



Join Fr. Jose Glenn Diaz & Xenia Maye on a
Biblical Holy Land Experience

Feb. 10-19, 2020



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Holy Land Pilgrimage

10 Day Catholic Pilgrimage

**Mass
Celebrated Daily!**

Feb. 10 & 11 (Mon-Tue) - USA to the Holy Land

Your spiritual pilgrimage begins as you depart the USA on an overnight flight. You will be welcomed to the Holy Land by our airport representative and transferred to your Bethlehem hotel. Enjoy dinner before retiring for the night.

Feb. 12 (Wed) - Bethlehem, Bethany & Ein Karem

In Bethlehem, visit the cave revered as Jesus' birthplace which now resides in the world's oldest functioning church (Matt. 1:18-25). Celebrate Mass in Bethlehem and then gaze out over Shepherds' Field where the angels first proclaimed the Good News. Visit Bethany, the home of Lazarus, Mary and Martha. Here Jesus visited on several occasions, and raised Lazarus from the dead (John 11). Travel to Ein Karem, the village where John the Baptist was born and the Virgin Mary visited Elisabeth prior to our Lord's birth (Luke 1:26-40). Visit the Franciscan Visitation church located in the heart of Ein Karem for prayer. Visit the Church of St. John, birthplace of John the Baptist.

Feb. 13 (Thur) - Wadi Qelt, Jericho, Masada, Qumran & Dead Sea

Just off the Roman road that Jesus "walked", is the Wadi Qelt gorge, site of the Monastery of St. George. Journey to Jericho (considered the oldest city in the world) to visit the ruins of the ancient city conquered by Joshua (Josh. 6:1). From Jericho, in the distance you can see the traditional site of the Temptation of Jesus (Matt.4:1). Celebrate Mass in the Church of the Good Shepherd in Jericho near a sycamore tree and remember Zacchaeus, who climbed to see Jesus (Luke 18-19). Travel to Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered in 1947. Ascend by cable car to Masada, Herod's legendary mountaintop fortress which became the last desperate stronghold of the Jewish Zealots against the Romans. You can still look down on the remains of the Roman camps and the siege ramp below. End your day with the opportunity to take a dip in the mineral laden waters of the Dead Sea.

Feb. 14 (Fri) - Cana, Nazareth & Mount of Precipice

Visit the Franciscan Wedding Church at Cana, site of Jesus' first miracle as He changed water into wine (John 2). Vow renewals will be offered before we continue on to Nazareth, Jesus' boyhood home (Matthew 2:23) and celebrate Mass in the Basilica of the Annunciation. You will also see the House of the Holy Family, St. Joseph's Workshop and St. Joseph's Church (Luke 2:41-52; Matt. 2:19-23). Stand atop the Mount of Precipice, where Luke describes how Jesus was rejected by those in the synagogue after He taught them. Filled with anger they "led Him unto the brow of the hill whereon their city was built, that they might cast Him down headlong" (Luke 4: 29).

Feb. 15 (Sat) - The Galilee

Enjoy beautiful Capernaum, the center of Jesus' ministry, and visit the synagogue located on the site where Jesus taught (Matt.4:13, 23). Sail across the Sea of Galilee, reflecting on the ospel stories of Jesus calming of the storm. Listen to Jesus's words from His Sermon on the Mount at the Mount of Beatitudes (Matt. 5-7) and celebrate

Mass at the Church of the Beatitudes. At Tabgha, traditional location of the feeding of the 5,000, explore the Church of the Fish and the Loaves (Luke 9:10). Take a moment to reflect and pray in the Chapel of the Primacy, where Peter professed his devotion to the risen Christ (John 21). In Magdala, once home to Mary Magdalene, visit a recently discovered first-century synagogue.

