



# KNOCK PILGRIMAGES

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## 2024 Tours

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# A Warm Welcome Awaits

At Knock Pilgrimages a warm Irish welcome awaits you. Pilgrims have travelled from Ireland, UK, Europe and America and we can't wait to have you back.

If you're considering traveling with us in 2024 you have lots to look forward to. You will experience a unique blend of spirituality and Irish culture and have lots of laughs along the way. Ireland offers so much to see and do, and all of our tours continue to incorporate quality time as we explore The Wild Atlantic Way, Hidden Heartlands, Ancient East and Northern Ireland.

From the moment you connect with Patricia and Natali you will receive a friendly and personal service. We endeavour to meet your needs at all times. You will have the option to meet a friend for life when Nephin Patrick, Patricia's beloved dog, joins us on some of our excursions.

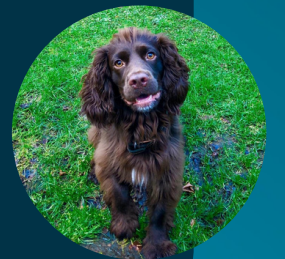
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**Patricia**



**Natali**



**Nephin Patrick**

Monsignor James Horan was the parish priest and builder of Knock. He oversaw the construction of the Basilica at the Marian Shrine. He is also credited for bringing Pope John Paul II to visit in 1979. Monsignor Horan is best known for his successful campaign to bring an airport to Co. Mayo. Without this vision it would not be as convenient to bring people to Knock.

We are privileged to carry on Monsignor Horan's dream to help Pilgrims from around the world visit Ireland's International Eucharistic and Marian Shrine.

Nestled in 100 acres, Knock Shrine affords you a very peaceful and unique experience. In the small village there are 4 chapels and a Basilica which boasts the largest glass mosaic in Europe.

Look back on over 140 years of history in Knock Museum or take a walk up Calvary Hill and pray at the Stations of the Cross. Stroll through the plaza where you will find a selection of Cafes, Restaurants and Souvenir Shops.

The Shrine Bookshop offers a selection of local authors and interesting reads not found elsewhere.







# KNOCK & CO. MAYO

## Four Nights - Highlights

Knock Shrine & Museum  
Ballintubber Abbey  
Croagh Patrick  
Westport Town  
Fr Peyton Centre  
Museum of Country Life

Experience four nights in the small village of Knock that boasts The International Eucharistic Marian Shrine. Visit local historical sites and immerse yourself in the spiritual surroundings. Form new friendships that will last forever.

### Tour Includes

£849.00pps

- Return Flight
- 10kg Checked In Hold Luggage
- Transport within Ireland
- 4 Nights - Knock House Hotel 3\*
- Breakfast & Evening Meal
- Lunch on 3 days
- Guided Tours/Entrance Fees
- Souvenir Photo Album

### Dates

Monday 6th May  
Monday 10th June  
Monday 1st July  
Mon 19th August **Annual Novena**  
Mon 14th October

Single Supplement: On Request - 20kg Check-in-Bag extra £60.00 for Return Journey







# WESTPORT & CO. MAYO

## Five Nights - Highlights

Knock Shrine & Museum  
Kylemore Abbey & Gardens  
Sheep Herding Experience  
Afternoon Tea in Ashford Castle  
Cong Village & Quiet Man Tour  
Galway City & Cathedral  
Music Nightly

Join us for five nights in the charming town of Westport on the shores of Clew Bay, on the West Coast of Ireland. Relax and dine in the award winning 4 star Castlecourt Hotel with superb leisure facilities. Visit an authentic Irish Sheep Farm. Make memories to last a lifetime and enjoy Afternoon Tea in the 800 year old Ashford Castle on Lough Corrib.

