

Our Terms

Terms and Conditions: Submitting any payment to Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC for a pilgrimage package constitutes full and unconditional acceptance of the terms and conditions outlined below.

REGISTRATION: To reserve your place on a pilgrimage, a $250 non-refundable deposit (payable by cash, check, or money order) must accompany a completed registration form, submitted either by hard copy or online. Registrations are processed on a first-come, first-served basis and are confirmed only when both the deposit and all required information are received. Incomplete forms will not be processed until completed. Registration forms will be held for a maximum of three (3) days. If the deposit is not received within that time, the application will not be processed and the spot may be released to another participant.

PILGRIMAGE PREPARATION MATERIALS: At least one month before departure, participants will receive digital pilgrimage preparation materials via email. One week after returning, follow-up reflection materials will be provided. Groups may also request additional in-person resources led by a group leader, chaplain, or volunteer.

PAYMENTS: A $250 non-refundable deposit is required at the time of registration. Electronic payments are subject to a 3% convenience fee. Full payment must be received 90 days prior to departure. Failure to meet the deadline may result in reservation cancellation and applicable cancellation fees. Returned checks will incur a $50 non-refundable fee. Important: Your $250 deposit must be received within three (3) days of submitting your registration form. Applications without timely payment will not be processed.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: We strongly recommend purchasing travel insurance. Plans are available on our website: www.holylandtoursandtravel.com. Please review your chosen policy carefully.

CANCELLATION FEES AND REFUNDS: All cancellations must be submitted in writing by email or letter. Refunds (if applicable) will follow the cancellation fee schedule provided with your invoice. If Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC cancels a pilgrimage for reasons unrelated to safety, natural disasters, acts of God, terrorism, or other force majeure events, a full refund will be issued minus non-refundable third-party deposits. For cancellations due to the above-listed events, any payments made will be credited toward future services with Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC. No additional refunds or compensation will be issued.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Group airfare includes round-trip economy class tickets, which are non-refundable once ticketed. Frequent flyer miles cannot be used for group purchases but can be added at check-in. Airlines may impose penalties for changes or unused tickets. Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC is not responsible for airline schedule changes, additional fees, or missed flights due to personal circumstances. Deviations from the group itinerary are not permitted. Seating requests should be made directly with the airline and are not guaranteed.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND TRANSPORTATION: Packages include accommodations in double-occupancy rooms with private bathrooms. A limited number of single rooms are available at an additional cost. Lodging will be provided in Deluxe Hotels, religious guesthouses, or similar accommodations. Ground transportation will be via private, chartered coach, accompanied by a local guide. If a participant does not have a roommate and no match can be made by the time of final arrangements, the participant must pay the single room supplement. If unwilling to pay, Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC reserves the right to cancel the participant's reservation and refund any payments made.

MEALS AND PERSONAL EXPENSES: Two meals per day are included during the stay in the destination country. Meals on travel days and one daily meal are not included. No refunds will be provided for missed meals. Special dietary needs can be requested but cannot be guaranteed in all locations.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: All participants must have proper travel documentation. A valid passport with at least six months' validity beyond the return date is required for international pilgrimages. Travelers are responsible for obtaining any necessary visas or other documents. Non-U.S. citizens should check entry requirements based on their nationality.

HEALTH CONCERNS: We strive to accommodate participants with health concerns. However, participants must be able to walk, eat, and move independently, or bring a personal assistant at their own cost. Most destinations do not operate under ADA standards. Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC does not guarantee access to all activities for those with limited mobility and does not offer refunds for missed activities due to physical limitations.

Due to the physically demanding nature of our pilgrimages — including extensive walking, standing, uneven terrain, and long travel days — participants requiring a wheelchair or mobility aid are not eligible to join group tours. A private pilgrimage experience tailored to your needs is recommended. Please contact us for personalized assistance.

BAGGAGE: Airlines typically allow one free checked bag on international flights; however, travelers must confirm directly with their carrier. Participants are responsible for handling their own luggage. We recommend bringing one checked bag and one carry-on. Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC is not responsible for loss, theft, or damage to baggage or personal belongings.

EXCLUSIONS: The pilgrimage fee does not include passport or visa fees, meals not specified in the itinerary, beverages, personal expenses, travel insurance, baggage fees, or incidental costs.

