



## **Living Waters - Tracing Jesus' Footsteps Catholic Guarantee departure**

Set dates from January 10 ,2023, until December 12, 2023

Join us on a unique and spiritual experience. Tour the Holy Land on our exclusive Catholic tour. Set departure dates beginning on January 10 , 2023.  
Discover the magnificent Holy Land with us.

### **Day 1:**

Upon arrival in Tel Aviv airport, you will find your luggage and exit the baggage claim into the arrivals hall, where your driver will wait for you holding a sign with your name on . Private transfer to your hotel along the Mediterranean shore line.

Overnight in Tel Aviv -(no meals )

### **Day 2:**

After breakfast, we travel up the coast to Caesarea. We will visit the Roman and Crusader ruins, where Paul was held prisoner by the Romans. We continue our journey into the Carmel Mountains, heading for the Galilee. We stop in Haifa where we will visit Stella Maris, a Carmelite Monastery which houses the Madonna of Mt. Carmel.

After time for prayer we continue on to Mukhraka where Elijah confronted the false prophets of Baal and where the Carmelite Order began. Our next stop is nearby Nazareth (Luke 1:26-38), where we will visit the Basilica of the Annunciation, Mary's Well and the Church of the Angel Gabriel.

We head on to Cana (John 2:1-11; 4:46; 21:2), the village where Jesus performed his first miracle changing water into wine. Our pilgrim couples will have a special opportunity to renew their wedding vows.

Overnight in Nazareth or Tiberius (breakfast & dinner).

### **Day 3:**

Today we will focus on the Ministry of Christ during his time in Galilee. We will enjoy a peaceful boat ride across the Sea of Galilee where Christ walked on water. We also visit the holy site Capernaum (Matthew 4:12-25) to see the synagogue and St. Peter's house, where Jesus would have stayed while ministering in the area.

Visit the breathtaking Mount of Beatitudes (Luke 6:12-49) where the Sermon on the Mount was given. There will be an unforgettable Mass near the shores of the Sea of Galilee at the Primacy of Mt. Beatitudes.

We continue on to Tabgha (Mark 6:30-44) where we will see the splendid mosaic Commemorating the miracle of the loaves and fishes, and to the nearby Church of Peter's Primacy where Peter was told "Feed my lambs, feed my sheep" (John 21:9).

In the afternoon we'll drive to Mt. Tabor, scene of the Transfiguration.

Holy Mass: Tiberias – St Peters Latin parish at 19:00

Overnight in Nazareth or Tiberius (breakfast & dinner).



#### **Day 4:**

After breakfast, we drive down the Jordan Valley and head towards Jerusalem. We will then drive to the Jordan Valley and we visit the traditional site of Baptism at Qasr El Yahud, the area of the first baptism on Jordan River and where John baptized Jesus. We reach Jericho, the ancient Canaanite city destroyed by the power of God (Josh. 5-6). It is the oldest known inhabited city in the world. It was in Jericho that Jesus encountered Zacchaeus (Lk. 19). We'll enjoy a splendid view of Mt. Temptation (Luke 4:1-13), where Jesus fasted and was tempted by Satan.

Our next stop is at Qumran, the site where the Dead Sea scrolls were unearthed. We will have time for a swim (or rather a float) in the mineral-rich waters.

We continue to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight .

Overnight in Jerusalem (breakfast & dinner).

#### **Day 5:**

We begin our day with a visit to the Mt. of Olives to walk the Palm Sunday route stopping at Dominus Fleuit (Luke 19:41), where Jesus wept over Jerusalem. Our journey takes us to Garden of Gethsemane (Matthew 26:36-56), where we will visit the Rock of Agony where Jesus prayed his last prayer before being arrested.

We continue on to the Cave of Betrayal and the Cave of Assumption of Mary to Heaven. We visit Pater Noster, where the universality of the Catholic Church is evident in the tiled mosaics of the Lord's Prayer in many languages. We finish our morning's visits at the Chapel of the Ascension from where Jesus ascended to Heaven.

In the afternoon we drive to Shepherd's Fields (Luke 2:8-20) where the angels announced the birth of Jesus. We visit the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem, which stands upon the site where Jesus was born. We have time to shop before returning to our hotel for dinner.

Holy Mass: Notre dame at 18:30

Overnight in Jerusalem(breakfast & dinner).

#### **Day 6:**

This morning we wake very early for one of the highlights of our trip.

