PILGRIMAGE TO MARIAN SHRINES Walking with Blessed Virgin Mary and the Saints October 1-15, 2024

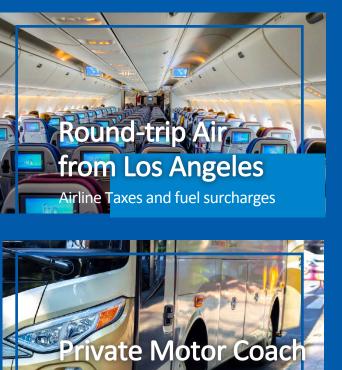
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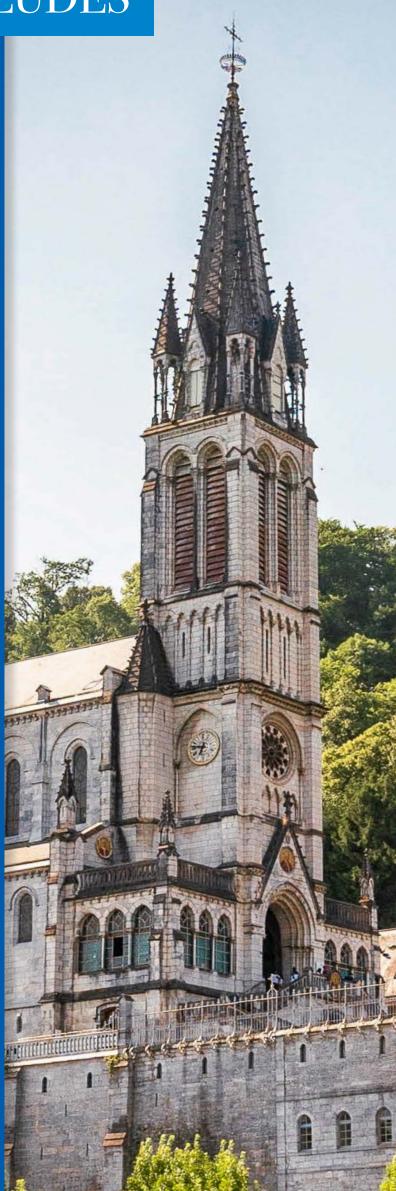






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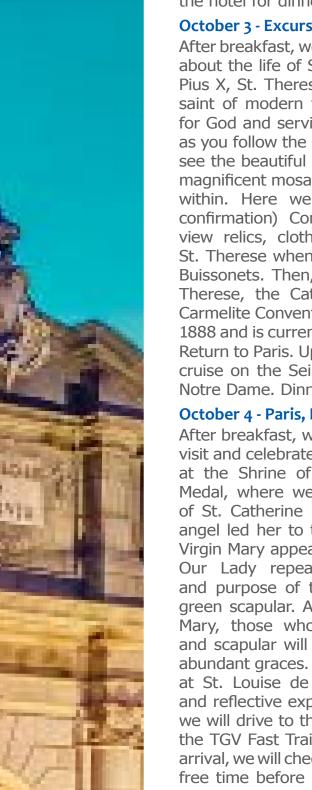
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Not Included:

Insurance, lunches, and items of personal nature Gratuities to tour guide, bus driver local guides and porters at hotel.

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October 1 - Departure

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October 2 - Arrival in Paris

Upon arrival in Paris, we will meet our tour manager, and by private coach, we will reach the city center, where we will enjoy a panoramic tour; Champs Elysée, Tour Eiffel, Opera. Continue to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

October 3 - Excursion to Lisieux

After breakfast, we depart Paris to Lisieux to learn about the life of St. Therese. According to Pope Pius X, St. Therese of Lisieux was the "greatest saint of modern times". Her extraordinary love for God and service to humanity will come alive as you follow the Great Saint's footsteps. We will see the beautiful Basilica of St. Therese and the magnificent mosaics and stained glass contained within. Here we will have Mass (subject to confirmation) Continue for an opportunity to view relics, clothing, and personal objects of St. Therese when we visit her family home, Les Buissonets. Then, we will tour the parish of St. Therese, the Cathedral of St. Peter, and the Carmelite Convent, where St. Therese entered in 1888 and is currently entombed with her parents. Return to Paris. Upon arrival, we will enjoy a river cruise on the Seine River. We will walk outside Notre Dame. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

