

*Walk in the Footsteps of Jesus!*

*12DAYS: Nov 30-Dec 11, 2026*



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***"Christmas 2026, embrace the season  
with Christ in the Holy Land!"***



# The Holy Land



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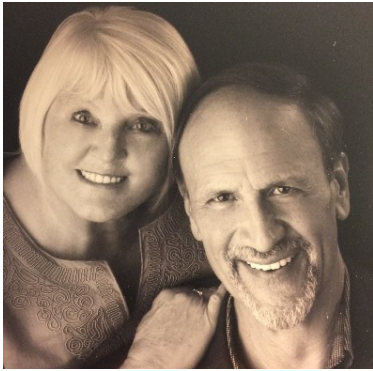
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# An Invitation to Join Us



**Connie & Joe Micatrotto**

Dear Pilgrims of the Holy Land,

The Holy Land...these words have been echoed from past Pilgrimages for centuries. But, for more than 2 years the echoes are being diminished. Today they are almost negligible. Yet, not for much longer! We are honored to be coordinating one of the first returning Holy Land Pilgrimages. Over the past 18 months we have made 3 trips to our Lord's homeland.

We absolutely know the need for you...the Pilgrim, seeking to walk in the footsteps of where Jesus was born, died, and is Resurrected.

In annual visits for the past 14 years, we have come to realize that money, words and prayers are important but "BEING THERE" is critical to the well-being of our Catholic Christian community. They gain strength and momentum when they see us come and immerse ourselves in these blessed lands of our Lord.

We will bring you to the most relevant and important places in this land of the Old and New Testament. From Caesarea Maritima to Galilee to Bethlehem to Jerusalem and major points throughout this land of God. We not only bring you to these hallowed locales...we bring you to the Living-Loving Stones in one on one personal ways where you can see, touch and feel the way one lives in this land of complexity and history.

As members of the Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulcher of Jerusalem, we are tasked with knowing this is WHO we are and this IS what we do! As your Pilgrimage Coordinators our motto is simple..."we take you on the Pilgrimage, Jesus brings you home." Come and join us now!

Joe/Connie Micatrotto KGCHS/DGCHS

## Our Daily Itinerary

### **Nov 30, Mon: Departure**

#### **Dec 1<sup>st</sup>, Tue: Arrival - Tel-Aviv**

Upon arrival at Tel Aviv Airport, we will meet our representative, proceed to passport control, baggage claims and then meet our pilgrimage guide and driver. Transfer to our hotel in Tel Aviv for dinner and overnight.

#### **Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>, Wed: Caesarea Maritima-Stella Maris (Mt. Carmel)-Tiberias**

This morning after breakfast we leave 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. Afterwards, we leave to Mt. Carmel, Stella Maris to visit the cave where the prophet Elijah once sought refuge. Then we continue to Tiberias for dinner & overnight.

#### **Dec 3, Thu: Nazareth- Cana- Mount Tabor**

After breakfast, we drive to Nazareth to visit the Grand Basilica of the Annunciation, the sacred site where the Archangel Gabriel announced to the Blessed Mother that she would conceive the Son of God: *"And the Word became flesh"* (Luke 1:26). Next, we visit St. Joseph's Church, built over the home of the Holy Family, where Jesus grew up in wisdom (Luke 2:52). We then proceed to Cana, the site of Jesus' first miracle, where He turned water into wine at a

wedding feast. This modest yet significant church is a beautiful place for couples to renew their wedding vows. Our journey continues to Mount Tabor, the site of the Transfiguration (Matthew 17:1-8). From its summit, we take in breathtaking panoramic views, stretching from Mount Hermon in the north to the hills of Samaria in the south. We then return to the hotel for dinner and overnight stay.

