

Walk in the Footsteps of Jesus



# Holy Land

JORDAN AND EGYPT PILGRIMAGE

**JERUSALEM ★ BETHLEHEM ★ NAZARETH ★ SEA OF GALILEE ★ CAPERNAUM ★  
JERICHO ★ ST. CATHERINE ★ CAIRO ★ PETRA ★ AMMAN AND MORE!**

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**DAY 1: FLIGHT TO TEL AVIV, ISRAEL**

Today marks the beginning of your extraordinary pilgrimage as you board your flight to Israel! Embrace the excitement of what lies ahead by relaxing and letting the anticipation of this incredible spiritual journey fill you with joy.

**DAY 2: TEL AVIV / NETANYA**

Upon arrival at Ben Gurion Airport, you'll pass through customs and meet your tour guide for this exceptional pilgrimage. After a scenic drive, we'll reach your hotel in Netanya. If time permits, we'll stop in Jaffa to celebrate Mass at St. Peter's Church. Enjoy dinner and a restful overnight stay in Netanya.

**DAY 3: HAIFA / MT. CARMEL / CANA / NAZARETH / MT. TABOR / TIBERIAS**

After a nourishing breakfast, we'll start our exciting day in Haifa at Mt. Carmel, where Elijah challenged the prophets of Baal. Next, we'll celebrate Mass in Cana, where couples can renew their wedding vows at the Wedding Church and receive a certificate. Then, we'll explore Nazareth, visiting the Basilica of the Annunciation, St. Joseph's Church, Mary's Well, and the old market. We'll also view Mount Tabor, the site of the Transfiguration. After a fulfilling day, we'll return to our hotel in Tiberias for dinner and an overnight stay.

**DAY 4: MT. OF BEATITUDES / TABGHA / CAPERNAUM / SEA OF GALILEE MAGDALA / BETHLEHEM**

Today, we celebrate Jesus's miracles starting at the serene Mount of Beatitudes, where He delivered the Sermon on the Mount. Next, we'll visit Tabgha, known for the miracle of the fish and loaves, followed by the Church of Peter's Primacy, highlighting the miraculous catch. We'll also explore Capernaum, where Jesus began His ministry, and finally, we'll board a boat for Mass on the Sea of Galilee. In the afternoon, we go to Magdala, ancient city on the shore of the Sea of Galilee and the birthplace of Mary Magdalene. We'll return to our hotel in Bethlehem for dinner and an overnight stay.

**DAY 5: BETHLEHEM / NATIVITY CHURCH / SHEPHERD'S FIELD / EIN KAREM**

After breakfast, we'll celebrate Mass at Shepherds' Field in Bethlehem and explore the historic Church of the Nativity, built over Jesus' birthplace. In the afternoon, we'll visit Ein Karem, the home of St. John the Baptist, and the Church of the Visitation, where Mary shared the "Magnificat" with Elizabeth. We'll end the day with dinner and an overnight stay at a hotel in Bethlehem. What an unforgettable pilgrimage!

**DAY 6: JERUSALEM – PALM SUNDAY ROUTE**

Today, we begin our journey through Jerusalem's historic sites! Our first stop is the Mount of Olives, where we'll visit the Pater Noster and walk along the Palm Sunday route to Dominus Flevit, where Jesus wept over the city. Next, we'll head to the Garden of Gethsemane and the Rock of Agony, followed by Mass at the Church of All Nations. In the afternoon, we'll explore the Chapel of the Ascension and the Upper Room on Mount Zion, where the Last Supper occurred, concluding our day at St. Peter in Gallicantu. After this meaningful day, we'll enjoy dinner and stay overnight in Bethlehem.

