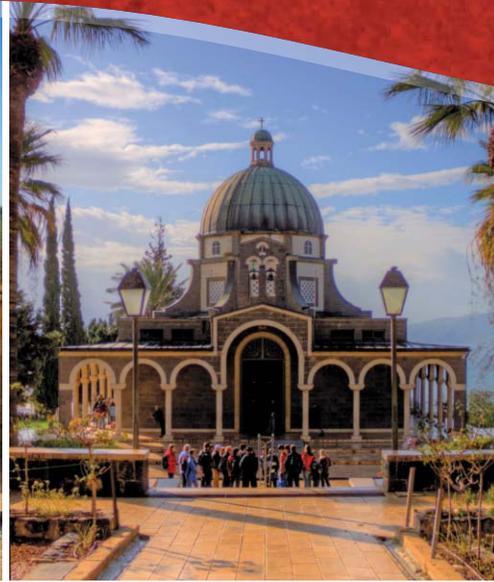
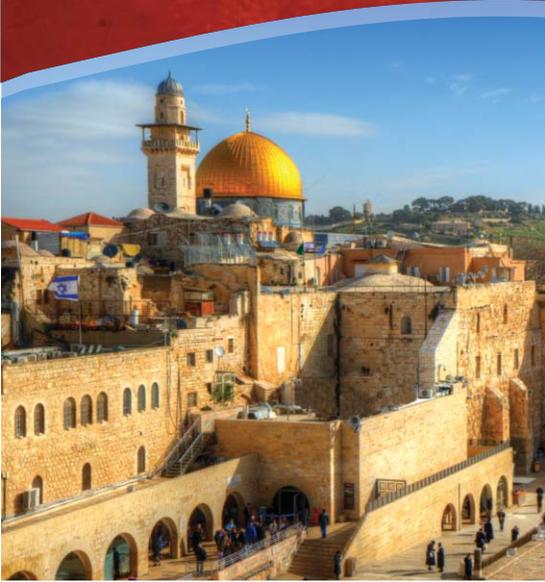




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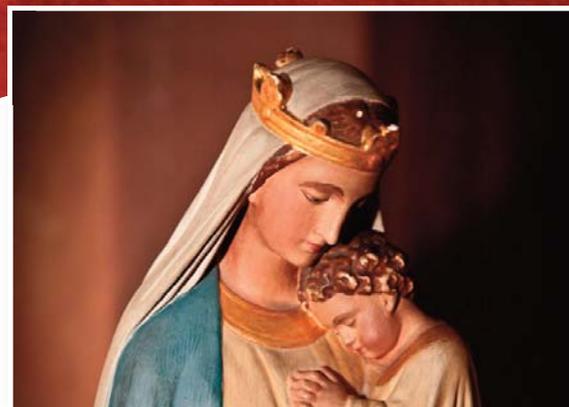


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# Holy Land Catholic Tour

## 8 Day Catholic Pilgrimage



### Days 1 & 2 - 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.

### Day 3 - Jericho & Bethlehem

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). Visit **Qasr-el-Yehud** and renew the baptism of Christ. 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 **St. Catherine's Church** and gaze out over **Shepherds' Field**, where the angels first proclaimed the Good News.

### Day 4 - Ein Karem, Emmaus & Nazareth

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). See the **Church of St. John**, birthplace of John the Baptist, and celebrate **Mass** at the **Church of the Visitation**. In **Emmaus**, you'll see the traditional site where Jesus appeared to two disciples after His resurrection. Visit **Nazareth**, Jesus' boyhood home (Matt. 2:23)

### Day 5 - 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** and experience a special onboard worship service. On the **Mount of Beatitudes** (Matt. 5-7), listen to Jesus's Sermon on the Mount, and celebrate **Mass** at the **Church of the Beatitudes**. At **Tabgha**, traditional location of the feeding of the 5,000, visit the **Church of the Fish and the Loaves** (Luke 9:10-17). Take a moment to reflect and pray in the **Chapel of the Primacy**, where Peter professed his devotion to the risen Christ (John 21). Continue to Jerusalem for overnight.

