopia LLC cannot advise you about which policy to purchase or optional coverages. For questions, please contact the insurance company directly.

Offered travel insurance plans provide insurance coverage that only applies during the covered trip. You may have coverage from other sources that provides you with similar benefits but may be subject to different restrictions depending upon your other coverages. You may wish to compare the terms of this policy with your existing life, health, home, and automobile insurance policies. If you have any questions about your current coverage, call your insurer or insurance agent or broker.

5. Tour Costs:

Minimum Number of Participants →	20
Estimated Tour Cost Per Person Sharing a Double Room	\$4,500-\$4,700
Estimated Tour Cost Per Person In a Single Room	\$5,500-\$5,700

Cruise cabin type IA is included in the tour costs listed above. If you wish, you can upgrade your cabin for an added cost according to the table below. More cabin locations, visit the [cruise website](#) and click on “View Celestyal Discovery Deck Plans”.

Cruise Cabin Optional Upgrades	Per Person Sharing Double	Per Person in Single
IA – Inside Cabin, Decks 4 or 5	Included in tour cost	Included in tour cost
IC – Inside Cabin, Decks 6 or 7	\$90	\$180
XD – Window Cabin, Decks 5 or 7	\$220	\$440
BA – Balcony Cabin, Deck 7	\$520	\$1040
SJB – Junior Suite, Deck 11	\$670	\$1,340
SG – Grand Dream Suite, Deck 7	\$930	\$1,860
SH – Grand Horizon Suite, Deck 11	\$1,000	\$2,000

About the prices:

- Prices are estimated based on 2026 rates and may fluctuate according to 2027 adjustments, rates of exchange, combined airport transfers and other factors. More exact pricing is expected in April or May of 2027.
- The initial deposit is \$100 per person for cruise cabins IA – XD. The initial deposit is \$200 per person for cruise cabins BA or higher.

Sample total tour costs calculations (based on minimum 20 participants):

For transparency purposes, this table below should give you a more complete picture of the approximate total tour costs for each tour participant:

	Per Person in Double	Per Person in Single
Tour & Cruise (Scopia LLC)	\$4,695	\$5,645
Airfare from the US to Greece (estimated)	\$1,200	\$1,200
Optional Travel Insurance (estimated)	\$600	\$700
Approximate Total Tour Costs	\$6,495	\$7,545
During Travel		
Phone Expenses (data, depends on carrier)	\$0-\$100	\$0-\$100

6. Included in the Tour Cost:

- **Mainland Tour November 7 - 12 and 15 - 16:**
 - Hotels (standard rooms unless otherwise indicated):
 - November 07 – 09: 2 Nights [Porto Palace Hotel](#) in Thessaloniki
 - November 09 – 10: 1 Night [Amalia Hotel](#) in Kalabaka (Meteora)
 - November 10 – 12: 2 Nights [Titania Hotel](#) in Athens
 - November 15 – 16: 1 Night [Titania Hotel](#) in Athens
 - 17 Meals:
 - 12 – Daily breakfast and dinner at the hotels
 - 5 Restaurant/home hospitality lunches (November 8, 9, 10, 11, 15)
 - Touring and transportation:
 - Private airport transfers: arrival in Thessaloniki / departure from Athens.
 - Cruise bus transfers with a representative to/from Lavrio Port.
 - 6 Days of touring with an expert local guide (Aliko) as per the itinerary.
 - Entrance fees to sites and/or activities listed in the itinerary.
 - Travel in a comfortable, modern bus with air conditioning and Wi-Fi.
 - Private headsets for touring.
 - 2 Bottles of water (1/2 liter) per person, per day of touring.
 - Tips for bus drivers, guides, airport representatives, restaurants and hotels.
 - Fully escorted, plus a local tour operator to assist with any problems or changes.
- **Cruise November 12 - 15:**
 - November 12 – 15: 4 Days / 3 Nights [Iconic Greek Islands Cruise](#) on [Celestyal Discovery](#) ship in Inside Cabins (category IA, upgrades available)
 - Shore Excursions (private group touring included):
 - November 13: Half day Ephesus (morning, dock).
 - November 13: Half day Patmos (afternoon, tender).
 - Cruise drinks, meals, Wi-Fi and other amenities as [described on the website](#).
 - Cruise port charges and tips
 - Full board – Breakfast, lunch and dinner daily.
 - Meals are included on the ship, not during excursions.
 - Tips for guides and drivers during shore excursions.

