

Fr. Raymund Ellorin
invites you to join him on a 14-day pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Jordan, and Istanbul

Nov. 8-21, 2023

Tour 31108

\$4,499 + \$699* from San Francisco
Early registration price per person if deposit is paid by 7-31-23

Base price \$4,599 + \$699* after 7-31-23

**Estimated Airline Taxes & Fuel Surcharges are subject to increase/decrease at ticketing*

TERMS AND CONDITIONS / TOUR CONTRACT

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TOUR PRICE: Based on tariffs and currency exchange rates in effect on 3/2/2023 and subject to change without notice should there be a revision in rates prior to departure of tour. The tour price is based on a minimum of 21 passengers. Should there be fewer, there could be a surcharge.

ACCOMMODATIONS: In first class hotels or better, based on double or triple occupancy with private facilities. Single-room supplement is \$119 per night and based on availability. **Requests for a roommate are assigned on a first-come, first served basis and are not guaranteed.** The single-room supplement will be assessed if a roommate is not available when the group is finalized.

MEALS: Twelve full hot breakfasts and twelve dinners throughout the basic tour (continental breakfasts in hotels only where full breakfasts are not available). Extra charge for beverage not included in the menu of the day.

TIPS AND TAXES: Those normally appearing on hotel and restaurant bills as "service" are included, as are all governmental and local taxes on hotels and meals. **Airport fees, departure taxes, and fuel surcharges are estimated on the original invoice and adjusted at the time of ticketing.**

SIGHTSEEING: By modern motorcoach, including services of English-speaking guides and entrance fees to places included in the itinerary. Masses at churches indicated are subject to availability.

NOT INCLUDED: ① Airport fees, departure taxes and fuel surcharges (est. - \$699); ② tips to guides, drivers and meal servers (est. - \$15 per day); and ③ optional travel protection. A travel protection flyer will be provided with more information. Also not included: airline baggage fees, luggage handlers, passport and visa fees, laundry, wines, liquors, meals not included in the itinerary, sightseeing or services other than those specifically mentioned and items of a personal nature.

NOTE: Due to limited storage space on motor coaches, Pentecost Tours entitles each passenger to one checked bag and one carry-on bag that meets airline "size/weight" allowances. Baggage fees, overweight baggage charges, and fees for additional bags fall under the responsibility of the passenger. Be aware, while you may agree to pay fees for additional luggage, there may not be room on the motor coach.

ASSISTANCE: Pilgrims who require personal assistance must be accompanied by a paying passenger who will provide that assistance.

DEPOSIT AND CANCELLATION: A deposit of \$500 per person is required to secure reservations, which sum will be applied to the price of the tour, with the **balance to be paid in full no later than 8/8/2023.** Payment of remaining balance received after 8/8/2023 will incur a \$50 penalty and/or a delay in your final travel documents. Reservations made within 92 days of departure may be subject to a late charge.

▶ **[PENALTY PHASE ONE]** In the event of cancellation, refund will be made up to 7/11/2023 with a \$100 administrative fee plus any airline cancellation penalties.

▶ **[PENALTY PHASE TWO]** From 7/11/2023 to 8/8/2023 the cancellation penalty is \$500 plus any airline cancellation penalties.

▶ **[PENALTY PHASE THREE]** If cancellation is received after 8/8/2023 refund will be subject to a minimum 40% cancellation fee plus any airline cancellation penalties, or an amount equal to expenses to the tour operator, whichever is greater.

▶ There will be no refund for cancellations within 65 days of departure.

Credit card processing fees are non-refundable. Cancellation must be in writing and the effective date will be the date that Pentecost Tours, Inc. receives it. In the event 15 passengers do not book the tour within 120 days of departure, the agent reserves the right to cancel the tour. If the entire tour is cancelled by Pentecost Tours, Inc., you are entitled to a full refund.