Feb. 16 (Sun) - Yardenit, Mount Tabor, Mount Carmel & Emmaus

Recall Jesus' baptism by John the Baptist at the Jordan River. As you stand on Mount Tabor, contemplate what it must have been like for Saints Peter, James and John to behold the glory of the Transfigured Christ (Matt. 17:2). Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Transfiguration. Continue on your journey to Mount Carmel where Elijah defeated the prophets of Baal (1 Kings 18). Biblically, Mount Carmel is referenced most often as a symbol of beauty and fertility. To be given the "splendor of Carmel" was to be blessed indeed (Isa 35:2). Today's last stop is Caesarea, a center of the early Christians where an angel visited Cornelius, the first Gentile believer (Acts 10), and where Paul was imprisoned for two years before appealing to Caesar.

Feb. 17 (Mon) - Jerusalem

Be inspired by the breathtaking beauty of Jerusalem ("the Golden City") as you stand on the Mount of Olives, the place from which Jesus ascended into heaven forty days after His resurrection (Acts 1:9-12). Visit the Church of Pater Noster, walk the Palm Sunday Road stopping briefly at the Tear shaped Dominus Flevit Church where Jesus wept over Jerusalem. Celebrate Mass in the Garden of Gethsemane where Jesus prayed before His crucifixion (Matt. 26:36-44). On Mount Zion, see the House of the High Priest Caiaphas, where Jesus was imprisoned the night of His arrest (Matt. 26:57-65). Nearby is the Upper Room revered as the location of the Last Supper (Mark 14:12-26). Conclude your day by visiting the Church of the Dormition of Mary.

Feb. 18 (Tue) - Jerusalem & the Old City

Early this morning you will walk the Via Dolorosa, "the Way of the Cross," and celebrate the Mass of the Resurrection at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Take time to pray at the Western Wall, all that remains of Herod's Temple. Sit on the Teaching Steps where Jesus once taught. Take a leisurely stroll down the Cardo, the main street of the Old City where modern shops stand between ancient ones. View the Pool of Bethesda, where Jesus performed the Sabbath miracle of healing (John 5:1-31), and sing a hymn in the Church of St. Anne, renowned for its beautiful acoustics. At Herod's Antonia Fortress, see where Jesus was brought before Pontius Pilate (Luke 23:1-11). In Emmaus, you'll see the traditional site where Jesus appeared to two disciples after His resurrection. End your day at Notre Dame and enjoy a self-guided tour of the Shroud of Turin Exhibition and Museum.

Feb. 19 (Wed) - Depart on an extension or return to USA

OPTIONAL EXTENSION



WONDERS OF PETRA - \$748* February 19-21, 2020

- Feb. 19 (Wed)** Cross the Allenby Bridge into Jordan. Visit Mt. Nebo & Madaba. Overnight in Amman..
- Feb. 20 (Thur)** Explore Petra. Return to Amman for dinner and rest before transferring to the airport for your 3a.m. flight home.
- Feb. 21 (Fri)** Return to USA

*Guests taking an extension may be on a different flight than their group and/or traveling companion.

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR HOST

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Come and join Fr. Jose Glenn Diaz on a Pilgrimage to Israel and an optional trip to Jordan on February 10-19, 2020 for 10 amazing days! Come and experience the Holy Land in a way that will transform your life as you walk in the footsteps of Jesus where He was born, crucified, buried and where He ministered to the Jews and Gentiles. Why join our tour? Our tour is uniquely customized for a small group of people who desire to take their faith to a deeper level! We will take you to a powerful spiritual experience, with an impact that can change your life! For the believer, these experiences go beyond mere travel. Instead, it is a spiritual retreat of a lifetime! It offers a new spiritual perspective, a richer understanding, and a deeper appreciation for the Bible that endures long after the trip ends. Reconnect with biblical history and culture in Israel—an amazing and life-changing spiritual experience that will revitalize your faith and draw you closer to God than ever! Come and reserve your space now! Space is limited.