PHOTOGRAPHY: Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC reserves the right to photograph and film pilgrimage activities for promotional purposes. If you prefer not to be photographed, please notify us in writing before departure.

LIABILITY DISCLAIMER: Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC acts only as a coordinator and is not liable for injury, loss, delays, or inconvenience caused by third-party providers including airlines, hotels, guides, or transportation companies. We are not responsible for damages due to weather, strikes, terrorism, illness, natural disasters, or other events beyond our control. Liability is limited to the cost of the pilgrimage package paid, less applicable cancellation fees.

California Residents: Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC is registered as a Seller of Travel, CST #2136790-50. Registration as a seller of travel does not constitute approval by the State of California. This business maintains a trust account at U.S. Bank and is bonded through Seller of Travel Surety Bond #10142490 with Westfield National Insurance Company.

Check out the itinerary and register online today!

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Walk in the Footsteps of Jesus - Journey Through the Land of Christ

12 Day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

With Fr. Victor Maristela

October 12th, 2027 - October 23rd, 2027



Day 1 - October 12

Depart from your local U.S. international airport on an overnight flight to Ben Gurion Airport in Tel Aviv. Relax and enjoy your flight, onboard meals, and refreshments as you prepare for a faith-filled pilgrimage and a spiritual journey through the Holy Land.



Day 2 - October 13

Arrive in the Holy Land and meet our tour guide, who will escort you throughout our pilgrimage. Drive to Nazareth or Tiberias and check in at the hotel. Take time to relax and refresh before enjoying dinner and settling in for your overnight stay in Nazareth or Tiberias.



Day 3 - October 14

After breakfast, start our day with a boat ride across the Sea of Galilee. Then visit Capernaum and the House of Peter, Magdala, the 'Jesus Boat' at Nof Ginosar, the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and Fishes at Tabgha, and St. Peter's Church on the sea. Dinner and overnight in Nazareth or Tiberias.



Day 4 - October 15

After breakfast, drive to Cana of Galilee, the place commemorating the first miracle of Jesus. After that, drive to Mount Carmel, and then Nazareth to visit the sites of the Basilica of the Annunciation, Mary's Well, St. Joseph's Church, and the Synagogue Church. Dinner and overnight in Nazareth or Tiberias.



Day 5 - October 16

After breakfast, drive to Mt. Tabor to visit the Church of the Transfiguration. Later visit the Baptismal Site on the Jordan River, and then drive along the Jordan Valley to Jerusalem. Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.



Day 6 - October 17

After breakfast, tour the Old City of Jerusalem. Start with St. Anne's Church, the Pool of Bethesda, and the Chapel of Flagellation. Continue along the Via Dolorosa to visit the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Walk to the Wailing Wall. Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.



Day 7 - October 18

After breakfast, drive to the Mount of Olives to enjoy a panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit the Chapel of Ascension and the Pater Noster Church. Continue walking to Dominus Flevit, the Garden and Church of Gethsemane, Mt. Zion, Dormition Abbey, David's Tomb, the Cenacle or Upper Room, and the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu. Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.



Day 8 - October 19

After breakfast, visit Bethany and the Tomb of Lazarus. Drive on to Jericho to see the Mount of Temptation, Tel Sultan, and the sycamore tree of Zacchaeus. Later visit the Dead Sea and caves at Qumran. Perhaps swim in the Dead Sea. Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.

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Day 9 - October 20

After breakfast, tour Bethlehem. Visit the Nativity Church, Milk Grotto, the Shepherd's Fields, and the old city of Bethlehem. Enjoy a cultural dinner and folk dancing. Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.



Day 11 - October 22

After breakfast, drive to Ein Karem to visit the Visitation Church and Church of St. John the Baptist. Afterwards, enjoy free time in Bethlehem visiting souvenir stores for gifts for friends and family. Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.



Day 10 - October 21

After breakfast, drive to the mountain of Herodium. Enjoy the history of the place associated with King Herod. The Gospel of Matthew recounts how Herod tried to kill baby Jesus and ordered the killing of other children in Bethlehem, remembered as the Massacre of the Innocents. Enjoy a cultural dinner and folk dancing with our Christian family. Dinner and overnight in Bethlehem.



