NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

JESUITS WEST

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

10 DAYS: MAY 8 - 17, 2024

Visiting

CHURCH OF TRANSFIGURATION * MT. OF THE BEATITUDES
SEA OF GALILEE * CAPERNAUM * CANA * NAZARETH
JORDAN RIVER * DEAD SEA * BETHLEHEM * JERUSALEM

Hosts

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$4979 per person from San Francisco

(Air/land tour price is $4270 plus $700 government taxes/airline surcharges)
DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

SAN FRANCISCO/ACROSS THE ATLANTIC
WEDNESDAY, MAY 8
Begin your exciting journey as you depart from San Francisco on your overnight transatlantic flight to the Holy Land.

ARRIVE TEL AVIV
THURSDAY, MAY 9
Arrive in Tel Aviv today where you will be met and escorted to your waiting motor coach for the transfer to Netanya and your hotel. Your pilgrimage to the Land of the Bible begins. (D)

NETANYA/CAESAREA/MT. TABOR/TIBERIAS
FRIDAY, MAY 10
Drive north today to Caesarea to view the ruins of the Crusader's fortress and moat and sit in the great Roman amphitheater. Continuing along the coast, you will see the aqueduct that carried water from Mt. Carmel to Caesarea. Ascend Mt. Tabor, to visit the church of the Transfiguration. Proceed to Tiberias for the night. (B,D)

TIBERIAS
SATURDAY, MAY 11
Today, cross the Sea of Galilee on a boat cruise to Capernaum, center of Jesus' Ministry in the Galilee. Visit the ruins of the Second Century Synagogue. Drive to Magdala, home of Mary Magdalene. Here you will visit the Magdala center, containing the two-thousand-year-old Magdala stone in the chapel with an Altar in the shape of a fish-

Sea of Galilee

TIBERIAS

Mount of Beatitudes

TOUR FEATURES:
- Round trip airfare from San Francisco
- Accommodations in first class/select hotels based on 2 persons sharing in twin-bedded rooms with private bath
- Breakfast & dinner daily with one lunch
- A professional English-speaking local guide
- Comprehensive sightseeing throughout
- All admission fees, hotel taxes and service charges
- Transfers to/from airports by private motorcoach including meeting/assistance

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TIBERIAS/CAENA/NAZARETH/JERUSALEM
SUNDAY, MAY 12
Drive to Cana, site of Jesus' first miracle of turning water into wine. Continue to Nazareth, the boyhood home of Jesus. Here you will visit the Church of the Annunciation and the winding streets of the old city. Proceed to Jerusalem and your hotel. (B,D)

JERUSALEM – THE DEAD SEA
MONDAY, MAY 13
This morning drive into the Judean Desert, continuing to the Jordan River Valley and stop at the Jordan River, where it is believed that Our Lord was baptized by St. John the Baptist. Continue to the Dead Sea, situated 1412 feet below sea level. Believed to be the site of ancient Sodom and Gomorrah, enjoy free time here to wade in the water. On the east side of the Dead Sea are the Moab Mountains and Mt. Nebo where Moses viewed the Promised Land. Return to Jerusalem. (B,D)
This morning, enjoy a walking tour of the Old City of Jerusalem. Enter the Dung Gate and see the Wailing Wall. Continue to the Temple Area to see the Dome of the Rock and the El Aqsa Mosque. Visit St. Anne's Church and the Pool of Bethesda where Jesus healed the crippled man. Visit the Flagellation and Condemnation Chapels and the Roman Praetorium, beneath the Sisters of Zion Convent, and the Ecce Homo Arch. Follow in the footsteps of Jesus as you walk the Via Dolorosa, the traditional way of the Cross to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Exit the old city through the Zion Gate to Mt. Zion to visit the Upper Room, traditional site of the Last Supper. (B,D)

Drive to the top of the Mount of Olives for a panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit the Chapel of the Ascension and the Church of Pater Noster. Visit the Garden of Gethsemane and walk along the ancient olive trees, viewing the Kidron Valley. Drive to Bethlehem and have lunch at the Tent Restaurant. Next, visit the Church of the Nativity. See the Manger where Jesus was born and Shepherd's Field. Time to shop for wood carvings before returning to Jerusalem. and visit the Church of the Nativity. See the Manger where Jesus was born and Shepherd's Field. Time to shop for wood carvings before returning to Jerusalem. (B,L,D)

Late morning checkout from your hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure for shopping and exploring the city on your own or you may join an optional tour offered locally. Following a special farewell dinner, transfer to the airport for your overnight flight back to San Francisco. (B,D)

Your exciting adventure in the Holy Land is over as you arrive back in San Francisco. (B) ~ Breakfast  (L) ~ Lunch  (D) ~ Dinner
Customer Reviews:

“It’s been my extreme pleasure to benefit from your invaluable assistance with my tours — 97 so far — for the past 28 years. I wouldn’t dream of letting anyone else handle the many details involved in making these difficult, exotic itineraries a success, as evidenced by my many repeat clients and their referrals. Your superb attention to detail, your honesty, and your friendship are greatly appreciated. You can count on Nawas being my ‘one and only’ for many years to come.” --Ms. M.B., California

“As always, the arrangements for our pilgrimage by Nawas were excellent. To a person, those on the tour were filled with praise for the trip. Everything was A+.” --Monsignor R.S., Utah

"You people make this easy. Everything was out-standing. Those who have been on other trips have come to expect quality and they get it!” --Father P.T., Ohio

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ACCOMMODATIONS DESIRED:

- □ double room sharing with____________________
- □ single room ($1150 extra per person)
  (Single Rooms are limited and available on a first come, first served basis)

Enclosed is my check for $__________ as Deposit ($500 per person) for____ person(s)

Please include a clear photocopy of your Passport with this Reservation Form
Clearly print your full name (last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport:

Passenger #1
Name:Title __________________________________________
Last __________________________________________
First __________________________________________
Middle __________________________________________
Gender:  Please check □ Male □ Female
Address:__________________________________________
City: __________ State: ___ Zip: ______
Home Phone: (____)______________________________
Cell Phone: (____)______________________________
E-mail address: _________________________________
Passport #:_____________________________________
Date Issued:________ Date Expires:__________
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Date of Birth: [ ] [ ] [ ]
Place of Birth:________________________
Country of Citizenship________________________

Passenger #2
Name:Title __________________________________________
Last __________________________________________
First __________________________________________
Middle __________________________________________
Gender:  Please check □ Male □ Female
Address:__________________________________________
City: __________ State: ___ Zip: ______
Home Phone: (____)______________________________
Cell Phone: (____)______________________________
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Signature Passenger # 1               Date

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Signature Passenger # 2               Date