October 4 - Paris, Lourdes

After breakfast, we will check out. Today, we will visit and celebrate Mass (subject to confirmation) at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, where we will view the incorrupt body of St. Catherine Laboure. The Saint's guardian angel led her to the chapel, where the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to her. During apparitions, Our Lady repeatedly instructed the making and purpose of the Miraculous Medal and the green scapular. According to the Blessed Virgin Mary, those who wear the Miraculous Medal and scapular will receive special protection and abundant graces. Visit St. Vincent de Paul's body at St. Louise de Marillac. After your prayerful and reflective experience at this elegant chapel, we will drive to the train station. Today, we take the TGV Fast Train from Paris to Lourdes. Upon arrival, we will check into our hotel and enjoy some free time before participating in the candlelight processional (dates and time permitting). Return to hotel for dinner and overnight.

October 5 - Lourdes

Today, we begin with mass at the Grotto of Massabielle, where our Lady appeared to Bernadette in 1858. Later, we take our official group photo in front of the Basilica, followed by our guided tour of Lourdes: The Sanctuary of the Basilica of St. Pius X, the world's largest underground church. The Basilica, The Baths, where thousands of miraculous cures have taken place, is France's most respected shrine and sanctuary. Also to be visited are sites associated with the life of Saint Bernadette, like the Boly Millwhere she was born; the Locale Mill - residence of her parents; the Cachot - formerly used as a jail where she lived at the time of the Apparitions; the Chapel - where she received her first Holy Communion; and the Parish Church containing the baptismal font where she was baptized. We will have some free time before returning

to our hotel for dinner and overnight. After dinner participate in the candlelight processional.

October 6 - Lourdes, Montserrat, Barcelona

After breakfast and check out, we will depart Lourdes and drive over the Pyrenees to Montserrat, home to the Benedictine monastery set in the Montserrat mountain range, here we will have Mass (subject to confirmation). Pilgrims worldwide flock to this monastery to view its magnificent architecture in such a striking setting. This shrine has attracted pilgrims for over 700 years, much as it did Ignatius of Loyola in March 1522. We pause here to visit the Black Madonna of Montserrat, probably Spain's most fervent devotion to the Blessed Mother. Dinner and overnight.

October 7 - Barcelona, La Sagrada Familia

This morning, we head to the most famous Holy Family church, La Sagrada Familia. La Sagrada Familia is an unfinished Catholic basilica in Barcelona designed by the celebrated Art Nouveau architect Antoni Gaudi. We enjoy a full guided tour of the Basilica before we celebrate Mass. We will then continue to Park Guell before we head to La Rambla for free time and shopping before we return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

October 8 - Barcelona, Zaragoza

This morning, we depart Barcelona and head towards Zaragoza, where we will have the opportunity to visit the Magnificent Basilica del Pilar built upon the site of Our Lady's appearance to St. James. Here we will have Mass (subject to confirmation). In 44 A. D., St. James the Great spread the Gospel in Spain, made little progress, and questioned his mission. According to Catholic Tradition, the Virgin Mary, who was still living in Jerusalem, bi-located and appeared to St. James the Great to boost his morale. While inside the Basilica, you will view the pillar carried by angels and from where Our Lady appeared. Following the Basilica del Pilar visit, we will visit La Seo Cathedral (Cathedral of Zaragoza). Formally known as the Church of San Vicente during the Visigoth period, it contains architectural elements of Gothic, Mudejar, Renaissance, and Baroque styles. We will then continue to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

October 9 - Zaragoza, Madrid

Early morning departure and drive to Madrid. Upon arrival, we enjoy a panoramic city bus tour, including Gran Via, Plaza de España, Puerta de Alcala, and Puerta de Sol). We will visit the Cathedral of Almudena and Celebrate Mass—time at leisure for personal activities. Check-in at the hotel, dinner and overnight.

