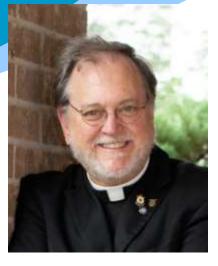
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## JOIN US ON A SPECIAL PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND & JORDAN WITH OUR SPIRTUAL DIRECTOR:

VERY REVEREND. SINCLAIR OUBRE, J.C.L., KHS

# 12 DAYS: (OCTOBER 2-13,2024)

### All-inclusive Package: (\$4,165)

From Houston, TX (IAH): Price includes airfare, first class hotels, 3 meals a day, transportation, tour guide, all entrance fees, everyday Mass, tips and is based on double occupancy. Single room is available at a supplement of \$985

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#### Oct 2, Mon: Departure (Houston Texas)

Oct 3, Tue: Arrival-Galilee: Upon arrival at Tel Aviv Airport, our representative will meet and escort us to passport control, baggage claim and then meet our pilgrimage guide and driver. Afterwards we drive to our hotel at the Sea of Galilee for dinner & overnight.

**Oct 4, Wed: Nazareth- Cana- Mount Tabor:** After breakfast we drive to Nazareth, visit the Grand Basilica of the Annunciation; where the Blessed Mother lived and was announced by the Archangel Gabriel "And the word became Flesh" Luke 1:26. Then we visit the St. Joseph's Church the home of the Holy Family and the place where Jesus grew up in wisdom. Luke 2:52. Afterwards we visit Cana, where Jesus performed his first miracle by turning water to wine at a wedding. Its modest church is a suitable place to reconfirm wedding vows. We then drive to Mount Tabor, the Mount of the Transfiguration (Matthew 17:1-8). From the top of the mountain there is a wonderful panoramic view which extends from Mt. Hermon in the north to the hills of Samaria in the south. Back to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

**Oct 5, Thu: Sea of Galilee:** After breakfast we drive to visit the Mount of Beatitudes by the Sea of Galilee overlooking the Jordan Valley. Then we visit the church of The Multiplication (Tabgha). Then we continue to the Primacy of Peter where Jesus commanded Peter to "Feed my sheep". Afterwards we proceed to Capernaum and see the remains of an early church, the ruins of Peter's house, and the ancient synagogue. Later we enjoy a private boat ride on the Sea of Galilee. Back to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

**Oct 6, Fri: Stella Maris-Caesarea Maritima- Jerusalem:** This morning after breakfast we leave the Galilee area and drive to to Mt. Carmel, Stella Maris; to see the cave where the prophet Elijah used to hide. Then we continue to Caesarea Maritima, the city and harbor that was built by Herod the Great and the place where Peter baptized the Centurion Cornilios and his household. We then continue to Jerusalem for dinner & overnight.

**Oct 7, Sat: Bethlehem- Shepherd's Field- Ein Karem**: After breakfast we go to Bethlehem and visit the birthplace of Jesus which is marked by the Basilica of the Nativity and kneel at the place of his birth in the Grotto of the Nativity. Afterwards we visit the church of the Shepherd's Field where the Angel of the Lord proclaimed the good news of the birth of the Savior (Luke 2:8-18). Later on we drive to the town of Ein Karem to visit the shrine of visitation and the birthplace of St. John. Back to the hotel for dinner & overnight.

**Oct 8, Sun: Mount of Olives- Gethsemane- Mount Zion- St. Peter in Gallicantu:** We begin this day after breakfast driving to the top of the Mount of Olives, for a majestic view over all of ancient and modern Jerusalem, the center of the biblical world. the Pater Noster Church and the Chapel of Dominus Flevit (Jesus wept) before walking down the "Palm Sunday Road" to the Garden of Gethsemane and the Church of All Nations (Basilica of the Agony) where Christ prayed on the night of His betrayal (Luke 22:40-46). Next, we drive to the Upper Room, and the Dormition Abbey on Mount Zion. After we will visit the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu (Palace of Caiaphas). Back to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

**Oct 9, Mon: Bethany- Jericho- Baptismal site- Dead Sea:** After breakfast we visit Bethany, the town where Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead. We then drive to visit "Qasr El-Yahud" The baptismal site on the Jordan River, which the Vatican recognizes as the authentic site of the baptism. There we renew our baptismal vows. We pass through Jericho, with a view on the Mount of Temptation, the place where Jesus spent 40 days and 40 nights in the desert. Lunch. Drive to the Dead Sea, where we can float on the mineral-rich water. Dinner and overnight at the Hotel in Jerusalem.

**Oct 10, Tue: Old City- Via Dolorosa- Holy Sepulchre- Judgment Hall- St. Anne- Pool of Bethesda- Latin Patriarchate visit:** Today is a walking tour within the walls of the Old City of Jerusalem, visiting the Pools of Bethesda, where Jesus healed the man who had been crippled for 38 years (John 5:2-9), and the Church of St. Anne where there is an opportunity to sing a hymn before walking along the Via Dolorosa (Way of the Cross) from Pilate's Judgment Hall to the empty tomb in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. Then we will have a visit with the Latin Patriarchate (if there are members with the Knights and Dames of the Holy Sepulchre they will receive the pilgrim shell). Back to the hotel for dinner & overnight.

**Oct 11, Wed: Cross to Jordan- Mt. Nebo- Madaba-Petra:** This Morning we cross to Jordan via Allenby bridge. We then meet our guide and proceed to Madaba to visit St George church" the home of a beautiful 6th century mosaic map of the Holy Land". Afterwards we have Lunch then we visit Mount Nebo where Moses viewed the Holy Land. Dinner & overnight in Petra.

**Oct 12, Thu: Petra:** After Breakfast we visit Petra "The rose, red City". Our visit begins at the Siq, a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage, we will see Petra's most beautiful monument "the Treasury". We will as well explore the temples, royal tombs, a theater and water channels. Back to our hotel for dinner & overnight.

Oct 13, Fri: Cross back to Jerusalem-Transfer to Tel Aviv for Departure.

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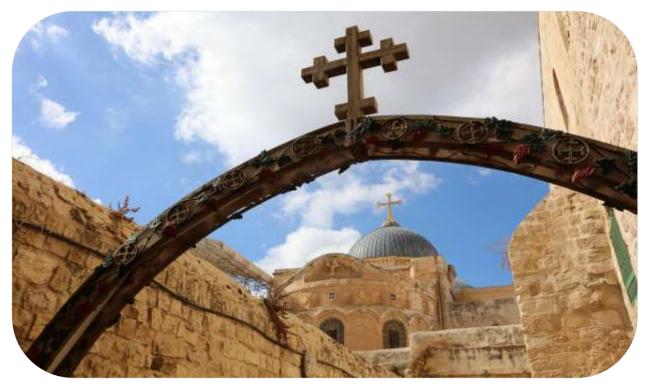
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- \*Transfer from Beaumont to IAH airport and back.
- \*Transfers from airport to hotel
- \*4 Star plus Hotels on HB basis. (Breakfast & Dinner Included)
- \* Air-Conditioned deluxe tour Buses + free wifi
- \* Professional licensed English speaking Tour Guide.
- \*Entrance fees to all sites and national parks mentioned in the itinerary provided.
- \*Daily Mass
- \*Farewell dinner.
- \* Everyday Lunch
- \*Border Taxes to/from Jordan
- \*Tips to Guide, Driver, Restaurants, Hotel staff & Porters

#### Excludes:

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