**DAY 7: JERUSALEM: VIA DOLOROSA / BETHESDA**

Today, we embark on a meaningful journey along the Via Dolorosa, retracing Jesus' last steps through the Old City. We'll pray at the Stations of the Cross and attend Mass at the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. Next, we'll visit St. Anne's Church, believed to be the birthplace of the Virgin Mary, and the historic Ecce Homo, where Pontius Pilate proclaimed, "Behold the man!" Our final stop will be the Wailing Wall, a sacred site for the Jewish people for reflection. Lunch and then visit the pools of Bethesda. Dinner at a local restaurant before returning to our hotel in Bethlehem.

**DAY 8: MT. NEBO / AMMAN**

We're excited to cross the Allenby Bridge into beautiful Jordan. First, we'll visit Madaba, known for its stunning mosaics. Then, we'll head to



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**what's included**

-  **Round-Trip Airfare**
-  **Land Transportation**
-  **Daily Mass**
-  **Airport Taxes/Fuel Surcharges**
-  **Breakfast & Dinner**
-  **Professional Tour Guides**
-  **First-Class Hotels**
-  **Site Admission Fees**
-  **Medical Insurance**

# The Holy Land

And Jesus, walking by the Sea of Galilee, saw two brothers, Simon called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea; for they were fishermen. Then He said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men."

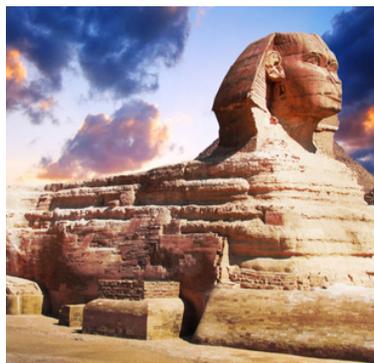
—Matthew 4:18



Church of the Holy Sepulchre  
Jerusalem



Church of the Nativity  
Bethlehem



The Sphinx  
Egypt



The Treasury  
Petra

Mount Nebo for breathtaking views of the Holy Land and the Jordan River Valley, where the Tomb of Moses is located. Finally, we'll drive to Amman for dinner and an overnight stay at our hotel.

## DAY 9: WADI MUSA / PETRA

A day of wonder awaits us as we journey to Wadi Musa, leading us to the majestic Petra. This ancient city, filled with remarkable carved structures, including the iconic Monastery carved from solid sandstone, will take our breath away. After a delightful lunch, we'll return through the Siq to Wadi Musa for our return drive to Amman. Dinner and an overnight stay at our hotel in Amman will cap off this amazing experience.

## DAY 10: JORDAN RIVER / JERICHO / DEAD SEA

After breakfast, we'll head into the Holy Land, stopping at the Jordan River, known for Jesus' baptism by John the Baptist, where you can renew your baptismal vows. Next, we'll explore Jericho, the world's oldest city, and visit the Mount of Temptation, where Jesus fasted and also see the sycamore tree. Enjoy a swim in the therapeutic waters of the Dead Sea before dining at a local restaurant and resting at our hotel in Jericho, reflecting on the day's experiences.

## DAY 11: JERICHO / SINAI

After breakfast, we'll head to Eilat and cross the Israeli-Egyptian border, stopping first at St. Catherine's Monastery in the Sinai region. Adventurous travelers can opt for a sunrise climb up Mount Sinai

register by mail or online

Submit a non-refundable \$300 deposit with your registration form and passport copy. The names on the registration form and passport must match exactly, and passports must be valid for at least 6 months from the return date. Full payment is due 6/05/2026 (100 days before departure).



to witness the breathtaking sunrise where God revealed the Ten Commandments to Moses. Camels are available for rent for an easier ascent. After exploring the area, we'll return to our hotel for dinner and an overnight stay in Sinai, reflecting on the day's discoveries.

## DAY 12: ST. CATHERINE / CAIRO

After breakfast, we'll visit the stunning St. Catherine Monastery, a site of pilgrimage for over fifteen centuries, set against the mountain where Moses received the Ten Commandments. We'll explore its historical and spiritual significance before heading to Cairo, where we'll enjoy a tasty dinner and a restful night, anticipating tomorrow's wonders.