### Day 6 - Jerusalem

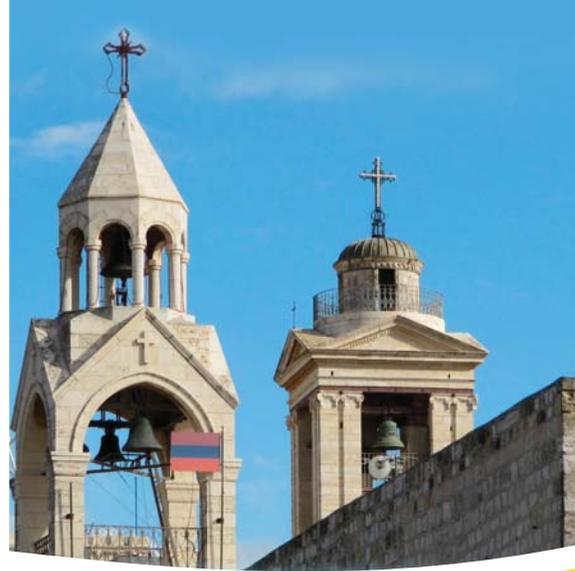
Be inspired by the breathtaking beauty of **Jerusalem** ("the Golden City") as you stand on the **Mount of Olives**, the place from which Jesus ascended into heaven forty days after His resurrection (Acts 1:9-12). Visit the **Church of Pater Noster** and celebrate **Mass** in the **Garden of Gethsemane** 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**.

### Day 7 - Jerusalem and the Old City

Visit the **Southern Wall Excavations of the Temple**, including the **Teaching Steps** and the **Western Wall**. Take a leisurely stroll down the **Cardo**, the main street of the Old City where modern shops stand among 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). Walk the **Via Dolorosa**, "the Way of the Cross," and celebrate the **Mass of the Resurrection** at the **Church of the Holy Sepulchre**.

### Day 8 - Return to USA





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Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost
\$ 0 to \$1000 .....	\$ 99	\$2501 to \$3000 .....	\$299	\$4501 to \$5000 .....	\$499	\$6501 to \$7000 .....	\$699
\$1001 to \$1500 .....	\$149	\$3001 to \$3500 .....	\$349	\$5001 to \$5500 .....	\$549	\$7001 to \$8000 .....	\$799
\$1501 to \$2000 .....	\$199	\$3501 to \$4000 .....	\$399	\$5501 to \$6000 .....	\$599	\$8001 to \$9000 .....	\$899
\$2001 to \$2500 .....	\$249	\$4001 to \$4500 .....	\$449	\$6001 to \$6500 .....	\$649	\$9001 to \$10,000 .....	\$999

**Schedule of Coverages**

Part A *	Maximum Benefit
Trip Cancellation .....	Trip Cost
<b>Part B</b>	
Accidental Death & Dismemberment .....	\$25,000
Medical Expense / Emergency Assistance .....	\$50,000
Trip Interruption .....	Trip Cost
Travel Delay (Up to \$100 Per Day) .....	\$500
Missed Connection .....	\$500
Baggage and Personal Effects .....	\$1,000
Baggage Delay .....	\$100

**Additional Cancellation Protection**

When you purchase this Travel Protection Plan at or before the final payment due date for Your Trip, you also receive the Educational Opportunities Tours Pre-Departure Cancellation Waiver Benefit that allows you to cancel your Educational Opportunities Tours travel arrangements up to the day of departure for any reason (excludes no shows and those not permitted boarding). With this Educational Opportunities Tours Cancellation Waiver, your non-refundable land cancellation penalties will be refunded in Educational Opportunities Tours travel certificates. Certain travel programs are not eligible for this benefit, such as cruise and land programs listed and detailed on the Educational Opportunities website ([www.eo.travel](http://www.eo.travel)). Premiums must be paid in addition to initial or second deposit prior to the final payment for coverage to be in effect.

Part A - Travel Arrangement Benefits are provided by Educational Opportunities Tours. Part B - Travel Protection Benefits are provided by United States Fire Insurance Co. For New York Residents Only: Part A Benefits are travel arrangement benefits underwritten by United States Insurance Company.

**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, Edgartown, NJ. Benefits are administered by: Trip Mate, Inc., 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO, 64114, 1-800-888-7292 (\*in CA, dba Trip Mate Insurance Agency).

