

REGISTRATION FORM

Please reserve _____ seat(s) on:

A CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TOUR TO SWITZERLAND, GERMANY & AUSTRIA

November 4 - 14, 2024

Please enclose a \$500 deposit per person

Name(s) _____

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Rooming with: _____

OR

I request a single room at an additional \$800.

My signature on the line below indicates that I have read and agree to the terms and conditions in this brochure.

Send check or money order to:

PILGRIMAGE TOURS LLC
1766 Scherersville Road
Allentown, PA 18104

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip coach class on American, Delta, United or other International Air Transport Association member. Meals served in flight.

LAND TRANSPORTATION & SERVICES: By deluxe air-conditioned motor coach with professional driver, services of an English-speaking tour manager, local guides, all admission & entrance fees, and transfers to and from international airports. Daily schedule with Mass as per your itinerary, however we reserve the right to modify any itinerary if circumstances deem necessary.

LODGING: First-class accommodations, based upon double occupancy with limited single accommodations available at an additional charge of \$800.

MEALS: Breakfast Buffet and Dinner DAILY.

ALSO INCLUDED IN PRICE: All taxes, including airport taxes. Gratuities for your tour manager, local guides, bus driver, porters and wait staff are included in the price.

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE: The cost of obtaining your passport and visa fees to some countries, meals not included in the itinerary, wines, liquors, bottled waters, coffee or tea, personal items, laundry services, room service charges, long-distance phone calls, excess baggage, airport service charges and any sightseeing not included in the itinerary.

GROUP REQUIREMENT: The minimum number of passengers needed to assure a group's departure is 15. We reserve the right to cancel up to 30 days from departure should the total number of registered passengers be fewer than 15. If there are fewer than 15 passengers, Pilgrimage Tours will do all that is possible to assure your group's departure without having to resort to charging a supplemental fee for the group. If Pilgrimage Tours cancels, you will receive a full refund.

DEPOSIT AND FULL PAYMENT: A deposit/payment of \$500 towards the price of the tour, per person is required to book your reservation. The balance is to be paid in full two months prior to departure; September 4, 2024. Balances not paid by this date may be subject to a \$100 late payment fee. Reservations made within 30 days of departure may be subject to a \$100 late reservation fee. Upon receipt of your completed registration form and deposit, a confirmation invoice along with a travel insurance brochure will be mailed to you.

INSURANCE: Trip Cancellation and Interruption Insurance is highly recommended. Cancellation fees are covered by CSA Travel Protection's plan, as long as your premium has been paid, your policy is in effect and the reason for your canceling is insurable. Waivers for pre-existing medical conditions are available at no additional cost, but your policy must be purchased before your final payment for the tour.

CANCELLATION FEES: Passengers not taking the CSA travel insurance need to be aware of the following cancellation fees. Up until 90 days prior to departure, you may cancel for any reason without penalty and receive a full refund of your deposit. The remaining cancellation fee schedule is as follows: 89-60 days = \$300; 59-45 days = 50% of tour price; 44-30 days = 75% of tour price; 29-15 days = 80% of tour price; 14 days or less = 100% of tour price.

RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY: Pilgrimage Tours LLC acts only as an agent for hotels, transportation companies, sightseeing tours or any service in connection with the itineraries of tour members who by acceptance thereof, acknowledge that neither Pilgrimage Tours LLC and/or its agents and suppliers shall be liable for accident, injury, damage, loss, liability or expense to person or property due to any acts by hotel, carrier or other company providing services included in the tour. Further, Pilgrimage Tours LLC and its agents accept no responsibility for any sickness, theft, loss of property, labor disputes, machinery breakdown, government restraints, acts of war and terrorism or by acts of God, pandemics, weather conditions, defect in any vehicle of transportation or for any misadventure or casualty or any other causes beyond their control. Any ARC or IATA carrier, including airlines, are not responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their planes or conveyances. Prices are estimated based on exchange rates and fuel charges effective July 12, 2024. Pilgrimage Tours LLC reserves the right to charge additional fees for any significant changes in either exchange rates or fuel surcharges.

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DAILY MASS AT THE HOLY SITES

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UNDER THE SPIRITUAL DIRECTION OF FR. SILVIO KABERIA

November 4, 2024 - Monday WASHINGTON / SWITZERLAND

Tour members gather at Washington's Dulles Airport for our connecting flight to Switzerland. Meals are served on board our transatlantic flight.

November 5, 2024 - Tuesday ZURICH

Today we arrive in Zurich, Switzerland's capital and are met by our Pilgrimage Tours' tour director who will remain with us until the end of our tour. We board our deluxe motor coach for an orientation tour of Zurich including a visit and celebration of Mass at St. Anton's Church. Following Mass, we will visit the Church of Our Lady (Fraumunster), whose stained-glass windows were designed by the artist Marc Chagall. In Zurich's historic center, we will see the facade of St. Peter's Church (Peterkirche), displaying Europe's largest clock, followed by free time on the Bahnhofstrasse, a popular pedestrian street offering the best in world-class shopping. Dinner and overnight in Zurich.

November 6, 2024 - Wednesday ZURICH / LUCERNE / BASEL

This morning we drive to the beautiful city of Lucerne, nestled in the Swiss Alps and situated on Lake Lucerne. Here we will visit and celebrate Mass at Lucerne's Hof Church. Following Mass, we walk to Lucerne's Old Town where we will see the landmark wooden 14th century Chapel Bridge & Water Tower. Following free time for lunch, we continue on to the town of Basel, where we enjoy a walking tour where we will see Basel's city hall and the Mittlere Brucke; the "Middle Bridge". We will also visit St. Marien Church, followed by free

time in Basel's Marktplatz. Late afternoon we return to Zurich for dinner and overnight.