October 10 - Avila, Leon

After breakfast, we check out and drive to Avila. Meet local guides and visit the sites related to the life of St. Teresa: the Cathedral and the Convent of St. Teresa, where there are the relics of St. Teresa and St. John of the Cross. Then, we will go to the Monastery of Encarnation to visit and Celebrate Mass – Then we continue our journey to the city of Leon, where we will spend the night. Check-in at the hotel, dinner and overnight.

October 11 - Leon, Santiango de Compostela,

This morning, we will check out and drive to Santiago de Compostela, where, upon arrival, we will meet the local guide to begin our visit of Santiago de Compostela, one of the most famous shrines in the world, where the tomb of St. James (brother of St. John the Divine) was discovered. St. James was tasked with spreading Christianity in the distant Hispanic lands and is known as the first pilgrim. Since



the discovery of the tomb, numerous miracles have occurred here, and every year, thousands of faithful gather on July 25 to celebrate Feast Day. We visit the Cathedral of St. James, here, we will have Mass (subject to confirmation), one of Europe's finest examples of architecture. As pilgrims, we have the opportunity to climb the stairs behind the high altar to visit the crypt where the relics of St. James are preserved, touch the central pillar (Portico de La Gloria), view the 'botafumeiro' and admire the wealth of medieval art inside the Cathedral, before visiting the cloister museum. Enjoy a stroll on the beautiful streets of Santiago de Compostela, the city of the apostle, full of historical buildings and others. Dinner and overnight.

October 12 - Santiago de Compostela, Fatima

After breakfast, we will check out and drive towards Portugal. We will reach Fatima early afternoon and check in at our hotel. We visit the Chapel of the Apparitions, the Basilica, and the tombs of Francisco, Jacinta, and Sr. Lucia. We visit also the Monument to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. In Aljustrel and Valinhos, we will see the two homes of the little shepherds and the site of the first and third visit of the "Angel of Peace". We stop at the Parish Church and the cemetery where Francisco and Jacinta were once buried. Celebrate Mass. After dinner, we join the nightly candlelight procession.

October 13 – Fatima

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Today, we will spend the day in Fatima and join the celebration for the apparition anniversary. In the afternoon, we will travel to Lisbon. Here, we will have a panoramic city tour- of the beautiful city with the type of architecture in their monasteries, churches, and monuments found only in Portugal. We will learn more about the Manueline architecture- San Jeronimo Monastery built in Thanksgiving for the successful journey of Vasco de Gama, the explorer Admire, and Picture stop - Belem Tower at the mouth of the Tagus River, which was initially conceived as a lighthouse but served as a fortification for the city. Picture stop at the monument of discoveries. Visit the Church of St Anthony, the place where he was born. We will have mass in Fatima (place and time are subject to confirmation). Return to Fatima for dinner and overnight. Join the nightly candlelight procession.

October 14 - Santarem and Lisbon

Today, we will depart Fatima to Lisbon. Upon arrival, we meet the local guide to visit the capital of Portugal. As a first thing, we will stop for a good breakfast and take the opportunity to taste the famous Pastel de nata, a Portuguese egg custard tart pastry dusted with cinnamon. We will then meet the local guide for a panoramic city tour, including St. Geronimo's Monastery (from outside) and the Belem Tower. Continue to the old part of the city to visit the Basilica of St. Anthony of Padua. Break for lunch, enjoy leisure time in the pedestrian area, continue to Santarem, visit the Eucharistic Miracle church, and celebrate Mass. Return to Fatima for overnight.

October 15 - Departure

Transfer to the airport for flight back home.