## DAY 13: CAIRO MUSEUM / PYRAMIDS / SPHINX / KHAN KHALILI BAZAARS

We have an exciting day planned! We'll start at the Egyptian Museum to explore ancient Egypt's rich history. Then, we'll visit the magnificent Pyramids of Chephren, Mykerinos, and Cheops, followed by the iconic Sphinx. We'll also visit the renowned Hanging Church. In the evening, we'll enjoy a dinner cruise along the Nile, taking in the beautiful views. Finally, we'll explore the vibrant Khan Khalili Bazaar before returning to our hotel in Cairo.

## DAY 14: RETURN FLIGHT HOME

After breakfast, we'll shuttle to the Cairo airport for our return flight. We hope you enjoyed this incredible journey with us. Thank you for traveling with Nativity Pilgrimage!



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# TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## YOUR PACKAGE INCLUDES

**Air Transportation:** Economy class and round-trip airfares are based on the time of the reservation. Rates and times are subject to change without notice. Airfares, once issued, are non-refundable, non-transferable, and cannot be used towards future travel.

**Land Transportation:** All land transportation as described in the itinerary will be by Deluxe Motor Coach. Some may be equipped with Wi-Fi service.

**Hotels:** Your hotels will be first-class with double occupancy (2 people per room with a private bath). Neither Nativity Pilgrimage nor the trip coordinator are responsible for providing a roommate.

**Meal Plan:** The meal plan offers breakfast & dinner daily, unless otherwise stated.

**Baggage:** Most airlines limit all passengers to one (1) piece of checked luggage and one (1) carry-on. All passengers should check with the airlines carriers for up to date baggage weight and dimensions.

**Airport Fees:** Airport Taxes, Portorage, Fuel Surcharges and Security Fees

**Medical Insurance:** Coverage for the duration of your trip.

## YOUR PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE

**Cancellation Insurance:** We highly recommend purchasing travel insurance upon registration.

**Passport Expenses:** This includes any passports or additional travel documents that may be required. Passports must be valid until at least 6 months from your return date.

**Personal Expenses:** Laundry, beverages (including wine, liquor, mineral water, tea, coffee, etc.), meals or food items not listed on the included menu plan, and any excess or additional luggage.

**Non-itinerary fees:** Any sightseeing or service fees or personal items that are not specifically mentioned as being included in the itinerary.

**Non-included meals:** You are responsible for any meals not specified in your itinerary.

**Tips/Gratuities:** This includes tour guides, drivers, hotel service staff, and wait staff.

## GENERAL TRAVEL INFORMATION

**Group Air:** Group Air differs from individually purchased airline tickets in that it is subject to the terms and conditions of the airlines. For this reason, we need to receive your registration and full payment by the payment deadline. After that date, registrations may be subject to a different air rate, ticketing method, or on a different airline. Additional fees and charges may apply. Group air flights are confirmed 60 - 90 days prior to departure.

**Departure Cities:** If your departure city is not listed on the brochure, indicate which airport you would like to depart from on the registration form. We will provide you with the best possible price and flight schedule in order to connect with the group. Additional fees and charges may apply.

**Land-Only Option:** If you would like to book your own air travel, indicate on your registration form that you want the "Land Only" option. This amount equals to the total tour price minus \$800 for all destinations except Mexico, which is minus \$350. By booking your own air, you may select your seat, airline, and travel schedule, use airline miles/points, provide airline reward program information, and make any special requests directly with the airline. No changes can be made after the final payment deadline. Land-only services begin and end at the hotels unless you are able to meet the group at the airport. Land-only travelers are responsible for their own airport transfers.

## IMPORTANT NATIVITY PILGRIMAGE POLICIES

The airline selects seat assignments for group air, not the tour operator. Seat upgrades are available for registered travelers, by request. Quoted rates for an upgrade are subject to change until payment is received. Some upgrades are not available until the group tickets are issued.

