

A PILGRIMAGE OF MARIAN DEVOTION, SAINTS,
AND SPIRITUAL RENEWAL



CENTRAL EUROPE & MEDJUGORJE

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NATIVITY CATHOLIC CHURCH
TORRANCE, CA

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DAY 1: FLIGHT TO SARAJEVO

(Wed. Oct. 13) Begin your pilgrimage with an overnight flight to Sarajevo, preparing for a meaningful journey of faith through Medjugorje and Central Europe.

DAY 2: ARRIVE IN SARAJEVO

(Thurs. Oct. 14) Arrive in Sarajevo and meet your tour escort before transferring by private motor coach to your hotel. Enjoy time to settle in before dinner and overnight.

DAY 3: SARAJEVO | MOSTAR | KRAVICA WATERFALLS | MEDJUGORJE

(Fri. Oct. 15) Celebrate Mass at a local church, subject to confirmation, before discovering Sarajevo's cultural and religious heritage, including the Gazi Husrev Beg Mosque, Baščaršija bazaar, and Austro-Hungarian quarter. Continue toward Medjugorje, stopping in Mostar for lunch and visiting Kravica Waterfalls before dinner and overnight.

DAY 4: MEDJUGORJE | TIHALJINA

(Sat. Oct. 16) Weather permitting, climb Apparition Hill, pausing in prayer at the site associated with the first reported apparition of Our Lady. Celebrate public Mass in English at St. James Church and enjoy an orientation to Medjugorje. Later, visit Tihaljina and the Church of the Immaculate Conception, subject to availability, before joining the evening prayer program at St. James.

DAY 5: MEDJUGORJE | CROSS MOUNTAIN

(Sun. Oct. 17) Continue your spiritual journey with a climb of Cross Mountain, weather permitting, praying the Stations of the Cross along the way. Celebrate public Mass in English at St. James Church, then visit the Cenacolo Community, subject to confirmation, to learn about its mission of healing through faith and charity. This

evening, you may again participate in Medjugorje's prayer program.

DAY 6: VEPRIC | SPLIT | ZAGREB

(Mon. Oct. 18) Depart Medjugorje and travel to the Marian Shrine of Vepric, known as the "Little Lourdes" of Croatia, for prayer and reflection. Continue to Split for lunch and a visit to the Cathedral of St. Domnius. Celebrate Mass at a local church, subject to confirmation, before continuing to Zagreb for dinner and overnight.

DAY 7: MARIJA BISTRICA | BUDAPEST

(Tues. Oct. 19) Travel to Marija Bistrica, one of Croatia's treasured Marian pilgrimage sites, to visit the Shrine of the Black Madonna and celebrate Mass, subject to confirmation. Continue to Budapest for a guided tour featuring Buda Castle Hill, Matthias Church, and Fisherman's Bastion before dinner and overnight.

DAY 8: BUDAPEST | PRAGUE

(Wed. Oct. 20) Following breakfast, we will leave Budapest and travel toward Prague, one of Europe's most beautiful and historic cities. We will enjoy lunch on our own along the way. Time permitting, we will make a stop in Kutná Hora to visit the St. Barbara's Church and the Cathedral of the Assumption in Sedlec and celebrate Mass (subject to confirmation). Upon arrival in Prague, we will check into our hotel, enjoy dinner, and rest in preparation for tomorrow's exploration of this remarkable city.

DAY 9: PRAGUE | KRAKÓW

(Thurs. Oct. 21) Begin with Mass at a local church, subject to confirmation, followed by a guided tour of Prague's Hradčany Castle district, including St. Vitus Cathedral, the Royal Castle, and St. George's Basilica. Visit the Church of Our Lady Victorious, home of the Infant Jesus of Prague, before continuing to Kraków for dinner and overnight.