DEADLINES & PAYMENTS

PAYMENT INFORMATION

A deposit of \$350.00 plus Insurance is required per person at the time of registration. (Insurance is optional and will be given to you as soon as prices are confirmed by the carrier). The final payment is due on or before July 3, 2024.

Travel Protection Premium Amount: To be eligible for the waiver of preexisting medical condition exclusion, the protection plan must be purchased by July 3, 2024. Rates subject to change by provider. All prices quoted on this flyer are based on current airfare prices and land arrangements including hotels and based on the present rate of exchange of the country to visit and are subject to change without notice.

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If and when obtaining a single supplement, the cost of travel protection may change.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

*A 3.5% surcharge will be added to all credit/debit card transactions, the cost of travel protection may change.

REGISTRATIONS AFTER FINAL PAYMENT DATE

Registrations are welcome after final payment date, they will incur an additional fee based on air availability. Additional fees will be advised upon registration.

CANCELLATION FEES

120 days or more prior to departure dates
119 to 91 days or more prior to departure dates
90 to 61 days or more prior to departure dates
60 to 31 days or more prior to departure dates
30 days to day of departure or no show
100% of total cost

VALIDITY DATE

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VISA INFORMATION:

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Per Person Premium Rates & Coverages (subject to change)

Trip Cost	.Plan Cost
\$4,501-\$5,000	.\$332**
Cost w/ Single Supplement	.Plan Cost

Schedule of Coverages

Trip Cancellation	100% of trip cost (\$50,000 limit) ¹
Trip Interruption	150% of trip cost (\$75,000 limit)
Trip Delay	\$750 (\$250/day)
Equipment Delay	\$200
Missed Connection	\$750
Baggage & Personal Effects	\$1,000
Baggage Delay	\$250

Maximum Benefit

Schedule of Coverages	Maximum Benefit
Emergency Medical & Dental Expenses \$50,000	(\$500 dental sublimit)
Emergency Evacuation & Repatriations	\$500,000
Accidental Death & Disemberment ²	\$25,000
Travel Assistance & Concierge Services ³	Included

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- (Rates subject to change by provider) Optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure
- Miscellaneous fees such as individual transfers; passports,
- luggage fee with the airline, laundry, lunches, & baggage fees • Gratuities to tour guide, bus driver, local guides & hotel porters

Visa for non-US citizens ACCOMMODATIONS

Price is per person based on double occupancy. Single room/ stateroom supplement has the following additional charges: ^{\$}699. While Adriatic Pilgrimages (AP) will try to match roommates, AP cannot guarantee one will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 35 days prior to departure and, if one is not available, the single room/cabin charge applies.

STATEMENTS OF RESPONSIBILITY

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ABILITY 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 Adriatic Pilgrimages for more details. AP reserves the right to refuse or revoke travel to anyone who is, in the sole judgment of AP, incapable of group travel without causing undue demands upon the staff or other tour participants. Accessible rooms/ cabins are limited and subject to confirmation after receiving the passenger's written request.

PASSPORT INFORMATION:

Passport information must be submitted to our office no later than 120 days prior to departure. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date may result in change fees or denial of travel. Discrepancies in information may result in change fees, delays in receiving travel documents for your trip, or denial of travel. Any fees incurred due to discrepancies are the responsibility of the passenger.

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

to keep prices low, Adriatic Pilgrimages does not order 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. If you make your own air arrangements, you are responsible for booking all needed flights for your travel unless specified otherwise. Contact guest services for further details.

FLIGHT TIMES AND SEATING

All flights are subject to change by the airlines without advance

notice. Adriatic Pilgrimages 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. There is no advance seat selection for groups on most airlines. Early check-in is necessary to secure seats with travel companions and those with special needs. Due to security measures taken at airports, it is advisable to arrive at the airport three hours prior to departure time. Seating is solely under the control of the airlines.

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.adriaticpilgrimages. 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.

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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.

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France, Spain & Fatima

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Do you have **Questions?**

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