

PILGRIMAGE TO HOLY LAND, JORDAN, ITALY

Under spiritual leadership of Father David Roche – Holy Family Parish in Toronto

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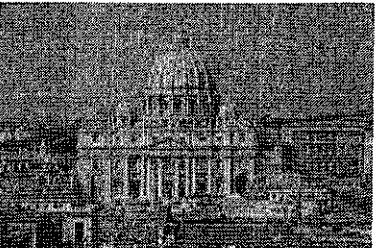
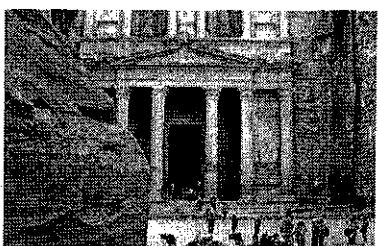
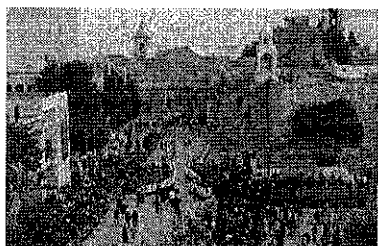
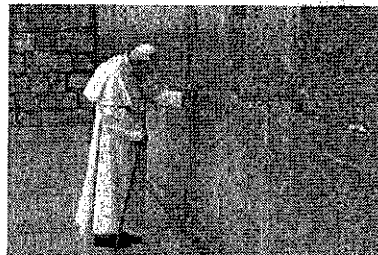
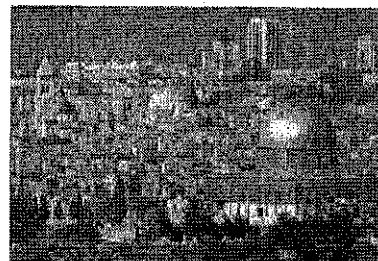
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April 16 - 30, 2012 – 15 days \$3,390.00

- Apr 16 Evening departure from Toronto via Rome to Tel Aviv.
- Apr 17 Upon arrival in Tel Aviv transfer by bus to our hotel in Galilee, time for rest, dinner and overnight.
- Apr 18. After breakfast we depart for Tiberias. We travel by boat on the Sea of Galilee, visit Capernaum, home of St. Peter and the site of Jesus' preaching, then on to Tabha to see the Church of Multiplication with its beautiful 5th century fish mosaic. We also visit the Church of Primacy and celebrate Mass on Mt. of Beatitudes. On our way back to the hotel we stop at the Jordan River where Jesus was baptized. Return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 19 This morning we start our tour in Nazareth where we celebrate Mass at the Basilica of Annunciation, we visit Mary's Well and St. Joseph's carpentry shop. We move on to Cana – the site of Jesus' first miracle. Here we celebrate marriage renewal ceremony. In the afternoon we ascend Mount Tabor – the Mount of Transfiguration. Return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 20 After breakfast we depart to Judea. En route we visit Haifa and Mt. Carmel and in the afternoon we reach Masada, Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered in 1947 and the Dead Sea. Time for swimming before transfer to our hotel in Jericho for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 21 After breakfast we depart to Petra in Jordan. We stop in Wadi Rum, one of the world's outstanding desert landscapes to observe local life and Bedouin culture. This is where the movie "Lawrence of Arabia" was made in 1962. We have a traditional Bedouin lunch in one of their tents. We continue to Petra for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 22 Full day in Petra, world's wonder and Jordan's most valuable treasure. The city was carved into the sheer rock face by Nabataeans, settled 2000 years ago and made an important junction for silk, spice and other trade routes linking China and India with Egypt, Greece and Rome. We visit the Treasury, Monastery and amphitheater. Late afternoon return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 23 Morning departure to Judea. We visit Bethlehem – where Jesus was born, celebrating Christmas Mass in one of the grottos. We visit the Manger, Crusaders' Cloister and the Grotto of St. Jerome – Sheppard's field. Later we continue to Jerusalem for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 24 Full day in Jerusalem. We visit St. Ann's Church, Pool of Bethesda, Pilate's Judgment Hall, the Chapel of Flagellation and the Arch of Ecce Homo, the convent of the sisters of Zion. We continue with the Stations of the Cross – Via Dolorosa to the Holy Sepulchre. Mass will be celebrated in one of the many churches of Jerusalem. We visit the Western Wall, also called the "Wailing Wall". We see the place of the Mosque of Omar and El Aksar. Dinner and overnight.
- Apr 25 Today our tour takes us to the Church of Pater Noster and the Garden of Gethsemane. Later on we continue to Mount Zion with the Upper Room (Room of the Last Supper) and the Church of St. Peter's in Gallicantu. Afternoon some free time for last minute shopping. Dinner and overnight
- Apr 26 After relaxing breakfast we transfer to the airport in Tel Aviv for flight to Rome. Upon arrival transfer by motorcoach to the hotel, dinner and overnight.
- Apr 27 Full day in Rome. In the morning we visit the St. Peter's Basilica, the tomb of Blessed Pope John Paul II and the magnificent Vatican Museum including the Sistine Chapel (entrance fees are included). Afternoon free time for leisure and rest. Dinner and overnight.
- Apr 28 After breakfast our tour takes us to Santa Maria Maggiore, Church of St. Alphonsus Liguori, dedicated to Our Lady of Perpetual Help and the Papal Archbasilica of St. John Lateran with its beautiful baptistry from 5th century. We continue to Forum Romanum and visit the Basilica of St. Peter in Chains where we admire the magnificent sculpture by Michelangelo, the Colosseum and Trevi Fountain. In the afternoon we continue on walking tour to Piazza Navone, Parthenon, Piazza del Popolo and Spanish Steps. Return to the hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 29 In the morning we have Mass at the Oratory at St. Philip's tomb and then attend Papal blessing at the St. Peter's Square. In the afternoon we visit St. Sebastan Catacombs. Return to hotel for dinner and overnight.
- Apr 30 After breakfast we transfer to the airport for direct flight to Toronto. Afternoon arrival in Toronto.