#### **Dec 4, Fri: Caesarea Philippi- Sea of Galilee**

After breakfast, we drive north of the Sea of Galilee toward the Golan Heights to visit Caesarea Philippi, where Jesus declared to Peter: *"You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church"* (Matthew 16:13-19). Next, we return to the Sea of Galilee area and visit the Mount of Beatitudes, overlooking the Jordan Valley, where Jesus delivered the Sermon on the Mount. We then visit Tabgha, the site of the Church of the Multiplication, commemorating the miracle of Jesus feeding the five thousand. Our journey continues to the Primacy of Peter, where Jesus instructed Peter to *"Feed my sheep"*, reaffirming his role as the leader of the apostles. We then proceed to Capernaum, often called the "Hometown of Jesus", to explore the ruins of an early church, the remains of Peter's house, and the ancient synagogue, where Jesus taught. To conclude our day, we enjoy a private boat ride on the Sea of Galilee, reflecting on the miraculous

moments that took place on these waters. We then return to the hotel for dinner and an overnight stay.

**Dec 5, Sat: Bethlehem- Shepherd's Field-Hogar Nino Dios- Christmas tree lighting in Bethlehem's Manger Square**

This morning, we check out early and depart from the Sea of Galilee, traveling south to Bethlehem. Upon arrival, we visit the Basilica of the Nativity, which marks the birthplace of Jesus. Here, we have the special opportunity to kneel at the Grotto of the Nativity, the very place where Christ was born. Next, we visit the Church of the Shepherds' Field, where the Angel of the Lord announced the good news of the Savior's birth to the shepherds (Luke 2:8-18). We then proceed to our **hotel in Bethlehem** for dinner and an overnight stay.

**Dec 6, Sun: Bethany- Jericho-Jordan River-Bethlehem**

After breakfast, we begin our day in Bethany, the town where Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead, witnessing the site of this profound miracle. We then travel to Jericho, the oldest city in the world, where we take in a view of the Mount of Temptation, the place where Jesus fasted and was tempted by the devil during His 40 days in the desert. Next, we visit Qasr El-Yahud, the baptismal site on the Jordan River, recognized by the Vatican as the authentic location of Jesus' baptism. Here, we have the special opportunity to renew our baptismal vows, deepening our spiritual journey. We then return to our hotel for dinner and an overnight stay in Bethlehem.

**Dec 7, Mon: Mount of Olives-Mount Zion- St. Peter in Gallicantu- SOLEMN ENTRY into Holy Sepulchre**

After breakfast, we begin our day at the Mount of Olives, where we take in a breathtaking panoramic view of ancient and modern Jerusalem, the center of the biblical world. Our first stop is the Pater Noster Church, followed by the Chapel of Dominus Flevit, where Jesus wept over Jerusalem. From there, we walk down the Palm Sunday Road to the Garden of Gethsemane, where we visit the Church of All Nations (Basilica of the Agony)—the sacred site where Christ prayed on the night of His betrayal (Luke 22:40-46). We then continue to Mount Zion to visit the Upper Room

(Cenaculum Church), the site of the Last Supper and the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost. Next, we visit the Dormition Abbey, where tradition holds that the Blessed Mother fell into eternal sleep. Our journey then takes us to the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu, built over the Palace of Caiaphas, where Peter denied Jesus three times before the rooster crowed. Later we proceed to our evening SOLEMN ENTRY into the Church of the Holy **Check in at our hotel in Jerusalem for dinner & overnight.**

*Solemn Entry is allowed only if we have a minimum of 40 people in the group including members of the Knights & Dames of the equestrian order of the Holy Sepulchre.*

**Dec 8, Tue: Old City- Via Dolorosa- Holy Sepulcher- St. Anne**

We begin our day by walking the Via Dolorosa (The Way of the Cross), retracing Jesus' footsteps from Pilate's Judgment Hall to the empty tomb inside the Church of the Holy Sepulcher. This powerful procession allows us to reflect on Christ's suffering, death, and resurrection. Afterward, we return to the hotel for breakfast before continuing our pilgrimage within the walls of the Old City of Jerusalem. Our journey takes us to the Pools of Bethesda, where Jesus healed the man who had been crippled for 38 years (John 5:2-9). We then visit the Church of St. Anne, renowned for its incredible acoustics, where we have the opportunity to sing a hymn in this sacred space. We return to the hotel for dinner and an overnight stay.