Day 12 - October 23

At the scheduled time, transfer to Tel Aviv's Ben Gurion Airport for your flight home. Carry with you the love, fellowship, and sacred memories of this pilgrimage. May the places where Jesus walked bring the Bible to life and deepen your faith. Return home with renewed hope, grateful hearts, and Christ's peace to share with your family and friends.

Mass/Service will be celebrated daily if possible | *Optional Masada: $150 per person (includes mountain lift)*

PILGRIMAGE PACKAGE

$4,495 *per person*
Double occupancy

ROOM OPTIONS

Single room supplement	+$995
Triple room supplement	+$500

THE PRICE INCLUDES

- Round-trip airfare, including taxes/surcharges
- Deluxe hotel accommodations
- Hotel taxes and portages
- Breakfast, lunch and dinner included daily (Full Board)
- Deluxe motorcoach transportation
- Sightseeing with bilingual licensed guide
- Entrance fees as listed in itinerary
- Daily Mass/Service (if requested)
- Farewell party with folk dancing

THE PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Trip cancellation protection (recommended)
- Passport and visa costs, if applicable
- Gratuities for guides, driver and tour manager
- Personal expenses, laundry and phone calls
- Snacks and meals not specified in the program
- Items not specifically included in the tour
- Travel insurance/protection plan
- Transportation to/from departure airport

MEALS & BEVERAGES

Breakfast, lunch and dinner included daily
FULL BOARD

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES NOT INCLUDED

TIPPING INFORMATION

$15 per person, per day, collected for the pilgrimage team.
Thank you for recognizing the team's dedicated service.

Tour Guide	$7/day
Motorcoach Driver	$5/day
Hotel Service Staff	$3/day

IMPORTANT PILGRIMAGE NOTES | Itinerary subject to change based on local conditions, site access, and the professional judgment of the local tour guide.

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Cancellation Refund Policy

Cancellation: ***All cancellations must be received in written form (by letter or email). Cancellations are possible at any time but refunds will be subject to the cancellation fees at the rates listed on the invoice received by Pilgrims. If Holy Land Tours and Travels, LLC cancels the pilgrimage for any reason other than safety, security, natural disaster, acts of terrorism, acts of God, or any other circumstances beyond Holy Land Tours and Travels, LLC's control, Holy Land Tours and Travels, LLC will refund the entire amount paid minus any non-refundable deposits paid to third-party vendors. Holy Land Tours and Travels, LLC bears no further responsibility beyond the refund. In the event that you need to cancel your trip, we understand that it can be frustrating to lose out on your investment. That's why we advise you to purchase travel insurance that covers cancellation for covered reasons, medical expenses, and lost baggage. You have the option to purchase travel insurance from your preferred insurance agency, or through our website.***

Single Room Information: ***In cases where a participant registers without a designated roommate, we will do our best to match them with another traveler. If no match is available by the time room assignments are finalized, the participant will be responsible for the additional cost of a single room. If they choose not to proceed with the single supplement, we will kindly cancel their reservation and issue a full refund of any payments made.***
If the participant refuses to pay the single supplement, Holy Land Tours and Travel, LLC reserves the right to cancel their participation in the pilgrimage and issue a full refund of any payments made, without further obligation or liability.

Please note: To secure your spot, the $250 deposit must be received within three (3) days of submitting the registration form. Applications without timely payment will not be processed. A $250 deposit is non-refundable.

Refund Policy:

Once airline tickets (including upgrades) are issued, they are 100% non-refundable regardless of the cancellation date. If you cancel 90 days or more before the trip, you are eligible for a refund of 75% of the total trip price, minus the deposit. If you cancel between 89 and 60 days before the trip, you are eligible for a refund of 50% of the total trip price, minus the deposit. If you cancel between 59 and 35 days before the trip, you are eligible for a refund of 25% of the total trip price, minus the deposit. If you have any questions or concerns about the cancellation and refund policy, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Cancellation Fees:

The cancellation fee is calculated as a percentage of the total trip price, not the amount paid to date. If the payments made at the time of cancellation do not cover the applicable cancellation fee, the traveler is still financially responsible for the remaining balance of that fee. Holy Land Tours and Travel LLC reserves the right to invoice and collect any outstanding cancellation fees.

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