**Single Room:** Tour price is based on double occupancy. If you'd like a single room, there is an additional cost per person as specified on the registration form. Single rooms are limited and will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

**Seat Upgrades:** Once Nativity Pilgrimage receives an upgrade request, we will contact the airlines to finalize your request. We cannot guarantee the acceptance of this request as it is subject to availability and pricing (which changes daily).

**Seat Location Requests:** Once Nativity Pilgrimage receives a seat location request, we will contact the airlines to finalize your request. We cannot guarantee acceptance of this request as it is subject to availability and pricing (which changes daily).

**Other Special Requests:** Once Nativity Pilgrimage receives a special request, such as a wheelchair, food, etc., we will contact the airlines to finalize your request. We cannot guarantee acceptance of this request as it is subject to availability and pricing (which changes daily)

## BOOKING CONDITIONS

**Deposit:** A non-refundable deposit of \$300.00 per person is required at the time of booking. No reservation will be processed without a deposit.

**Payment Deadline:** Full payment is due 6/05/2026 (100 Days before departure). Late registrations received after the deadline require an additional \$100 (subject to availability). If payment is not made in full 50 days prior to departure, your payments are non-refundable.

**Payment Methods:** We accept major credit cards, checks, money orders, Zelle payments (accounting@nativitypilgrimage.com), and ACH transactions. There is an additional 3% fee for each credit card transaction.

## LATE PAYMENT POLICY

Customers will receive Late Fees if they are not paid in full:

PRIOR TO DEPARTURE	FEE
100 - 61 days	\$150
60 - 30 days	\$300
30 days - day before departure	subject to cancellation

Customers are also responsible for any difference in fare due to late payment (subject to availability). Refusal to pay will be considered a cancellation.

## CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY

**Full Refund Policy for Holy Land (War-Related Cancellations Only):** If war occurs and the airline cancels flights to the Holy Land, Nativity Pilgrimage will issue a full refund for the land portion if canceled within 50 days of departure. For cancellations less than 50 days of departure, if airline tickets have been issued, the airline's refund and cancellation policies will apply to the airfare portion.

**Multi-Country Pilgrimages (Holy Land + Other Destinations):** If the itinerary includes Jordan, Egypt, Rome, Greece, or other destinations, the refund policies of the respective local travel providers will apply to those portions.

**Airline Ticket Terms:** Once tickets are issued, all airline terms and conditions apply, including penalties, refunds, and rebooking policies.

## PROTECT YOUR TRIP

Every pilgrim traveling with Nativity will receive complimentary medical insurance that provides coverage for the full duration of your trip.

We also strongly recommend purchasing trip cancellation insurance (available at an additional cost) to safeguard your travel investment in case unforeseen circumstances require you to cancel. Please contact our office for details about trip cancellation insurance options.

**Important:** If you plan to purchase Cancel for Any Reason (CFAR) coverage, it must be purchased at the time of registration.

## RESPONSIBILITY

Nativity Pilgrimage, Inc. and their agents assume no liability or responsibility in regards to travel in any form for any injuries or loss of property, accidents, delays, changes in schedule or itinerary, incidental damages or any irregular circumstances. This would include, but not limited to, default or omission by any third party providing services or facilities related to and/or included in the tour or any part thereof.

The IATA carriers, steamship firms and other transportation companies, whose services are featured in these tours, are not to be held responsible or accountable for any act, omission or event during the time the passengers are not on board their respective conveyance. The passage contract in use by these companies, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the companies and the purchaser of these tours and/or passengers and Nativity Pilgrimage, Inc. does not assume any liability or responsibility in connection therewith. They are not responsible for any losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in air or other services, sickness, weather, strike, war, guarantees, or other causes. All such losses or expenses shall be borne by the passenger as tour rates provide for arrangements only for the time stated. The right is reserved to substitute hotels of similar quality to those specified in the itinerary. Nativity Pilgrimage reserves the right to cancel any tour prior to departure. Refund details vary upon each trip. No refund will be made for any used portion of the tour unless arrangements are made prior to departure from the United States. Prices and itineraries are subject to change without notice if booking conditions are not complied with.

