



# Community of Christ Historic Sites Foundation Holy Land Tour 2019

October 22 - 31, 2019



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## Holy Land Itinerary

### **October 22 & 23 - USA to the Holy Land**

Your 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 hotel in Tel Aviv where you will enjoy dinner before resting.

### **October 24 - Jaffa, Nazareth, Megiddo & Caesarea**

This morning begin touring at American Colony in Jaffa. This site includes the historic Maine Friendship House along with the historic marker located on the beach at Jaffa. This marker locates the site where the G.J. Adams group arrived in the 1860s. There's a similar marker in Jonesport, Maine where the Adams colony departed in the 1860s. Journey onto Caesarea, a center of the early Christians. Here, an angel visited Cornelius, the first Gentile convert; (Acts 10) and Paul was imprisoned for 2 years (Acts 23:33). Visit Nazareth, Jesus' boyhood home (Matthew 2: 23). Overlook Tel Megiddo (Armageddon). Overnight Tiberias.

### **October 25 - The Galilee**

This morning, pray and sing hymns as you cross the waters of the Sea of Galilee by boat. Next, travel to Capernaum, the center of Jesus' ministry. Visit the synagogue on the site where Jesus taught (Matt. 4:13, 23). At the Mount of Beatitudes read the sermon on the mount (Matt. 5-7). Enjoy the infamous fish lunch at Ein Gev before visiting the Church of the Fish and the Loaves, at Tabgha, the traditional location for the feeding of the 5000 (Luke 9:10-17). Visit the Chapel of the Primacy where Peter professed his devotion to the risen Christ (John 21). End your day remembering Jesus' Baptism at the Jordan River. Overnight Tiberias.

### **October 26 - Jericho, Qumran, Masada and the Dead Sea**

Travel to Jericho and visit the ruins of the 'World's Oldest City.' From this city, once conquered by Joshua, (Josh. 6: 1, 2, 20) you can see the traditional site of the Temptation of Jesus (Matt. 4: 1-11). Travel to Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered in 1947. Visit Masada - Herod's mountaintop fortress and the last stronghold of the Jewish Rebellion against the Romans. It was named a UNESCO World Heritage site in 2001. End your day with a quick dip in the salt and mineral-laden waters of the Dead Sea. Overnight Jerusalem.

### **October 27 - Bethlehem & Jerusalem**

Visit Bethlehem, where the cave revered as Jesus' birthplace resides in the world's oldest functioning church (Matt. 1: 18-25). Nearby you'll view Shepherds' Field where the Good News was first heard. Lunch included at a nearby restaurant before returning to Jerusalem where you will pray in the Garden of Gethsemane (Matt. 26: 36-44). Visit the Orson Hyde park Memorial Garden located on a 5.5 acre park on the Mount of Olives in Jerusalem. Continue to Mount Zion to visit the House of the High Priest Caiaphas where Jesus was questioned (Matt. 26: 57-65). Finally, the Last Supper comes to life as you visit the Upper Room (Mark 14: 12-26). Overnight Jerusalem.

### **October 28 - Jerusalem & the Old City**

Take time to pray at the Western Wall. Sit on the Teaching Steps where Jesus once taught. Walk the Cardo, the main street of the Old City. View the Pool of Bethesda where Jesus performed the Sabbath miracle (John 5: 1-31). Sing a hymn in the Church of St. Anne, known for its amazing acoustics. Visit Herod's Antonia Fortress where Jesus was brought before Pontius Pilate (Luke 23: 1-11). Walk the Via Dolorosa, "the Way of the Cross," and stand in reverence at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Overnight Jerusalem.

### **October 29 - Israel Museum, Shrine of the Book & Yad Vashem**

Visit the First Century Model of the City of Jerusalem, housed in the Israel Museum. See the Shrine of the Book, displaying the Book of Isaiah, discovered among the Dead Sea Scrolls. Walk the museum and grounds of Yad Vashem, Israel's Holocaust Memorial, with it's poignant exhibits honoring the millions of lives lost during the Holocaust.

### **October 30 - Jerusalem**

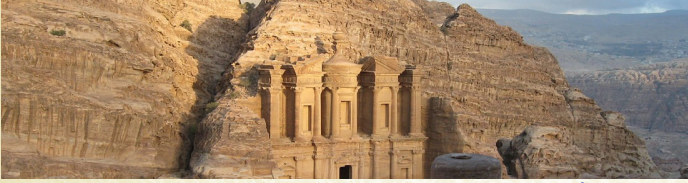
Today you will visit the Rolla Floyd Home, School and Theatre. Enjoy lunch before making your final destination stop that allows time for reflection and communion at the Garden Tomb. Night Flight.

### **October 31 - Extension or Return Home**





## Extend Your Journey



### Wonders of Petra & the Dead Sea Pre-Tour - \$998\*

- Oct. 20 Depart the USA, group flight from JFK
- Oct. 21 Airport greeting and cross the Allenby Bridge into Jordan. Visit Mt. Nebo & Madaba Evening. Transfer to your hotel for Dinner and Overnight.
- Oct. 22 Explore Petra. Travel to the Dead Sea area for late Dinner and Overnight.
- Oct. 23 Journey through Jerash, then re-cross the border into Israel. Check in to Tel Aviv hotel and join the rest of the group as they arrive from the states.