PACKAGE OPTIONS

1 FULL PACKAGE \$5,499 per person

- Round-trip airfare
- Departure from LAX
- Double occupancy

2 FULL PACKAGE \$7,149 per person

- Round-trip airfare
- Departure from LAX
- Single occupancy

3 LAND-ONLY \$4,699 per person

- Land services only
- Airfare not included
- Double occupancy

4 LAND-ONLY \$6,349 per person

- Land services only
- Airfare not included
- Single occupancy

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Round-trip airfare
- Airport taxes/fuel surcharges
- First-class hotels
- Double occupancy
- Private transportation
- Daily breakfast & dinner
- Sightseeing/admission fees
- Daily Mass
- Professional tour guide
- Medical insurance coverage

★ We strongly recommend purchasing additional trip cancellation insurance to help protect you in the event unforeseen circumstances prevent you from traveling. We offer additional coverage through Trawick International. Details can be found at:

<https://nativity.trawickinternational.com>



DAY 10: KRAKÓW | WADOWICE

(Fri. Oct. 22) Discover Kraków, a city closely connected to St. John Paul II, with visits to Wawel Hill, Wawel Cathedral, the Market Square, the Papal Window, Collegium Maius, and St. Mary's Church. Continue to Wadowice to visit his childhood home and celebrate Mass at the church where he was baptized, subject to confirmation. Return to Kraków for dinner and overnight.

DAY 11: WIELICZKA | DIVINE MERCY | ST. JOHN PAUL II CENTER

(Sat. Oct. 23) Visit the remarkable Wieliczka Salt Mine, subject to availability, including its underground chambers and carved chapels. Continue to the Divine Mercy Sanctuary in Łagiewniki to pray before the image of the Merciful Jesus and visit the tomb of St. Faustina. Celebrate Mass, subject to confirmation, then visit the nearby St. John Paul II Center before a farewell dinner.

DAY 12: CZĘSTOCHOWA | AUSCHWITZ | KRAKÓW

(Sun. Oct. 24) Travel to Częstochowa and Jasna Góra Monastery, home of the revered icon of Our Lady of Częstochowa, the Black Madonna. Enjoy a guided visit, time for prayer before the miraculous icon, and Mass in one of the monastery chapels, subject to confirmation. After lunch, visit Auschwitz, reflecting on the life and martyrdom of St. Maximilian Kolbe, before returning to Kraków.

DAY 13: RETURN HOME

(Mon. Oct. 25) After breakfast, transfer to Kraków Airport for your return flight home, carrying lasting memories, renewed faith, and spiritual blessings from your pilgrimage through Medjugorje and Central Europe.



*"Love endures everything,
love is stronger than death,
love fears nothing."*

— Saint Faustina

OTHER SACRED SITES YOU'LL SEE



Home of St. John Paul II
Wadowice



Marija Bistrica
Croatia



Divine Mercy Sanctuary
Łagiewniki

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

YOUR PACKAGE INCLUDES

Air Transportation: Economy-class, round-trip airfare is based on rates available at the time of reservation. Rates and schedules are subject to change without notice. Once issued, airline tickets are non-refundable, non-transferable, and cannot be applied toward future travel.

Private Transportation: All land transportation described in the itinerary will be provided by deluxe motor coach. Some motor coaches may be equipped with Wi-Fi service.

Hotel Accommodations: Accommodations will be provided at first-class hotels based on double occupancy (two people per room with a private bath). Neither Nativity Pilgrimage nor the trip coordinator is responsible for providing a roommate.

Included Meals: Breakfast and dinner are provided daily unless otherwise stated in the itinerary.

Baggage: Most airlines limit passengers to one (1) checked bag and one (1) carry-on. Travelers are responsible for confirming current baggage allowances, weight limits, dimensions, and applicable fees directly with the airline.

Airport Fees: Airport taxes, portage, fuel surcharges, and security fees are included.

Medical Coverage: Medical coverage is provided for the duration of the trip. Coverage details, limits, exclusions, and claims procedures are governed solely by the insurance policy documents provided by the insurer.

