

# IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS – Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

## March 01, 2024, Friday

### Early arrival on flight from Boston/Dinner and overnight in Tiberias (4 night stay)

Meet our guide Anton, and head to **TIBERIAS**. On the way visit the **National Park at Zippori** - Ancient city which contains the remains of dozens of beautiful mosaics from the Roman and Byzantine periods. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias

## March 02, 2024, Saturday

Breakfast then we go to **Nazareth and Cana**. Mass in the Grotto Chapel. Visit the Orthodox Church of Mary's well for a refreshing drink of ice-cold water. Continue to Cana, couples may renew your wedding vows. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias

## March 03, 2024, Sunday

Travel to Capernaum, the center of Jesus ministry in the Galilee. Then, we cross the waters of the Sea of Galilee on a replica of the ancient boat. Enjoy a typical St. Peter's fish lunch. At Tabgha we visit the Church of the Loaves and Fishes. We also visit the Chapel of the Primacy of Peter. Mass will be celebrated at one of the locations of this day. Then onto Magdala, the village of Mary Magdalene. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

## March 04, 2024, Monday

**Mt of Beatitudes & Mt. Tabor**: Drive to the Mount of Beatitudes. Ascend Mount Tabor by Private taxis. Mass will be celebrated at the **Church of the Transfiguration**, followed by a spaghetti lunch in the CASA NOVA HOTEL on Mount Tabor. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

## March 05, 2024, Tuesday

**Leave Tiberias**, and begin the day at the **National Park of Banias, or Caesarea Philippi**. Drive to the **Jordan River site of the Baptism of Jesus**. Together we will renew our baptismal promises. Onto **Jericho**. There we see the traditional Site of the Temptation of Jesus. Travel to **Qumran**, site of the Dead Sea Scroll discovery. Onto the mineral laden **Dead Sea** for an experience of floating there. Dinner and overnight at the Dead Sea.

## March 06, 2024, Wednesday

We **proceed up to Jerusalem** along the Ancient Roman Road. the setting of his parable of the Good Samaritan. We will visit **Bethany** the home of Lazarus, Martha, and Mary. Mass will be celebrated in the Church of Bethany. We continue the drive to **Beit Sahour to the Shepherd's field** Mass will be celebrated in a cave that is now a chapel. We will visit the **Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem** Nearby we will have Dinner at a Bethlehem restaurant. Overnight in Jerusalem.

## March 07, 2024, Thursday

**Jerusalem**. Stand on the **Mount of Olives**, view of the Golden city of Jerusalem, including the **Temple Mount** and **Dome of the Rock**. Visit the **Church of the Pater Noster**. Visit the **Chapel of Dominus Flevit** where Jesus wept over the City of Jerusalem. We will proceed down to the **Garden of Agony**. Mass will be in the Church of all the Nations in the Garden of Gethsemane where Jesus prayed. On Mount Zion visit the House of the high Priest Caiaphas at the church of St. Peter in Gallicantu. Stand in the upper room, finally conclude your day at the Church of the dormition of Mary. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

## March 08, 2024, Friday

**Ein Karem and Jerusalem**. Visit Ein Karem known as the birthplace of John Baptist and the place where the Virgin Mary visited Elizabeth. **Visit the Church of the Visitation, Mass will be celebrated in the church of John**

**the Baptist.** Visit Yad Vashem, a memorial built to commemorate victims of the Holocaust. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

**March 09, 2024, Saturday**

**Jerusalem.** We will leave the hotel very early to travel to the **Via Dolorosa** where we pray the **Way of the Cross**, ending at the **Church of the Holy Sepulcher**. Mass in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. Return to the hotel for breakfast and then proceed again to the via Dolorosa, view the **Pool of Bethesda** and sing a hymn in the **Church of St. Anne**. Visit the **Western/Wailing Wall** and the **Temple Mount**. Time today to shop. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

**March 10, 2024, Sunday**

Departure back to USA

Cost will be about \$4,500 including Lodging, Breakfast, Dinner, one Lunch, Anton, our guide, etc.

More details and Registration form soon to follow. Please call or email the office to reserve your place!

**In The Footsteps of Jesus**

Fr. Walter & Fr. Paul Flammia February 29<sup>th</sup> to March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Please complete form and return with your deposit, (\$1,350.00) with **a copy of your passport picture page** to: Fr. Walter Carreiro, Transfiguration Parish/Holy Land Trip, 11 Harnden St., Wilmington, MA 01887. Make check payable to: **ETJ/Fr. Walter Carreiro.**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical/Dietary

Allergy/Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

Room: (check one) Single (1 Bed Single Supplement + \$1155) ☐

Double (1 Bed, 2 People) ☐ Twin (2 Beds, 2 People) ☐ Triple (3 Beds) ☐

Name of Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: Name and Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is a check/money order for deposit in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(\$1,350 per person. Deposit is due as soon as possible to secure your place.)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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TOTAL PRICE OF THE TOUR IS \$4,500 INCLUDING DIRECT FLIGHT AND LUGGAGE

~2<sup>ND</sup> PAYMENT DUE BY OCTOBER 27, 2023, which is 50% OF THE BALANCE.

~FINAL PAYMENT OF BALANCE DUE BY JANUARY 7, 2024

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