### Cairo & the Route of the Exodus Post-Tour - \$1,098\*

- Oct. 30 - Follow the Ancient Caravan Route to Mount Sinai. Hotel
- Oct. 31 - Visit the Monastery of St. Catherine before continuing to Sharm el Sheik for dinner and overnight.
- Nov. 1 - Stop at Wadi Feran, Elim and Marah by the Red Sea on your way to Cairo. Dinner and overnight in Cairo.
- Nov. 2 - Visit Memphis & Saqqara. View the Step Pyramid, the Great Pyramids at Giza and the majestic Sphinx today. Dinner and overnight in Cairo.
- Nov. 3 - See King Tut's Treasures and explore the Egyptian Museum. View the Citadel of Old Cairo and stop at the Coptic Church. Sail the Nile on an authentic Egyptian Felucca. Dinner and overnight in Cairo.
- Nov. 4 - Return to USA on group flight to JFK

\*Guests taking an extension may be on a different flight than their group and/or traveling companion. All prices reflect a 4% discount for payment via check



ALL INCLUSIVE PRICE

**\$3,998\***  
from *New York*

### INCLUSIONS

- **Basic Tour & Guided Sightseeing**
- **Roundtrip International Airfare** (Additional baggage & optional fees may apply; see fine print for details)
- **Fuel Surcharges and Government Taxes** (Subject to change)
- **Admin. Fees, Entrance Fees & Hotel Gratuities**
- **Daily Buffet Breakfast & Dinner plus 3 Lunches,**
- **Deluxe Motorcoaches, First Class Hotels**
- **& much more!**

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## DOMESTIC AIRFARE PRICING

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Akron/Canton OH.....\$298     | Fort Wayne IN.....\$398       | Oklahoma City OK.....\$398  |
| Albuquerque NM.....\$498      | Grand Rapids MI.....\$398     | Omaha or Lincoln NE...\$398 |
| Atlanta GA.....\$298          | Green Bay WI.....\$398        | Orlando FL.....\$298        |
| Austin TX.....\$348           | Greensboro NC.....\$348       | Pensacola FL.....\$348      |
| Baltimore MD.....\$298        | Grnville/Sprtnbrg SC....\$398 | Phoenix AZ.....\$448        |
| Birmingham AL.....\$398       | Honolulu HI.....\$898         | Pittsburgh PA.....\$248     |
| Boise ID.....\$348            | Houston TX.....\$398          | Portland OR.....\$448       |
| Boston MA.....\$198           | Indianapolis IN.....\$348     | Raleigh/Durham NC.....\$298 |
| Cedar Rapids IA.....\$398     | Jackson MS.....\$398          | Reno NV.....\$398           |
| Charleston WV.....\$398       | Jacksonville FL.....\$298     | Richmond VA.....\$298       |
| Charlotte NC.....\$248        | Kansas City MO.....\$398      | Roanoke VA.....\$348        |
| Chicago IL.....\$298          | Knoxville TN.....\$348        | Rochester NY.....\$198      |
| Cincinnati OH.....\$398       | Las Vegas NV.....\$498        | Sacramento CA.....\$498     |
| Cleveland/Akron OH....\$298   | Lexington KY.....\$348        | Salt Lake City UT.....\$398 |
| Colorado Springs CO...\$398   | Little Rock AR.....\$448      | San Antonio TX.....\$448    |
| Columbia SC.....\$348         | Los Angeles.....\$398         | San Diego CA.....\$448      |
| Columbus OH.....\$298         | Louisville KY.....\$398       | San Francisco CA.....\$398  |
| Dallas/Ft. Worth TX.....\$398 | Memphis TN.....\$398          | Seattle/Tacoma WA.....\$398 |
| Dayton OH.....\$298           | Miami FL.....\$298            | St. Louis MO.....\$298      |
| Denver CO.....\$398           | Milwaukee WI.....\$298        | Tampa FL.....\$298          |
| Des Moines IA.....\$398       | Minn/St. Paul MN.....\$398    | Tri-Cities TN.....\$348     |
| Detroit MI.....\$298          | Mobile AL.....\$448           | Tucson AZ.....\$398         |
| Fargo ND.....\$498            | Montgomery AL.....\$398       | Tulsa OK.....\$398          |
| Fayetteville AR.....\$498     | Nashville TN.....\$298        | Washington DC.....\$198     |
| Fort Lauderdale FL.....\$298  | New Orleans LA.....\$298      | West Palm Beach FL....\$298 |
| Fort Myers FL.....\$298       | Norfolk VA.....\$298          | Wichita KS.....\$398        |



TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

THE FINE PRINT

Convenient Online Information - www.AcademyTravel.com/ETS.html

Convenient Online Registration - https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KNSRGGX

or Mail to: Academy Travel, Attn- Dawn Welch, 17 Tamarack St., Howell, NJ 07731

or Call: Mary Pennington 1- (443) -807-0290

Departure City: \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date: 10/22/19 (P)

Legal Name must be submitted as it appears on your passport:

Guest 1 Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Passport #: \_\_\_\_\_ Issue Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Place of Issue: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Register me for:  Tour Program Only  Add Petra Pre-Tour  Add Cairo Post-Tour

Guest 2 Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Register me for:  Tour Program Only  Add Petra Pre-Tour  Add Cairo Post-Tour

Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Important Information Regarding Travel Protection Plan:

- 1. Travel Protection coverage cannot be added after you have paid in full.
2. Premium is based on TOTAL cost of trip and is non-refundable.
3. Coverage begins when your premium payment is received by ETS (separate from deposit & clearly designated as your travel protection premium).
4. Premium must be paid in full no later than 6/7/19.

Guest 1:  I Accept  I Decline Guest 2:  I Accept  I Decline

\$300 DEPOSIT PER PERSON REQUIRED

FINAL PAYMENT DUE 6/7/19

Payment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

via check: # \_\_\_\_\_ (Payable to Academy Travel Inc.)

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: TH19 Date: 102219 Code: P ID: 27995 10/10/18

INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Roundtrip international airfare • Deluxe motorcoaches • 1st class hotels • Guided sightseeing • Hotel, Guide, & Driver Gratuities • Entrance fees to sites visited • Program fees • Breakfast, 3 lunches & dinner daily • Fuel surcharges \$600 • Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change)

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure
• Miscellaneous fees i.e. individual transfers; passports, laundry, lunches, beverages & baggage fees
• Tips, taxes, and fees for optional extensions: \$138 for Petra and/or Egypt • Optional Travel Protection Plan

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Table with 3 columns: Deposit, Payment Amount, Due Date. Registration deposit \$300 Immediately to reserve your spot on tour! Final Payment Full Payment 06/07/19

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 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 \$598 for the Classic tour, \$198 for Petra Pre-Tour, and \$298 for Cairo Post-Tour.

REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER JUNE 7, 2019:

We welcome registrations after 6/7/19. Registrations received between 6/08/19 - 6/22/19 will incur a \$100 per person fee. Registrations received between 6/23/19 - 7/7/19 days prior will incur a \$200 per person fee. Registrations received after 7/7/19 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 limiting to their experiences.

PASSPORT INFORMATION:

Passports must be valid for at least 6 months from your return date. Passport information must be submitted no later than 6/7/19. Failure to provide or discrepancies in your passport information may result in change fees or denial of travel.

PRICE INCREASES:

All prices quoted in this brochure are subject to change due to currency fluctuations, fuel surcharge increases, government taxes and fees increases or unforeseen circumstances.

AIRLINE ROUTES, TICKETING, FLIGHT TIMES, AIRLINE FEES & DEVIATIONS:

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. All flights are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. We are not responsible for such changes or delays and do 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. 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. Additionally, you may incur optional fees (food, excess baggage, overweight baggage, items of personal nature, etc.) as well. Deviations from the standard tour program must be submitted in writing and are subject to additional airline fees, if applicable. Transfers for passengers who deviate are not included.

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. 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 12/31/18. 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.

Travel Protection Plan - Premium Rates For a full description, go to: www.tripmate.com/wpf429E

Table with 4 columns: Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost. Includes rows for various price ranges and a detailed Schedule of Coverages with Maximum Benefit amounts.

Conditions and Limitations

This is a brief description of the plan available for all Travel Protection sales for Trips departing January 1, 2013 and after. Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the Certificate of Coverage. For example, coverage does not apply to: any Sickness or condition of you, a Traveling Companion or a Family Member traveling with you that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective date of the coverages (The Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Educational Opportunities Tours, Inc. at or before the final payment due date for Your Trip or 105 days before departure date, whichever occurs first), suicide, normal pregnancy, war or any act of war. Other Covered Reasons, as defined, includes the following events or their consequences: Cancellation or Interruption of your Trip due to: Inclement Weather, unannounced Strike, mechanical breakdown that causes complete cessation of services of your Common Carrier for at least 12 consecutive hours; a documented traffic accident while en route to departure; being hijacked or quarantined; jury duty; destruction of your home or destination by fire, flood, burglary or natural disaster; being called to the emergency service of government to provide aid or relief in the event of a natural disaster; a documented theft of passports or visas; a transfer of employment of 250 miles or more; or Revocation of military leave. For further information ask for the Certificate of Coverage which fully details the coverages, provisions, limitations and exclusions of the plan offered and is available to you, upon request, at any time prior to your purchase of the plan. This plan is underwritten by: United States Fire Insurance Company, Eatonville, NJ. Benefits are administered by: Trip Mate, Inc., 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO, 64114, 1-800-888-7292 (in CA, dia Trip Mate Insurance Agency).