STARTING AT

\$3,398

FROM NEW YORK

YOUR ALL INCLUSIVE PRICE INCLUDES:

Roundtrip International Airfare from New York

Basic Tour & Guided Sightseeing

Subject to change

Airport Transfers

Fuel Surcharges and Government Taxes

Subject to change

Admin. Fees, Entrance & Program Fees, Hotel Gratuities

Daily Breakfast & Dinner, Deluxe Motorcoaches

First Class Hotels & much more!

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THE FINE PRINT

Departure Date: 02/10/2020(X)

First, Middle & Last Name must be submitted as it appears on your passport:

Guest 1: First Name: _____ (Preferred Name) _____
Middle Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Title: _____
Street Address: _____ P.O. Box: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____
Email: _____ Send me emails about my trip
Birth Date: ____/____/____ State of Birth: _____ Sex: M F
Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____
Tour Selection: Basic Program Only Add Petra Extension

Guest 2: First Name: _____ (Preferred Name) _____
Middle Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Title: _____
Street Address: _____ P.O. Box: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____
Email: _____ Send me emails about my trip
Birth Date: ____/____/____ State of Birth: _____ Sex: M F
Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____
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Roommate(s): _____

If No Roommate: Try to Match Me Single Room (availability limited)

We Highly Recommend Purchasing a Travel Protection Plan.
Please contact Xenia Maye for more information.

\$300 DEPOSIT PER PERSON REQUIRED
FINAL PAYMENT DUE 10/28/19

Payment: \$ _____

via check: # _____
 via credit card (circle): **VISA MASTERCARD DISCOVER AMEX**
Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: ____/____
Name on Card: _____ CVN: _____

By signing below, I/We certify that I have read the "Fine Print," understand its content, and agree to its terms including but not limited to the potential for price increases that may apply before payment in full has been received as set forth in the "Fine Print" and potential price increases after payment in full has been received due to government imposed taxes and fees.

Guest 1 Signature: _____

Guest 2 Signature: _____

Tour: TH20 Date: 021020 Code: X ID: 33033

07/22/19

INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- International Airfare • Deluxe motorcoaches • 1st class hotels • Guided sightseeing
- Hotel Gratuities • Entrance fees to sites visited • Program fees • Breakfast & dinner daily
- Fuel surcharges • Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change)
- Airport Transfers; Jordan Group Visa

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Love offering for guide (\$6 person/day) & driver (\$3 person/day) • Voluntary Love offering for priest
- Extensions • Optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure
- Miscellaneous fees i.e. individual transfers; passports, laundry, lunches, beverages & baggage fees
- Optional Travel Protection Plan
- Visas for non-US citizens
- Visas and Transfers for all ground only passengers

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Deposit	Payment Amount	Due Date
Registration deposit	\$300	Immediately to reserve your spot on tour!
Final Payment	Full Payment	10/28/19

If paid after the due date, a late payment fee of \$100 will be assessed.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Price is per person based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. While we will try to match roommates, we cannot guarantee a roommate will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 30 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or you request a single room, the charge is \$650 for the standard tour; \$250 for Petra.

REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED after October 28, 2019:

We welcome registrations after 10/28/19 Registrations received between 10/29/19 - 11/12/19 will incur a \$100 per person fee. Registrations received between 11/13/19 - 11/27/19 will incur a \$200 per person fee. Registrations received on 11/28/19 or later will incur an additional fee based on air availability. Additional fees will be advised upon registration.

CANCELLATION FEES:

100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program, provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is coverable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 105 days prior to departure, you will be charged the \$100 non-refundable administrative fee plus any airline fees. Additionally, thereafter, you will be charged any airline penalties and a single room supplement if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single plus the following charges: 104-60 days = \$400; 59-45 days = \$600; 44-31 days = 40% of total cost; 30 days to day of departure = 100% of total cost. Submit cancellation in writing. On or after day of departure, there will be no refund for any services not used.

FIT TO TRAVEL STATEMENT:

Passengers registering for the tour accept the responsibility for being in good health and able to walk and travel on the tour. Because many of the sites are not accessible to the physically challenged, those needing oxygen, wheelchairs, or other ambulatory assistance will find the tour extremely limiting to their experiences.