NOTE: Any change request/alterations to the group flight itinerary, requests for airline deviations and/or added domestic flights, automatically advances into the next penalty level or the current level

whichever is greater. Once the change request/alteration is made, those arrangements are final and can NOT be changed back to the group arrangement.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Round trip San Francisco/Tel Aviv and Istanbul/San Francisco on economy class jet via Turkish or any other IATA member. Based on 6-day minimum/21-day maximum advanced purchase fare, subject to participation of ten persons on entire flight itinerary. If cancellation is effected by passenger after 8/8/2023, or after air tickets are written, whichever comes first, 100% of airfare will be forfeited by passenger in addition to the penalties mentioned above. All airfares are subject to government approval and change without notice.

TRAVEL PROTECTION: Travel Protection is NOT included in the tour price. We suggest that all participants purchase a plan to help protect you and your trip investment. Plans can provide benefits such as Trip Cancellation, Trip Interruption, Emergency Medical and Emergency Evacuation/Repatriation, Trip Delay, Baggage Delay and more. You will be mailed a travel protection flyer along with an enrollment and waiver form. Full terms and details of a travel insurance plan, including limitations and exclusions can be found in the travel insurance plan policy or description for coverage. Please note that Medicare does not provide coverage outside of the United States. Check with your own insurance provider to determine whether or not you are covered outside of the U.S.

RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY: Land arrangements including surface transportation: Pentecost Tours, Inc., and the participating Tour Operators operate the land tours offered under this program only as agents of the railroads, car rental contractors, steamship lines, hotels, bus operators, sightseeing contractors and others that provide the actual land arrangements and are not liable for any act, omission, delay, injury, loss, damage or nonperformance occurring in connection with these land arrangements. Turkish and other IATA carriers, steamship lines and other transportation companies whose services are featured in these tours are not to be held responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their conveyance. The passage contract in use by these companies when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the companies and the purchaser of these tours and/or passage.

TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS: In response to world health initiatives, many countries and airlines are implementing travel requirements that can include, but are not limited to: masks, testing, vaccines, specific documentations, etc. These requirements are the responsibility of each passenger. Passengers must have a valid, working email.

MISCELLANEOUS FEES: All changes must be in writing and may incur a per-person charge for each revision. Deposits received within 92 days of departure may incur a late registration fee.

LAND ARRANGEMENTS: The tour operator reserves the right to change the itinerary because of emergencies or extenuating circumstances beyond our control.

ERRORS: The Pentecost Tours staff does its best to provide you with accurate billing, brochures, etc. However, in the event of computer error, verbal or written human errors, we reserve the right to invoice, re-invoice, or forward corrected materials.

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Hours: Monday-Friday, 9 AM - 5 PM E.S.T.

Day 1: Wednesday, November 8, 2023, SAN FRANCISCO / ISTANBUL

Tour members are welcomed at the San Francisco airport for our departing flight to Istanbul via wide-body aircraft. Meals served on board.

Day 2: Thursday 11/9, ISTANBUL / TEL AVIV / NETANYA

Upon arrival in Tel Aviv, we catch our first glimpses of Israel as we proceed north to Netanya to check in. Dinner and overnight in Netanya. [D]

Day 3: Friday 11/10, NETANYA / CAESAREA / MT CARMEL / TIBERIAS

This morning, we board our motor coach and proceed north to Caesarea on the Mediterranean Sea while viewing the Roman aqueduct and port, Crusader's Moat and the ruins of the ancient amphitheater next to the ocean. It was in Caesarea that Paul was imprisoned, tried, and sent from this Mediterranean harbor to Rome. This afternoon we board our motor coach and proceed to Haifa and stop at the Stella Maris, Our Lady of Mount Carmel and the home of the prophet, Elijah. As we drive to the top of Tiberias we have a splendid view of the city and the Sea of Galilee. We continue into Tiberias to check in at our hotel for dinner and overnight. [B,D]

Day 4: Saturday 11/11, TIBERIAS



MOUNT TABOR

Mt. Tabor, site of the Transfiguration is where we begin today. Then, we head to Cana, the place where Jesus performed his miracle. Couples may renew their wedding vows at the place where Jesus changed the water into wine at the wedding in Cana. From there, we continue a short distance to Nazareth, where Jesus played, grew up amongst the other children of the city, and later worked with