### Tour Includes

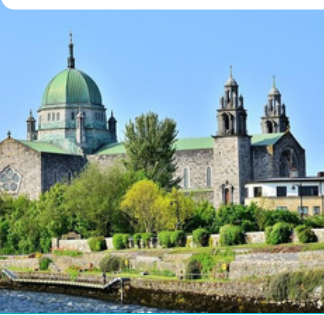
**£899.00pps**

- Return Flight
- 10kg Checked In Hold Luggage
- Transport within Ireland
- 5 Nights – Castlecourt Hotel, 4\*
- Breakfast & Evening Meal
- Lunch on 2 days
- Afternoon Tea at Ashford Castle
- Guided Tours/Entrance Fees
- Souvenir Photo Album

### Dates

Sunday 25th February  
Sunday 3rd March  
Sunday 10th March  
Sunday 7th April  
Sunday 14th April  
Sunday 12th May  
Sunday 26th May  
Sunday 16th June  
Sunday 3rd November

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# CORK & KERRY

## Seven Nights - Highlights

Cork City & The 18th Century English Market  
Cobh Heritage Town & The Monastic Spike Island  
Blarney Castle  
Killarney House & Gardens  
Seaweed Foraging & Horse & Carriage Tour  
Ring of Kerry & Dingle Peninsula

Our seven night adventure on the South Coast of Ireland offers luxury 4 star accommodation with superior leisure facilities. Be enriched with the gift of the gab by kissing the Blarney Stone. Learn how to forage for seaweed. Relax in Dingle in front of an Irish turf fire with its unique and smoky fragrance.

### Tour Includes

**£1399.00pps**

- Return Flight
- 10kg Checked In Hold Luggage
- Transport within Ireland
- 3 Nights – Oriel House Hotel, Cork 4\*
- 4 Nights – Brehon Hotel, Killarney 4\*
- Breakfast & Evening Meal
- Lunch on 3 Days
- Guided Tours/Entrance Fees
- Souvenir Photo Album

### Dates

Sunday 1st–Sunday 8th Sept.  
Sunday 8th–Sunday 15th Sept.

**Single Supplement: On Request - 20kg Check-in-Bag extra £60.00 for Return Journey**







# CLARE, LIMERICK & TIPPERARY

## Six Nights - Highlights

Aillwee Caves & Birds of Prey Centre  
Cliffs of Moher by Boat  
Bunratty Castle & Rock of Cashel  
Cheese Tasting Experience  
Swiss Cottage Tour  
Holy Cross Abbey  
Lough Gur Pottery & Gardens  
Fethard Horse Country Experience

Discover the hidden gems of counties Clare, Limerick and Tipperary on our six night adventure. Sleep in our hand picked 4 star accommodation. Savour the taste of Cashel's culinary cheese delights. Get up close to magnificent Birds of Prey. Stepback in time in the early 19th century Swiss Cottage. Try your hand at the pottery wheel.

### Tour Includes

**£1199.00pps**

- Return Flight
- 10kg Checked In Hold Luggage
- Transport within Ireland
- 3 Nights – 4\* Old Ground Hotel, Ennis
- 3 Nights – 4\* Minella Hotel, Tipperary
- Breakfast & Evening Meal
- Lunch on 3 Days
- Guided Tours/Entrance Fees
- Souvenir Photo Album

### Dates

Mon 22nd–Sunday 28th April  
Mon 29th July–Sunday 4th August

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# NORTHERN IRELAND

## Six Nights - Highlights

Titanic Museum & Belfast City  
Downpatrick Historic Town  
Giants Causeway  
Viking Village Armagh  
Bread Making & GAA Experience  
Glenshane Country Farm Tour

Your adventure awaits in Northern Ireland on our exciting six night stay beginning in Belfast. Bake your own Irish Soda Bread. Learn Gaelic Football and Hurling skills. Master the art of making a delicious cocktail. Walk the famous flag stepping stones of the Giants Causeway.

### Tour Includes

**£1199.00pps**

- Return Flight
- 10kg Checked In Hold Luggage
- Bus Transfers within Ireland
- 1 Night – Maldron Hotel, Belfast 4\*
- 5 Nights – Armagh City Hotel, 4\*
- Breakfast & Evening Meal
- Lunch on 3 Days
- Guided Tours/Entrance Fees
- Souvenir Photo Album

### Dates

Sunday 19th–Saturday 25th May  
Sunday 21st–Saturday 27th July

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# DUBLIN, MEATH & SOUTH EAST

## Six Nights - Highlights

Dublin City Tour  
Hill of Tara  
Kildare Heritage Town & Slane Castle  
Japanese Gardens & National Stud  
Chocolate Making & Kilkenny Castle  
Boat trip on River Nore

Explore Ireland's Capital City on our first of six nights in Ireland's South East. Immerse yourself in a world of history and heritage at Trinity College and Slane Castle. Marvel in the delight of Kilkenny City which has been described as a culture treasure with a big personality. Try your hand at Chocolate Making. Visit our National Stud and get up close and personal with the pedigree horses.