**Dec 9, Wed: Western Wall- Ein Karem-Israel Museum**

After breakfast we visit the Western Wall (Wailing Wall) of the Temple Mount. Then we drive to the town of Ein Karem to visit the shrine of visitation and the birthplace of St. John. Afterwards we continue to the Israel Museum; where we can see the Dead Sea scrolls, the shrine of the book and a model of Jerusalem as it looked during the time of Jesus. Back to our hotel for dinner & overnight.

**Dec 10, Thu: Latin Patriarchate meeting- Our Lady of Palestine Mass & Leisure afternoon. Farewell Dinner.**

**Dec 11, Fri: Return Home.**

## Package Details

**Price includes:**

**Hotels:**

- 1-night Renaissance TLV
- 3 nights Magdala Tiberias
- 2 nights Casanova Bethlehem
- 4 nights Notre Dame Jerusalem
- 10 nights' Accommodations on H/B basis (Breakfast & dinner included)
- Daily Lunch according to Itinerary provide.
- Special dinner at a local restaurant in Tiberias.
- Farewell dinner at a local restaurant.
- Air-Conditioned deluxe tour Bus+ free wifi
- Professional licensed Catholic English-speaking Tour Guide.

- Entrance fees to all sites and national parks mentioned in the itinerary provided.
- Whispers (Listening devices).
- Airport Group Assist service upon arrival.
- Daily Mass
- Solemn Entry
- Tips to Guide, driver, hotels, portage & restaurants.

**Excludes:**

- Airfare/transfers (pre-arrival or post-departures).
- Israel E-Visa \$13 (subject to change) per person.
- Travel insurance can be purchased on our website at [www.bibletrektours.com](http://www.bibletrektours.com)
- Drinks during meals.
- Any personal item
- Any other item not mentioned in the included part.