November 7, 2024 - Thursday ZURICH / EINSIEDELN / BERN

Today we enjoy a day-trip to Einsiedeln, Switzerland's largest and most important Marian Shrine. As far as you can see is a sea of green pastures and beautiful mountains. Einsiedeln is home to a shrine, a miracle-working Black Madonna statue and a Benedictine monastery. In the Lady Chapel, we find the Black Madonna statue, venerated by the faithful, with many miracles being attributed to Our Lady of Einsiedeln's intercession. We celebrate Mass in the sanctuary's Mercy Chapel. We will also see the impressive Diorama Bethlehem, the world's largest nativity scene, with more than five hundred carved wooden figures. We will also see the Panorama, a circular painting more than three hundred feet in length and thirty feet high. The painting depicts Jerusalem and the Crucifixion scene. In the afternoon, we drive to the town of Bern for a visit to Bern's lovely Rose Garden, offering a wonderful view of Bern. We next enjoy a walking tour of Old Town Bern where we will see its Clock Tower and visit Albert Einstein's house displaying a number of Einstein's inventions. This evening we enjoy dinner at Altes Tramdepot Brewery & Restaurant. Following dinner, we return to Zurich for overnight.

November 8, 2024 - Friday ZURICH / RHINE FALLS / THE BLACK FOREST / MUNICH

Following Mass this morning at Sts. Peter & Paul Church, we bid farewell to Zurich and drive to Rhine Falls, Europe's largest waterfalls, before driving to southern Germany, crossing the Rhine River, for a visit to the Black Forest. During our drive we enjoy some of the world's most picturesque scenery including beautiful landscapes displaying majestic mountains, charming valleys, tranquil lakes, waterfalls and of course pine trees. Our main stop will be in Titisee-Neustadt on Lake Titisee in the heart of the Black Forest. Here we will enjoy the town square where you may want to sample some Black Forest cake and pay a visit to the Brunner World of 1000 Clocks store, offering a wide selection of locally

crafted cuckoo clocks. Late afternoon we arrive in Munich for dinner and overnight.

November 9, 2024 - Saturday MUNICH

Today we enjoy a walking tour of Munich, including visits to St. Anton Church and the Church of Our Lady (Frauenkirche), the towering twin-onion domed steeple church that has served as the symbol of Munich for centuries. Following Mass, we visit the world-famous and lively Hofbrauhaus for lunch and a beer. The remainder of our day is free for personal exploration in Munich's main square, the always festive Marienplatz. Dinner and overnight in Munich.

November 10, 2024 - Sunday MUNICH / ALTÖTTING / OBERNDORF / SALZBURG

Today we journey into the heart of Bavaria and arrive in Altötting, one of Germany's most celebrated shrines and a village whose purpose is pilgrimage. Here we visit and celebrate Mass in the Chapel of Mercy. The chapel houses a 13th century statue of the Blessed Virgin to which numerous miraculous cures are credited. Following some free time to explore the sanctuary's grounds where we will see St. Anne's Basilica, the Church of St. Magdalene, the Church of Sts. Philip and James, the Panorama of the Crucifixion, the Pilgrim Museum and Saint Conrad's Church. In the afternoon we continue on to Salzburg, with a visit to Oberndorf and the Silent Night Chapel, where the famous Christmas carol was written and first performed. Finally, we arrive in Salzburg for dinner and overnight.

November 11, 2024 - Monday SALZBURG

This morning we enjoy a walking tour of Salzburg, the birthplace of the famous composer of Classical music; Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart., passing through Mirabell Gardens en route to the Cathedral, where we celebrate Mass. Following free time for lunch and shopping, we enjoy a panoramic tour of the surrounding areas of Salzburg, we relive the true story of the von Trapp family which was filmed as the "Sound of Music" in and around Salzburg. The tour will include both an historic city tour and a journey into its lakes and mountains area, the breathtaking

Salzkammergut. Dinner and overnight in Salzburg.

November 12, 2024 - Tuesday SALZBURG / VIENNA

Today we drive to Vienna, Austria's capital. Upon our arrival in Vienna, we enjoy a motor coach tour of the city, followed by free time for lunch and shopping. Later in the afternoon we will visit and celebrate Mass in Saint Stephen's Cathedral, housing the miraculous image of Our Lady of Mariapocs. We will also visit the Imperial Palace, also known as the Hofburg Palace. Our day concludes with a visit to St. Michael's Church, prior to arriving at our hotel for check-in. Dinner and overnight in Vienna.

November 13, 2024 - Wednesday VIENNA / MARIAZELL / MELK

Today we enjoy a day-trip outside Vienna, beginning with a visit to Mariazell, the most visited Marian Shrine in Central Europe, nestled high atop the Alpine Mountains. Here we will visit and celebrate Mass in the Mariazell Basilica, where we will see the miraculous statue of the Virgin Mary housed in the Chapel of Miracles. Following a visit to the shrine's gift shop, we enjoy free time for lunch and personal time in this charming town. We depart Mariazell and drive to the famous Melk Abbey, rising above the banks of the Danube River. At over 900 years old, the Melk Abbey is one of the finest religious sites in Austria where black robed monks still stroll amidst marble sculptures and frescoed walls. We return to our hotel to freshen up before this evening's dinner at Wiener Rathauskeller restaurant prior to arriving at Auersperg Palace for a memorable performance of the best compositions of Mozart & Strauss by the Vienna Orchestra. Overnight in Vienna.

November 14, 2024 - Thursday VIENNA / WASHINGTON

This morning we transfer to Vienna International Airport for our flight home. Though our pilgrimage draws to a close, its blessings will last a lifetime and its graces are certain to draw us closer each day to the Lord.