Joseph in carpentry. It is here in the Church of the Annunciation just behind the altar where you can see the grotto that is the room where Mary said "yes" to the angel of the Lord. We visit St. Joseph's carpentry shop, Mary's well, and Church of St. Joseph in Nazareth. We return to our hotel for dinner and overnight. [B,D]

Day 5: Sunday 11/12, TIBERIAS

We venture to Caesarea Philippi, just north of the Sea of Galilee and at the base of Mt. Herman. This was the location where Jesus declared Peter "Rock" and entrusted him with the keys to the kingdom of Heaven. During our visit, we will see one of the three springs that feeds the Jordan River. Next, we

stop in Capernaum. This is the town where Peter lived and within which Jesus made his base of operations for His Galilean ministry. As we visit the ruins of the town you will find out why Jesus focused his ministry here, where ancient Judaism flourished. We will visit the Synagogue where Jesus healed and taught, and also Peter's house. From there, we visit Tabgha, location of the miracle of the loaves and fish-



MOUNT OF BEATITUDES

es and the nearby Church of St. Peter's Primacy. We enjoy a relaxing boat ride on the lovely Sea of Galilee. We conclude our day as we enjoy some tranquil and contemplative time at the Mount of Beatitudes. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias. [B,D]

Day 6: Monday 11/13, TIBERIAS / QSAR EL YAHUD / JERICHO / JERUSALEM

Today we travel south to Qsar El Yahud, the actual site where Jesus was baptized in the River Jordan. We renew our baptismal promises. Next, we visit Jericho, the world's oldest city. From the excavated tel atop the ruins of ancient Jericho, we view the lush green Jordan Valley, Elisha's spring and Qarantal, the Mount of Temptation. We continue on to Jerusalem a brief view of the Model of the City of Jerusalem at Jesus' time and (briefly) visit the Shrine of the Book, where we see the Dead Sea Scrolls on display. Then, we check in at our hotel for dinner and overnight. [B,D]

Day 7: Tuesday 11/14, JERUSALEM

Our motor coach will take us to Ein Karem, birthplace of John the Baptist, and the Church of the Visitation, where Mary uttered the words of the Magnificat. After spending time there, we proceed to Bethlehem to visit the Church of the Nativity, the Manger, the Crusader's Cloister and the Grotto of St. Jerome. We then visit the cave in Shepherd's Field and view the Fields of Boaz. We take time to shop in Bethlehem before we return to our hotel for dinner and overnight. [B,D]

Day 8: Wednesday 11/15, JERUSALEM

Our morning begins with a panoramic view of Jerusalem from the Mount of Olives. We visit the Church of Pater Noster and the Chapel of Ascension. We continue with a walk down the hill to Dominus Flevit Chapel where Jesus wept over Jerusalem. Then, we visit the Garden of Gethsemane. Beside the garden is the Church of All Nations, built over the location where Jesus endured his Agony, and the Grotto of the Apostles (known to us as the grotto of betrayal and the arrest of Jesus). Next, we visit the tomb of the Virgin Mary and ask that she wrap her protective mantle around us and thank her for her most

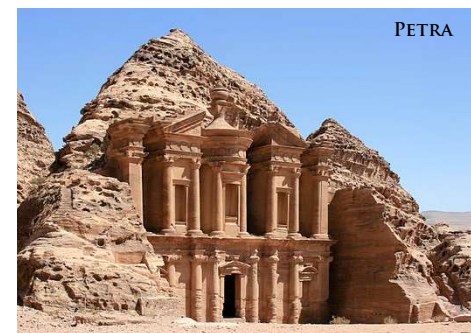
precious gift...our Lord, Jesus Christ. Next, we visit the beautiful Church of St. Peter of Gallicantu (The Cock Crows), location where Jesus was held in the house of the High Priest Caiaphas. We enter the Old City through the Zion Gate and see the Cardo and the remains of Nehemiah's Wall on the way to the Western (Wailing) Wall. We view, in passing, the Dome of the Rock on the Temple Mount and then visit the Southern Steps. We visit the Davidson Center and visit the Church of St. Anne and the Pool of Bethesda. We return to our hotel for dinner and overnight. [B,D]