**Register online at ([www.bibletrektours.com](http://www.bibletrektours.com)) or complete the attached form!**

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# Terms & Conditions

**Form of Payment:** Bank/Certified/Checks, Money Orders or Wire Transfers (please email us a copy of bank confirmation when wiring funds) are accepted forms of payment at any time. (Payable to: Bible Trek Tours LLC) (send to: info@bibletrektours.com). Every reservation must be accompanied by a signed application (Mail to: Bible Trek Tours LLC, P.O.Box 20137, Beaumont, TX 77720). Returned checks will incur a \$50 service fee. **Passports, Visas & Documents:** a valid US passport is required for US citizens. If you do not have a valid passport, please contact your closest passport office or see Passport Information. Passports must be valid at least 6 months after return date. Bible Trek Tours, owner, agent or employees cannot be held liable for clients not having proper passports, visa or other travel documents. Cancellations due to lack of appropriate documents will incur usual penalties. A Passport Card is not useful for International Air Travel. Attempting to use this instead of a Passport Book will result in a denial of boarding by the airlines and entry by the legal authorities. **Final Documents:** Final documents are issued upon receipt of final payment only and within 3 weeks of departure. Documents are not guaranteed if final payment is not received on time. Upon receipt of your documents, you are responsible to check your itinerary, spelling of your name, dates, times and other important information to insure their validity. Should your final documents have any errors it is the passenger's responsibility to contact Bible Trek Tours immediately. **Cancellations and Refunds:** All cancellations must be submitted in writing (by mail or email). The effective date of cancellation will be the date on which written notice is received by Bible Trek Tours. Cancellations are subject to the following terms and conditions: **Administrative Fee:** A non-refundable administrative fee of \$300 per person will be charged for all cancellations, in addition to any applicable penalties outlined below. **Cancellation Penalties:** The following charges, calculated as a percentage of the total trip cost, will apply: 60 to 46 days prior to departure: 50% of the total trip cost. 45 days or less prior to departure: 100% of the total trip cost (no refund). **Airline Tickets:** Once airline tickets have been issued—typically 30 to 45 days prior to departure, depending on the carrier—they are non-refundable. Some airlines may, at their sole discretion, issue a travel credit valid for one year from the date of issue. **Refund Requests:** All refund requests must be submitted in writing. Telephone cancellations will not be accepted. Refunds will be processed within 30 to 60 days from the date written notice is received. **Name Changes/Substitutions:** Name changes and/or participant substitutions are not permitted. **No Waiver Policy:** Cancellation penalties and fees cannot be waived under any circumstances, including but not limited to medical reasons, death, or other emergencies. **Tour Cancellations by Bible Trek Tours:** In the event that Bible Trek Tours cancels a departure, participants will receive a full refund. However, if a trip is canceled due to circumstances beyond the control of Bible Trek Tours (including, but not limited to, war, covid, acts of God, political unrest, natural disasters, or airline schedule changes), refunds will be issued in accordance with these terms and conditions. **Air Transportation:** Air transportation is in economy class on IATA-approved carriers. Ticketing must be completed no later than 14 days prior to departure. 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Bible Trek Tours reserves the right to substitute similar category hotels without prior notice. **SHARING ROOM:** If passengers are traveling alone, and are registered prior to 60 days before departure, and wish to have Bible Trek Tours assign a roommate we will do our best. Registrations made within 60 days of departure; the passenger will be responsible for the additional Single Supplement fees. **Meals:** Bible Trek Tours pilgrimages include breakfast and dinner daily, (refer to brochure "your trip includes"). Although we cannot guarantee, we will try to accommodate all special meal request. **Baggage:** Each tour participant is permitted to bring one checked suitcase, one small carry-on bag (8" x 14" x 22"), and one personal item (i.e. purse, laptop case). In general, the airlines permit 1 checked bag weighing up to 50 lbs. (23 kg) and maximum dimensions of 62 in (158 cm) calculated by adding the length + the width + the height of the bag. 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**Registration Form-Bible Trek Tours**  
**The Holy Land-12 Days: Nov 30-Dec 11, 2026 / Micatrotto Group**

**Please complete one registration form per person (Couples submit two separate forms)**

Full Name (as written in passport):

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**\*(Photocopy of your passport is required – must be valid 6 months after your return date)**

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # (home/cell): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Rooming with: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ **Please try to find a roommate for me.** *I understand if you cannot find a roommate for me, I will be obliged to pay the single room supplement.*

☐ *I wish a single room at a supplement of \$1,500. Subject to availability and conformation.*

**\*Tour cost:** ☐ **Check /money order payment: Land only package (\$3,725)**

☐ **Credit/ Debit Card payment: Land only package (\$3,875)**

*\*Package price is per person sharing a room.*

**Method of Payments:**

☐ Mail a deposit of \$400.00 per person made payable to **Bible Trek Tours LLC** in a form of a personal check or money order.

**Address: P.O.Box: 20137, Beaumont TX, 77720**

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☐ For a credit card payment please fill out the form below.

Note: The deposit should be paid at the time of booking and no later than **Sep 11, 2026**. Balance is due on or before **Oct 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026**.

Any booking after **Sep 12, 2026** is subject to availability.

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**(SUBMIT THIS BOOKING FORM WITH A COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT AND YOUR DEPOSIT)**

**\*By submitting this payment and form, I acknowledge that I have read and I accept all Terms & Conditions as outlined on this pilgrimage Brochure.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*You can Email a copy of your passport to: [info@bibletrektours.com](mailto:info@bibletrektours.com).**

**\*If you need to renew your passport please do so and email us a copy.**



\*Only use this form if you wish to pay your deposit with a Credit Card

**Credit Card Payment Authorization**

I authorize Bible Trek Tours LLC to charge the standard price amount plus 4% card fees to my credit card listed below. (\$400 will be charged now; balance of payment will be charged to your card upon your request/authorization per the invoice due date).

**Credit Card Type:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Name as it appears on credit card:** \_\_\_\_\_

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