**THE FINE PRINT**

**INCLUDED IN PRICE:**

- Roundtrip international airfare • Deluxe motorcoaches • 1st class hotels • Guided sightseeing
- Entrance fees to sites visited (as listed in itinerary) • Breakfast & dinner daily, hotel gratuities
- Program fees • Fuel surcharges \$600 • Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change)

**NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:**

- Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule)
- Optional Sightseeing
- Miscellaneous fees such as individual transfers; passports, laundry, lunches, beverages at meals, baggage fees
- Voluntary "Love Offering" for guide and driver • \$100 Document fee for Non-US/Canadian residents

**ACCOMMODATIONS:**

Price is per person based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. While EOT will try to match roommates, EOT 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 following charges apply: \$448 during the basic week

**PAYMENT SCHEDULE:**

Payment Amount	Payment Due Dates & Notes
<b>\$100*</b>	Registrations received more than 10 months prior to departure *Additional \$500 deposit will be due 6 months prior to departure
<b>\$300**</b>	Registrations received 6-10 months prior to departure **Additional \$300 deposit due 6 months prior to departure
<b>\$600</b>	Registrations received 6 months – 106 days prior to departure
<b>\$1,200</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Deposit Amount. All guest must have \$1,800 on their account 105 days prior to tour to be ticketed
<b>\$1,800</b>	Registrations received between 105-76 days prior to departure must pay the full deposit amount and may be subject to late registration fees.
<b>Full Payment</b>	Final Payment is due for all guests 75 Days prior to departure. If paid after the due date, a late payment fee of \$100 will be assessed.
<b>Travel Protection Premium Amount</b>	The Travel Protection Plan premium will be due no later than 105 days prior to be in full effect. Travel protection premiums must be paid in addition to your deposits and in advance of the final payment for coverage to be in effect.

**REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED less than 105 days prior to departure:**

We welcome registrations after 105 days prior to departure Registrations received between 104-90 days prior will incur a \$100 per person fee. Registrations received between 89-75 days prior will incur a \$200 per person fee. Registrations received between 74-60 days prior will incur a \$400 per person fee. Registrations received after 59 days prior or less 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 insurable. 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. If you have questions, please contact Educational Opportunities Tours Inc. for more details.

**PASSPORT INFORMATION, CONFIRMATION OF ITINERARY & CHECK IN PROCESS:**

Passport information must be submitted to our office no later than 105 days prior to your trip. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date may result in change fees or denial of travel. 105 days prior to your trip you will be contacted to re-confirm your itinerary, travel arrangements and registration information during the preliminary check in process for your trip. 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.

**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, EO does 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 depart from a different city than your group or travelling companion, or you are taking a pre or post tour, you may fly on a different scheduled flight.

**FLIGHT TIMES:**

All flights are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. EOT is 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. Additionally, you may incur optional fees (food, excess baggage, overweight baggage, items of personal nature, etc.) as well. For more information, visit [www.ecatholic.com/travelinfo/airlinefees.aspx](http://www.ecatholic.com/travelinfo/airlinefees.aspx).

**DEVIATIONS:**

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. 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 05/03/17. If validity date has passed, current brochures may be found at [www.ecatholic.com](http://www.ecatholic.com). Registrations will still be accepted after the validity date.

**RELEASE INFORMATION**

Payment of deposit indicates permission for EOT or its agents 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 EOT or its agents deem appropriate, unless the registrant or guardian otherwise notifies EOT in writing prior to departure. Except where otherwise stated, EOT acts only as agent for the relevant supplier in securing hotels, transportation and other travel services and in no event shall EOT be liable for failure by any such supplier to render any transportation, lodging or other travel service to be provided on the tour. EOT assumes 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. EOT does not own or operate any of the suppliers of services to your tour. Similarly without limiting the foregoing, passenger agrees to hold EOT 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. Florida law will be applicable to any dispute which arises out of or concerns this brochure or your tour. Any and all litigation must be brought only in and for courts in Polk County, Florida to the exclusion of litigation anywhere else in the world. Enrollment in and payment of deposit constitutes your acceptance of the "Fine Print." Educational Opportunities Tours is the tour operator and is solely responsible for the travel program. Educational Opportunities Tours is registered with the State of Florida as a Seller of Travel. Registration No. ST24130, CST2027682-40.