YOUR PACKAGE DOES NOT INCLUDE

Cancellation Insurance: We strongly recommend purchasing travel insurance at the time of registration.

Passport/Visa Expenses: Passports, visas, and any additional travel documents required for the trip are not included. Passports must remain valid for at least six months beyond the scheduled return date. Travelers are solely responsible for obtaining and carrying all required passports, visas, vaccination documentation, and other entry requirements imposed by destination countries.

Personal Expenses: Laundry, beverages (including wine, liquor, mineral water, tea, coffee, etc.), meals or food items not included in the meal plan, excess or additional baggage, and other personal expenses.

Non-Itinerary Fees: Any sightseeing, services, admission fees, or personal expenses not specifically listed as included in the itinerary.

Non-Included Meals: Travelers are responsible for meals not specified as included in the itinerary.

Tips/Gratuities: Gratuities for tour guides, drivers, hotel staff, wait staff, and other service personnel are not included unless otherwise stated.

GENERAL TRAVEL INFORMATION

Group Air Policy: Group airfare differs from individually purchased airline tickets and is subject to the terms and conditions of the applicable airline. Registration and full payment must be received by the stated payment deadline. Registrations received after the deadline may be subject to different airfare, ticketing arrangements, airlines, or additional fees. Group flight arrangements are generally confirmed 60–90 days prior to departure.

Point of Departure: If your preferred departure city is not listed in the brochure, indicate your requested airport on the registration form. Nativity Pilgrimage will provide the best available airfare and flight schedule to connect you with the group. Additional fees may apply.

Land-Only Option: Travelers who wish to arrange their own airfare should select the land-only option on the registration form. Unless otherwise specified, the land-only price is \$800 less than the full tour price (\$350 less for Mexico). Travelers booking their own airfare may select their preferred airline, seats, and travel schedule; use airline miles or points; provide frequent-flyer information; and make special requests directly with the airline. No changes may be made after the final payment deadline. Land-only services begin and end at the designated hotels unless the traveler is able to meet the group during a scheduled airport transfer. Land-only travelers are otherwise responsible for their own transportation to and from the hotel.

IMPORTANT POLICIES

Travel/Scheduling Changes: Flight schedules, aircraft type, routing, departure airports, and carriers are subject to change by the airline without notice.

Seat Assignments: Seat assignments for group airfare are determined by the airline, not Nativity Pilgrimage. Seat upgrades may be requested by registered travelers but are subject to availability and pricing. Quoted upgrade rates are subject to change until payment is received, and some upgrades may not be available until group tickets are issued.

Single Rooms: Tour pricing is based on double occupancy. Single rooms are available at an additional cost as specified on the registration form. Availability is limited and will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.

Seat Upgrades: Upon receiving an upgrade or seat-location request, Nativity Pilgrimage will contact the airline on the traveler's behalf. Requests cannot be guaranteed and remain subject to airline availability and pricing.

Special Requests: Nativity Pilgrimage will make reasonable efforts to communicate requests for wheelchair assistance, special meals, or other accommodations to the appropriate airline or service provider. Fulfillment of such requests cannot be guaranteed and may be subject to availability and additional fees.

TRAVELER CONDUCT POLICY

Nativity Pilgrimage reserves the right to remove any traveler whose behavior is disruptive, unsafe, unlawful, abusive, or interferes with the safety or enjoyment of other participants. No refund will be provided for any unused portion of the trip resulting from such removal.

HEALTH/FITNESS REQUIREMENTS

Travelers are responsible for determining whether they are physically and medically capable of participating in the trip. Travelers requiring special assistance or accommodations must notify Nativity Pilgrimage at the time of registration.

BOOKING CONDITIONS

Registration: A non-refundable \$300 deposit per person is required at the time of registration. Reservations will not be processed without the required deposit.