7. Not Included in the Tour Cost:

- Any service not mentioned above as included in the tour costs, is not included. This refers, but is not limited to, **international flights US to Thessaloniki and return from Athens**, meals not mentioned as included, drinks during included meals, touring outside of the itinerary, passport fees, visas or [ETIAS](#) if needed, expenses of a personal nature such as gifts, mini-bar purchases, laundry or phone/data expenses.
- Also not included specifically for your group:
 - [Travel Insurance](#) (optional and purchased individually)
 - Expenses related to COVID illness (testing, quarantine, travel disruptions, etc.).

8. Payment Schedule, Terms and Conditions:

- A. By registering for this tour and/or submitting any payment, you confirm that you have read, understood, and agree to all sections of this brochure, including the Terms and Conditions and the Disclaimer. You further confirm that, if registering or paying on behalf of any other traveler, you are authorized to do so, and that all travelers are bound by these terms.
- B. Payments are accepted by check or wire transfer payable to Scopia LLC.
- C. Checks must arrive by the due date and should include "Lapka Greece 2027" in the memo line. Address: Scopia LLC, 8916 N. Iroquois Road, Bayside, WI 53217.
- D. **Important dates to remember:**
 - a. **Upon booking and no later than January 31, 2027:** A non-refundable deposit of \$100 per person (credit card, check or ACH wire transfer).
 - 1. Initial deposit will be \$200 per person if cruise cab in category is BA or higher.
 - b. **February 1, 2027:** An additional, non-refundable deposit of \$600 per person is due.
 - c. **July 1, 2027:** An additional, non-refundable deposit of \$1,000 per person is due.
 - d. **September 1, 2027:** Final payment is due and is non-refundable.
- E. **Refund periods (if you cancel):**
 - a. Cancel by January 31, 2027: \$100 cancellation fee per person.
 - b. Cancel between February 1 – June 30, 2027: \$700 cancellation fee per person.
 - c. Cancel between June 30 – August 31, 2027: \$1,700 cancellation fee per person.
 - d. Cancel any time after August 31, 2027: All payments are non-refundable.
- F. **Cancellation of the tour by Scopia LLC:**
 - a. If tour is cancelled for insufficient enrollment, the initial deposit (\$100) is refunded.
 - b. **Force Majeure & Refunds:** If Scopia LLC cancels the tour due to events beyond its reasonable control ("**Force Majeure**"), such as acts of God, war, terrorism, pandemics, or government travel restrictions, Scopia LLC will use diligent efforts to recover funds from third-party Suppliers. Any recovered funds will be returned to participants, less a non-refundable **\$300 administrative fee** per person to cover work already performed.
- G. **Third-Party and Ancillary Expenses:** Scopia LLC is not responsible for any independent expenses, "add-on" services, or ancillary costs incurred by participants in connection with the tour. This includes, but is not limited to, **independently purchased airfare (domestic or international), travel insurance premiums, visa fees, vaccinations, or specialized equipment**. All such expenses are subject strictly to the terms of the specific service providers, and Scopia LLC shall have no liability for refunds or compensation for these external costs.
- H. **Payment schedules and refund amounts are subject to change if required by suppliers.**
- I. There are no refunds for unused services.
- J. Scopia LLC reserves the right to refuse participation or cancel reservations for nonpayment.
- K. Credit card chargebacks do not void these terms. If a chargeback is resolved in favor of Scopia LLC, a \$100 administrative fee will apply. Credit card refunds do not include the 3% processing fee.
- L. **Rate Calculations:** All rates subject to correction and change until final payment is received.

9. Flights:

So that participants may purchase tickets on any airline of their choice, flights are not included in the tour costs. When requested, you can purchase tickets yourself or with the help of Scopia LLC, departing the US for Thessaloniki (SKG) November 6 and returning from Athens (ATH) to the US November 16.

Private airport transfers are included in the tour costs. If there are several people arriving or departing on the same flights, airport transfers will be combined.

10. Tour Map:



11. Tour Itinerary:

(Meals included are signified as B, L, D)

Kindly note the itinerary is subject to change according to the discretion of the guide, time constraints or other factors, such as weather).