As the sun rises we retrace the last steps of Jesus on Good Friday. As we walk along the Via Dolorosa (Way of Sorrow), through the Old City we will pray along the Stations of the Cross as we walk the same path Jesus took. We visit St. Anne's Church, the home of the Virgin Mary and her parents Saints Joachim and Anne. We will see the Ecce Homo where Pilate proclaimed "Behold the man..." We reflect on the greatness of His sacrifice as we arrive at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. We continue to the Western Wall (the most holy place for Jews). We exit at Mt. Zion gate to visit the Upper Room (John 13:1-30), the location of the Last Supper and the Dormition Abbey where we believe the blessed Mary died. We end the day at St. Peter in Gallicantu (John 18:12) where Peter denied Christ three times.

This afternoon you will have free time to rest or explore Jerusalem. Return to our hotel for dinner.

Sunday Holy Mass: Jerusalem church (Holy Sepulcher or Notre Dame)

Overnight in Jerusalem (breakfast & dinner).



**Day 7:**

Breakfast in the hotel. Check out by 11:00am. Private departure transfer to Ben Gurion airport for your return flight back home.(breakfast)

- \*\* Program is subject to changes and availability
- \*\* 3 Masses & renewal of marriage vows in Cana will be booked by Vered Hasharon.
- \*\* Masses might change according to the church decision.
- \*\* The tours are bilingual, Spanish /English.

**Rates valid for 2023, according to the below mentioned dates:**

Dates of arrival to Israel	3 stars Price per person sharing double room on HB	3 stars Single Room Supplement	4 stars Price per person sharing double room on HB	4 stars Single Room Supplement
January 10, 2023	\$2595	\$582	\$2682	\$657
January 24, 2023	\$2595	\$582	\$2682	\$657
February 7,2023	\$2595	\$582	\$2682	\$657
February 21, 2023	\$2595	\$582	\$2682	\$657
March 7,2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
March 21, 2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
April 18,2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
May 2,2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
May 16, 2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
June 13,2023	\$2630	\$667	\$2763	\$741
June 27,2023	\$2630	\$667	\$2763	\$741
July 11,2023	\$2630	\$667	\$2763	\$741
July 25, 2023	\$2630	\$667	\$2763	\$741
August 8,2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
August 22, 2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
September 5, 2023	\$2812	\$732	\$3033	\$1021
October 10, 2023	\$2812	\$732	\$3033	\$1021
October 24,2023	\$2812	\$732	\$3033	\$1021
November 7, 2023	\$2812	\$732	\$3033	\$1021
November 21,2023	\$2812	\$732	\$3033	\$1021
December 5,2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903
December 12, 2023	\$2760	\$680	\$2932	\$903



**\* Based on minimum 4 participants**

**Accommodation:**

**Superior tourist class hotels (good 3 stars) accommodation:**

- 1 overnight at [Hotel Grand Beach Tel Aviv](#) or similar
  - 2 overnights at [Hotel Restal Tiberius](#) or similar
  - 3 overnights at [Hotel Royal Jerusalem](#) or similar
- TOTAL 6 overnights**

**First class hotels (4 stars) or similar accommodation:**

- 1 overnight at [Hotel Metropolitan Tel Aviv](#) or similar
  - 2 overnights at [Hotel Golan Tiberius](#) or similar
  - 3 overnights at [Hotel Ramada Jerusalem](#) or similar
- TOTAL 6 overnights**
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**Check in time: by 15:00pm. On Saturdays by around 20:00am.  
Check out time: by 11:00am.**

**Quote Includes:**

- 5 full days sightseeing as per program with licensed English-speaking tour guide
- 5 full days sightseeing in a luxury air-conditioned coach
- All entrance fees as per itinerary above included
- 6 overnights at above mentioned hotels or similar
- Private transfer from Ben Gurion Airport to Tel Aviv on the arrival day\*\*
- Private transfer from Jerusalem Hotel to Ben Gurion airport on the departure day\*\*

**Meal arrangements:**

- 5 Dinners at hotels main dining room as per the itinerary
- Daily buffet breakfast at hotels

**Quote does not include:**

- Flight tickets, taxes



- Expenses of a personal nature, travel insurance
- Any meals not mentioned above
- Beverages upon meals
- Late check out at the hotel in Jerusalem
- Tips to the driver, guide, hotel and restaurant staff
- Water on the bus
- PCR & Serological tests

**Special Notes:**

\*Due to the current restrictions and constant changes of procedures additional charges may incur these charges are beyond our control and the responsibility of the passenger.

\*The Tour will operate under the regulations of the Israel Ministry of Travel & Tourism.