PASSPORT INFORMATION:

Photo copies of the passport must be submitted to our office no later than 10/28/19. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date will result in change fees or denial of travel. Discrepancies in information or failure to check in for your tour may result in change fees, delays in receiving travel documents for your trip, or denial of travel. Passports must be valid for at least 6 months after the return date.

PRICE INCREASES:

All prices quoted in this brochure are subject to change prior to payment in full due to currency fluctuations, fuel surcharge increases, government taxes and fees increases or unforeseen circumstances. In addition, you may be subject to a price increase after payment in full has been received due to potential government imposed taxes and fees.

AIRLINE ROUTES and TICKETS:

In order to keep prices low, we do not guarantee the most direct routing to your final destination. Once "printed", airline tickets cannot be changed or refunded thereafter. Air transportation to/from your destination will be economy class on IATA and ARC carriers utilizing APEX or SUPER APEX non-refundable, non-amendable tickets for groups of 10 or more flying together on entire itinerary. If you choose to depart from a different city than your group or travelling companion, or deviate your flight and/or trip plans, and/or you are taking a pre or post tour, you may fly on a different scheduled flight(s) than the rest of your group. If you make your own air arrangements, you are responsible for booking all needed flights for your travel unless specified otherwise. Contact your travel agent for further details.

FLIGHT TIMES:

All flights are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. We are not responsible for such changes or delays and does not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays. If you are making your own flight arrangements to the departure city, we recommend you purchase a ticket that can be exchanged without large penalties.

ADDITIONAL AIRLINE FEES:

You will likely incur additional airline checked baggage fees that are not included in the price of the tour. These fees vary by airline and are at the airline's discretion on each segment of the flight itinerary. You may also incur optional fees i.e. food, excess baggage, overweight baggage, items of personal nature, etc.

DEVIATIONS AND AIR UPGRADE REQUESTS:

Deviation and Air Upgrade requests must be submitted in writing and are subject to additional airline fees. Deviations and Air Upgrades are not always possible given the group schedule and time of ticketing. Passengers who are ticketed with air deviations and/or upgrades will likely not fly with the group and will therefore need to provide their own transfers.

ITINERARY CHANGES:

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this brochure. While you will see all sites listed in this brochure, the order of sites and/or days and number of days may be altered to accommodate changes in airline, hotel schedules, and local conditions. Due to airline schedules, some participants may receive one or two extra leisure days at a nominal per day charge and some extensions may not be available on all departure dates. If itinerary changes necessitate extra overnights, you will be charged \$125 per night; single rooms \$175 per night. Meals for extra nights are not included.

VALIDITY DATE:

This brochure is valid until 01/22/20. Registrations will still be accepted after the validity date.

RELEASE INFORMATION

Payment of deposit indicates permission for us to record the registrant's participation and appearance on video tape, audio tape, film, photograph, or any other medium and to use the registrant's name, likeness, voice, comments, submitted documentation, written papers, and/or biographical material without restrictions or limitation for any advertising, marketing, publicity, educational or promotional purpose which we deem appropriate, unless the registrant or guardian otherwise notifies us in writing prior to departure.

Except where otherwise stated, we act only as agent for the relevant supplier in securing hotels, transportation and other travel services and in no event shall we be liable for failure by any such supplier to render any transportation, lodging or other travel service to be provided on the tour. We assume no liability for injury, death, damage, loss, theft, accident, delay or irregularity which may occur by reason of any negligent or willful act or omission of any suppliers of service. We do not own or operate any of the suppliers of services to your tour. Similarly without limiting the foregoing, passenger agrees to hold us harmless for any defect in any vehicle, plane, boat, bus, car, van or other vehicle, act of war or insurrection, terrorist activity, revolt or other civil uprising, military action, strikes or labor unrest or any Act of God or for any other act of any third party.