Day 9: Thursday 11/16, JERUSALEM

Early this morning, we prayerfully follow the Via Dolorosa (Stations of the Cross) through the old city to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, where we pray on top the Rock of Calvary and inside the Lord's tomb. After Mass, we return to our hotel for breakfast. Our next stop will be a visit Pilate's Judgment Hall, the Chapel of Flagellation, Lithostrotos, and the Arch of Ecce Homo ("Behold the Man") and the Convent of the Sisters of Zion. We proceed from there to the New City of Jerusalem to Mount Zion, the Upper Room, the tomb of King David and Dormition Abbey. We cross the Kidron Valley, pass the tombs of Absalom, Zechariah and St. James, on our way to the Pool of Siloam. The Pool of Siloam is the reservoir to which Jesus sent the blind man to wash his eyes; his vision was miraculously restored. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem. [B,D]

Day 10: Friday 11/17, JERUSALEM / ALLENBY BRIDGE / PETRA

Today we depart Jerusalem and cross the Allenby Bridge into Jordan. We proceed to Petra, the Nabatean city and new wonder of the world. Rediscovered in 1812, Petra earned its nickname because the city is largely carved in colored sandstone. From the El Ji Post, we pass through the Siq (natural gorge) to visit the treasury, theater, Royal Tombs of the Umm/Silk, Corinthian and the Palace, and other amazing sites as we travel on foot back through the siq. Those who wish to skip this part of the journey are free to sit back and enjoy the scenery until the others return. Today's journey concludes as we check in at our hotel in Petra for dinner and overnight. [B,D]



PETRA

Day 11: Saturday 11/18, PETRA / MADABA / MT NEBO / AMMAN

After breakfast, we travel to the Roman Byzantine town of **Madaba (biblical Medeba)**, the city of fruit and water. We visit the **Greek Orthodox St. George Church to view the mosaic map of Jordan, Jerusalem and Egypt**. We spend some time at **Mount Nebo**, the location where Moses saw the Promised Land. Moses spent his final days and was laid to rest here. Then, we visit the sanctuary at Nebo. This is one of the most revered holy sites of Jordan. We check in at a hotel by the Amman airport for dinner and overnight. **[B,D]**

Day 12: Sunday 11/19, AMMAN / ISTANBUL

Today we depart Jerusalem and **fly into Istanbul, Turkey**. Istanbul was the capital of the Byzantine Empire under the names of Constantinople and Byzantium. First, we will stroll through **Hippodrome Square**, the former sporting and social center of Constantinople that hosted chariot races during the Roman period. Afterwards, we are off to witness the incredible majesty and splendor of the **Sultan Ahmet Mosque**. Popularly known as the Blue Mosque, this 17th century Ottoman sanctuary is adorned with six minarets and more than 20,000 hand-painted Iznik tiles. And then we will walk directly across from the mosque to visit the domed masterpiece of the **Hagia Sophia**. Today's journey concludes as we check into our hotel for dinner and overnight. **[B,D]**

Day 13: Monday 11/20, ISTANBUL



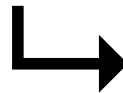
Today we enjoy the **Grand Bazaar**, the massive covered market that houses a labyrinth of streets lined with shops selling jewelry, leather products and many other handcrafted souvenirs. This evening we gather for a **farewell dinner**. Overnight in Istanbul. **[B,D]**

Day 14: Tuesday, November 21, 2023, ISTANBUL / SAN FRANCISCO

Today we make the long journey home. Our journey offered our mind and soul a treasure trove of memories inspired by God's majestic landscape and a world we explore one pilgrimage at a time.

To Register:

Complete the Registration Form and mail your deposit to Pentecost Tours



Or, call (800) 713-9800 or (812) 933-0730 to pay your deposit over the phone with a credit card.

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Average high and low temperatures to expect: 48-80°F



REGISTRATION FORM

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Enclosed is my/our deposit of \$ _____ (\$500 per person) to reserve _____ seat(s).

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