### Tour Includes

**£1199.00pps**

- Return Flight
- 10kg Checked In Hold Luggage
- Bus Transfers within Ireland
- 3 Nights – Johnstown House Hotel, Meath 4\*
- 3 Nights – Talbot Hotel, Carlow 4\*
- Breakfast & Evening Meal
- Lunch on 2 Days
- Guided Tours/Entrance Fees
- Souvenir Photo Album

### Dates

Sunday 23rd–Saturday 29th June  
Sunday 06th–Saturday 12th Oct

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# DONEGAL & DERRY CITY

## Six Nights - Highlights

Sliabh Liag by boat  
Glencolumcille & Donegal Castle  
Glenveigh National Park  
Malin Head & Alpaca Tour  
Crolley Distillery & Wild Ireland Park  
Derry City Tour & Guild Hall Derry

Donegal, Ireland's most northerly county offers a wonderfully fulfilling experience. Venture to the most northerly point, Malin Head, and walk your own Alpaca. Step back in time into an ancient woodland, inhabited by Wolves, Bears & Wild Boar. Sample Irish Whiskey at its best. Stroll through, the ancient Gardens at Glenveigh Castle. Explore the historic walled city of Derry.

### Tour Includes

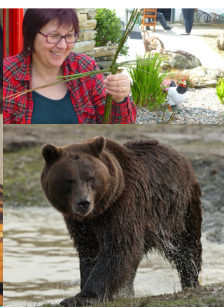
**£1299.00pps**

- Return Flight
- 10kg Checked In Hold Luggage
- Bus Transfers within Ireland
- 2 Nights – Mill Park Hotel, Donegal 4\*
- 4 Nights – Radisson Hotel, Letterkenny 4\*
- Breakfast & Evening Meal
- Lunch on 3 Days
- Guided Tours/Entrance Fees
- Souvenir Photo Album

### Dates

Tuesday 6th Aug – Monday 12th Aug  
Tuesday 27th Aug - Monday 2nd Sept

**Single Supplement: On Request - 20kg Check-in-Bag extra £60.00 for Return Journey**







# TESTIMONIALS



"Just wanted to take this opportunity to say a huge Thank You for making our recent Pilgrimage such a truly memorable one. We could not have been more happy and you went over and above to make not only us but every one of us feel at ease. Thank you again and God Bless you and your wonderful Driver."

Marilyn, June 2023

"Just a little note of thanks, we thoroughly enjoyed our pilgrimage, everything was so well organised by yourself. You thought of everything for everyone in the group. Everyone we met through yourself at the various venues etc were so kind and friendly and immediately all our cares flew away so thank you from the bottom of my heart you truly are 'one in a million'.....God Bless Patricia and Nephin we will see you again one day fingers crossed."

Michele, May 2023

"To say thank you is inadequate for the unique experience which I had on my journey with you last week. Your ability of bringing mostly strangers together is an exceptional quality. Blessings and gratitude."

Denise, July 2023

"I just wanted to say it's just what me and dad needed. He's been so lost without mum and it really brought him back to life. Thank you again and hopefully not be long until our paths cross again. God Bless."

Catherine, August 2023





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"Natali and Patricia. From the moment I first phoned your office I felt at ease. You made my booking seamless and your service is commendable at so many levels. My heart is definitely in Ireland and I will be back next year."

Jane, June 2023

"I wanted to thank you for the amazing way the trip was organised. We made new friends and thoroughly enjoyed the experience thank you so much."

Sue, May 2023

**Fly direct from your local airport:**

**Birmingham, Bristol, East Midlands  
Edinburgh, Liverpool, London Heathrow  
London Luton, London Stansted,  
Manchester**





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