COST \$3,390.00 INCLUDES:

- air transportation, hotel accommodation first class or superior tourist class based on double occupancy – single supplement \$790.00
- 2 meals daily (breakfast and dinner)
- all sightseeing as per itinerary with English speaking guide – all tips in restaurants and hotels.

NOT INCLUDED IN THE TOUR:

- airport taxes and tips to bus driver and guides, meals not specified, insurance, documentation, Jordanian visa.

HOW TO BOOK:

A non-refundable deposit of \$300.00 per person is required at time of booking. Insurance must be purchased at time of booking.

BALANCE OF PAYMENT:

Balance due is payable 45 days prior to departure
For late bookings (within 45 days) full payment is due immediately.

CANCELLATION:

If cancellation is necessary, please advise IHT immediately in writing. Cancellation charges are as follows:
45 days before departure - \$300.00 per person
between 45 and 30 days before departure – 50% of the total cost
30 days or less – 100% of the total cost

IF YOU CHANGE YOUR BOOKING:

A \$25.00 administration charge will be applied for changes you make to your booking outside the 45 days to departure period. Please note that name changes are not allowed and such will be treated as cancellations.

IF IHT CHANGES YOUR BOOKING:

IHT will advise you of any change we feel significantly alters the holiday which you have purchased from us. Occasionally, changes might occur close to departure time. In such cases, you will be notified as soon as possible. Due to circumstances beyond our control, the local tour operator may have to make last minute changes in hotel or schedule. We reserve the right to substitute any of the hotels with hotels in similar or better category. First class twin-bedded rooms with private facilities are used.

UNUSED SERVICES:

No refund or adjustment can be made for any portion of holiday not used.

GOOD VALUE AND EXPECTATIONS:

The Ministry of Consumer Relations requires that Ontarians traveling abroad be advised that they may encounter different living standards and practices than those at home.

FLIGHT CONNECTIONS:

IHT sells holidays from and returning to Toronto only. In the event of a change in our flight times, with or without notice, we cannot accept responsibility for any special connecting fares which you might purchase and which cannot be changed without penalty.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTATION:

A valid Canadian passport is required for all visits outside of Canada. It is the sole responsibility of the passenger to ensure proper and valid documentation. Failure to provide valid documentation may result in denied boarding of the aircraft and cancellation of your flight arrangements without refund. If you are holding a passport other than Canadian, please contact IHT to determine whether or not a visa is required for entry into the country you will be visiting.

BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE:

One piece per person plus a carry-on bag (weighting not more than 5 kg)

FLIGHT TIMES:

All flight times are subject to change with or without prior notice to the passengers or his/her agent. IHT does not accept liability for missed connections or any expenses resulting from an off-schedule, rescheduled or late flight operations.

PRICES:

Prices in this brochure are given in Canadian dollars unless otherwise stated. Prices are correct at the time of going to press. In the event of any changes

beyond IHT control, including but limited to increase in government taxes or levies, IHT reserves the right to surcharge the passenger/s.

LIABILITY:

IHT is a tour operator and has made the advertised holiday arrangements with the airline/s/, hotel/s/, cruise ship/s/, other operator/s/, and other. Each of these organizations has its own specific terms and conditions for doing business and you will be bound by them. IHT accepts no responsibility for: (a) the acts or omissions of any party/ies other than IHT employees, (b) failure by the passenger to be properly documented, (c) failure by the passenger to comply with departure or joining or baggage requirements, (d) aircraft delays, government actions, acts of God or any factors beyond our direct control, (e) cancellation or delay to any tour or holiday or change to the itinerary, (f) expenses resulting from lost or damaged baggage. IHT reserves the right to refuse any person as a member of these tours at its own discretion. IHT reserves the right to cancel any or all departure/s with or without prior notice and IHT sole responsibility shall be to refund all monies paid for such canceled departures. The laws and courts which govern this contract are those of the Province of Ontario.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

When you book your IHT tour, an agreement is made between you and IHT and others who will provide services. Please read carefully the information on this page for it sets out the conditions governing the provisions of these holidays.

INSURANCE:

- Cancellation, medical, baggage, life – available upon request

Registration Form
Tour to Holy Land, Petra and Italy Apr. 16-30, 2012
 Fr. David Roche

Name (exactly as in your passport).....

Address.....

.....Postal code.....

Tel. #: Home:Business:

Cell: E-mail

Do you wish to purchase insurance? Yes..... No

Date of birth: Mo: Day: Year:

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Deposit of \$300.00 per person plus insurance (if desired), date of birth and passport number must accompany each registration.

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