Day	Date	Activity	Overnight
Sun	Nov 07	<u>Arrival in Thessaloniki:</u> Private transfers to the hotel.	Thessaloniki (D)
Mon	Nov 08	<u>Philippi and Kavala (2 hours driving each way):</u> Philippi. Kavala (Seafood lunch).	Thessaloniki (B, L, D)
Tue	Nov 09	<u>Thessaloniki to Meteora:</u> - Morning touring in Thessaloniki. Veria (lunch at local restaurant). - Drive to Meteora – Visit Monastery.	Kalabaka (B, L, D)
Wed	Nov 10	<u>Meteora to Athens:</u> Delphi (3.5 hours' drive). - Lunch and olive oil tasting at Mer des Oliviers. - Continue to Athens (3.5 hours' drive).	Athens (B, L, D)
Thu	Nov 11	<u>Corinth:</u> Corinth. Giannikos Winery for ae tasting and lunch. Cenchreae	Athens (B, L, D)
Fri	Nov 12	<u>Begin Cruise:</u> - Bus transfer to Lavrio Port. - Cruise departs 11:00 AM (lunch on board). - Mykonos (tender, 4:00 PM – 11:00 PM) - Optional shore excursions.	Cruise (B, L, D)
Sat	Nov 13	<u>Cruise Shore Excursions:</u> Ephesus, Turkey (dock, 07:00 AM – 12:30 PM) Patmos (tender, 04:00 PM – 09:00 PM)	Cruise (B, L, D)
Sun	Nov 14	<u>Cruise:</u> - Santorini (tender, 07:00 AM – 08:00 PM) - Optional shore excursions.	Cruise (B, L, D)
Mon	Nov 15	<u>Cruise Ends / Athens:</u> - Cruise docks Lavrio Port at 06:00 AM. Acropolis (including Mars Hill and Agora) Acropolis Museum	Athens (B, L, D)
Tue	Nov 16	<u>Departure:</u> Private airport transfers for departure.	(B)

12. Disclaimer:

THIS NOTICE CONSTITUTES PART OF YOUR CONTRACT FOR TRAVEL-RELATED SERVICES.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY. By registering for travel-related services, submitting any payment, and/or participating in travel arranged by Scopia LLC ("Scopia LLC"), the traveler (including any person registering or paying on behalf of others) acknowledges and agrees as follows:

Agency Role: Scopia LLC acts solely as an agent for independent third-party suppliers that provide travel-related services, including air carriers, cruise lines, hotels, transportation providers, and tour operators ("Suppliers"). Scopia LLC does not own, operate, manage, or control any Supplier and is not responsible for their acts or omissions.

Supplier Responsibility & Release: Scopia LLC is not responsible for the negligence, willful misconduct, failure to perform, insolvency, or default of any Supplier, including any failure to comply with local, state, federal, or international laws (such as the Americans with Disabilities Act). Scopia LLC is not liable for any injury, loss, damage, delay, inconvenience, or expense arising from the acts or omissions of any Supplier, whether foreseeable or unforeseeable. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the traveler releases and agrees to hold harmless Scopia LLC and its owners, employees, agents, and contractors from any claims or liabilities arising out of or related to travel-related services arranged by Scopia LLC.

Assumption of Risk: Travel involves inherent risks, including illness, injury, accident, death, crime, terrorism, transportation delays, weather events, natural disasters, pandemics, governmental actions, and changes to local conditions. Traveler knowingly and voluntarily assumes all risks associated with travel, whether known or unknown.

Binding Effect and Reliance: The person registering or submitting payment represents that they are authorized to act on behalf of all travelers in their party. All travelers are bound by these terms, whether or not each traveler personally completes a registration form or submits payment. Scopia LLC is entitled to rely on the information provided during registration and payment and has no obligation to verify whether any traveler personally reviewed the brochure or received the terms from another party.

Traveler Responsibilities: Traveler is solely responsible for compliance with passport, visa, vaccination, health, and entry requirements, and for monitoring safety and security conditions at all destinations.

Travel Insurance: Travel insurance is strongly recommended. Scopia LLC does not advise on insurance coverage or suitability.

Governing Law: Any legal action arising from services provided by Scopia LLC shall be governed by the laws of the State of Wisconsin and brought exclusively in the courts of Milwaukee County, Wisconsin.

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