Payment Deadline: Full payment is due July 5, 2027 (100 days before departure, or on the preceding business day). Late registrations received after the deadline are subject to availability and an additional fee. If payment is not made in full at least 50 days prior to departure, all payments become non-refundable.

Payment Methods: Nativity Pilgrimage accepts major credit cards, checks, money orders, and Zelle payments. A 3% processing fee applies to each credit card transaction.

LATE PAYMENT POLICY

Customers whose accounts are not paid in full by the payment deadline will be subject to the following late fees:

100–61 days prior to departure: \$150

60–30 days prior to departure: \$300

30 days or less prior to departure: Subject to cancellation

Customers are also responsible for any increase in airfare resulting from late payment, subject to availability. Failure or refusal to pay any outstanding balance or applicable fees may be considered a cancellation.

CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY

Cancellation penalties are based on the date Nativity Pilgrimage receives written notice of cancellation:

100 days or more prior to departure: Loss of \$300 deposit

99–50 days prior to departure: 50% of total trip cost

49 days or less prior to departure: 100% of total trip cost

FORCE MAJEURE

Nativity Pilgrimage shall not be liable for delays, cancellations, itinerary changes, losses, damages, or additional expenses resulting from acts of God, natural disasters, pandemics, government actions, border closures, airline disruptions, labor disputes, terrorism, civil unrest, or other events beyond its reasonable control.

TRAVEL INSURANCE OPTIONS

Medical Coverage: Every traveler with Nativity Pilgrimage receives complimentary medical insurance for the duration of the trip. Coverage details, limits, exclusions, and claims procedures are governed solely by the insurance policy documents provided by the insurer.

Trip Cancellation Insurance: We strongly recommend purchasing trip cancellation insurance, available at an additional cost, to help protect your travel investment should unforeseen circumstances require you to cancel. Travelers may obtain coverage through Trawick International or an insurance provider of their choice.

You may review Trawick's travel insurance details at <https://nativity.trawickinternational.com> or contact the 24/7 customer service team at 888-301-9289 or info@trawickinternational.com.

If purchasing Cancel for Any Reason (CFAR) coverage through Trawick International, it must be purchased within 14 days of registration.

TRAVELER CONSENT

Travelers consent to receive trip-related communications electronically, including invoices, itineraries, updates, and travel documents. Travelers also grant Nativity Pilgrimage permission to use photographs and video taken during the tour for promotional purposes unless written notice is provided prior to departure.

RESPONSIBILITY

Nativity Pilgrimage, Inc. and its agents assume no liability or responsibility in connection with the trip for personal injury, loss of or damage to property, accidents, delays, changes in schedule or itinerary, incidental damages, or other irregular circumstances. This includes, but is not limited to, any default, act, or omission by third-party service providers or facilities providing services related to or included in any portion of the tour.

Airlines, cruise lines, and other transportation companies whose services are included in the tour are not responsible for any act, omission, or event occurring while passengers are not aboard their respective means of transportation. The transportation contract issued by each carrier constitutes the sole contract between that carrier and the purchaser and/or passenger. Nativity Pilgrimage, Inc. assumes no liability or responsibility in connection with such contracts.

Nativity Pilgrimage, Inc. is not responsible for losses or additional expenses resulting from delays or changes in air or other services, illness, weather conditions, strikes, war, quarantines, or other causes beyond its control. Any such losses or expenses shall be the responsibility of the traveler, as tour rates cover only the arrangements and services specified for the stated travel period.

Nativity Pilgrimage reserves the right to substitute hotels listed in the itinerary with accommodations of similar quality and to cancel any tour prior to departure. Refund conditions vary by trip. No refund will be issued for any portion of the tour that has already been used or completed unless prior arrangements were made before departure from the United States. Prices and itineraries are subject to change without notice if booking conditions are not met.

Any dispute arising from this agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas and resolved exclusively in the courts located in Harris County, Texas.

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