

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia
invites you to a Pilgrimage to Italy for the
JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY
AND MOTHER TERESA'S
CANONIZATION
10 Day Trip



September 1 – September 10, 2016

\$3,495.00 Land and Air

\$2,495.00 Land Only

Single Supplement \$495.00

Price includes bus transportation to the airport.



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DAILY ITINERARY



Thursday, September 01 DAY 1: DEPART U.S.A.

Depart this evening on an overnight flight to Rome.

Friday, September 02 DAY 2: ROME -Welcome to Rome

Welcome to the Eternal City where we are greeted by a Select International tour manager and transferred to the city of Rome. Our first stop is at the Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls for Mass with a prayer of thanks for our safe journey. We see where St. Paul is buried and the crucifix that spoke to St. Bridget of Sweden. We also walk through the Holy Doors, the first of the four on our pilgrimage. Next we visit Tre Fontane where St. Paul was beheaded. Our busy day ends with hotel check-in. We have time to relax before our dinner at the hotel tonight. Overnight in Rome. (D.)

Saturday, September 03 DAY 3: ROME

Early this morning we are transferred to the Vatican for a visit to St. Peter's Basilica. We take the prayerful Jubilee Pilgrimage walk from Castel San Angelo to the Holy Door of St. Peter's Basilica. We pray at the Tomb of Pope St. John Paul II, and have a private tour of the largest Catholic Church in the world. We celebrate private Mass at one of the chapels in the Basilica of St. Peter. Following time for shopping for religious goods and lunch, we walk through the two remaining Holy Doors at the Basilicas of St. Mary Major and St. John Lateran. This completes our goal of walking through all of the four Holy Doors opened in Rome only for the Holy Year of Mercy. We also visit the Holy Stairs. Tonight we enjoy a dinner of pizza and pasta along with wonderful local wine at one of the many trattorias in the city. Overnight in Rome. (B. Special Dinner)

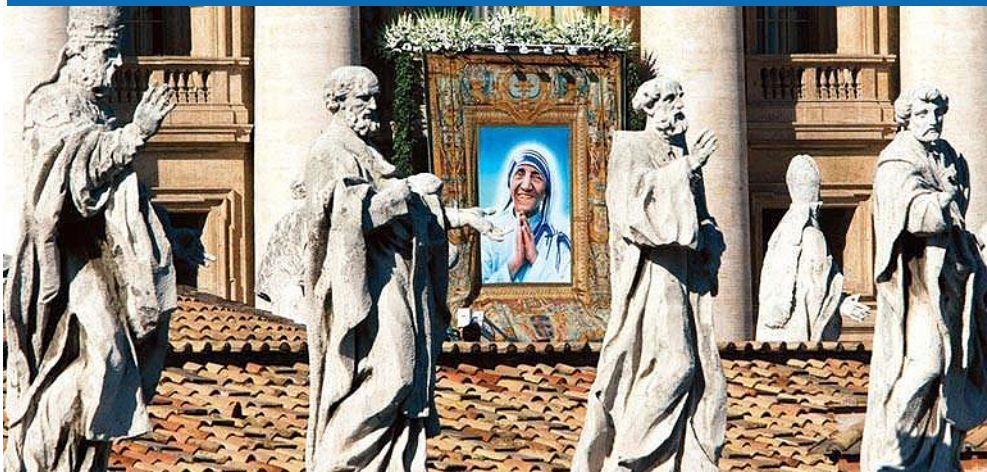
Sunday, September 04 DAY 4: CANONIZATION OF BLESSED MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA and Jubilee for Workers and Volunteers of Mercy

We are at St. Peter's, early with an excellent location to be able to see the events of this historic day as the Holy Father Pope Francis solemnly declares Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta to be a saint with God. Today, we also celebrate Mass dedicated to the Jubilee for Workers and Volunteers of Mercy. Afternoon is at leisure. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight in Rome. (B. D.)

Monday, September 05 DAY 5: ROME- Saint Mother Teresa's Feast Day

This morning we return to St. Peter's Basilica for Mass celebrating Saint Mother Teresa's feast day. Our visit continues with a walking tour of Rome including a view of the Coliseum (outside view), the newly restored Trevi Fountain, Santa Maria Sopra Minerva to see the Tomb of St. Catherine of Siena, co-patroness of Rome and of Italy. We stop for a coffee break at the Grand Hotel Minerva where we enjoy an incredible view of Rome from the rooftop lounge. Our walking tour continues with a visit to the Pantheon, and the marvelous Piazza Navona. Following a festive group lunch, we have time at leisure to explore the center of Rome on our own. Dinner is at leisure. (B. L.)





Tuesday, September 06 DAY 6: ROME - ORVIETO- ASSISI (St. Francis & St. Clare)

This morning we depart for Orvieto. We celebrate Mass at the magnificent Basilica, and see the Miracle of the Eucharist of Bolsena. Enjoy some time at leisure to explore the city, before we meet up for lunch and wine tasting of the famous local wine Ruffino Orvieto Classico. Continue to Assisi to see the Church of Santa Maria Degli Angeli, including the famous Porziuncola, the chapel where St. Francis consecrated St. Clare. Overnight in Assisi. (B. L. D.)

Wednesday, September 07 DAY 7: ASSISI - LANCIANO

This morning we celebrate Mass at one of the chapels at Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi and see the tomb of St. Francis. Our walk through the beautiful town of Assisi takes us to the Basilica of St. Clare, where we view her incorrupt body in the crypt. Our journey continues to Lanciano where we see the Host of Flesh, which is still in one piece and has retained the dimensions of the original. The actual spot of the miracle is located beneath the present day tabernacle in the Church of St. Francis. This is also a pilgrimage place to Our Lady of Mercy. Overnight in San Giovanni. (B. D.)

Thursday, September 8 DAY 8: SAN GIOVANNI (St. Padre Pio) – ST. MICHAEL'S GROTTO

Our day is dedicated to Saint Padre Pio. We honor his work as we visit his tomb, his cell, his confessional, and the Capuchin Monastery of Our Lady of Grace. We will also visit the new Church of Santa Maria Delle Grazie, where we celebrate Mass and the Home for the Relief of the Suffering. In the afternoon, we visit the Grotto of St. Michael the Archangel. Overnight in San Giovanni. (B. D.)

Friday, September 9 Day 9: CASTEL GANDOLFO - FRASCATI WINE REGION

This morning we depart for Castel Gandolfo to see the Papal summer residence and time permitting the Papal Gardens. Following some time at leisure to explore the town, we settle into our hotel where we have a festive farewell dinner accompanied by local wines. Overnight in Frascati. (B. Special dinner)

Saturday, September 10: DAY 10: RETURN TO THE U.S.A.

Transfer to airport for your flight back home. (B.)

YOUR COMPREHENSIVE TOUR INCLUDES

- Round trip airfare from NEWARK or JFK to Rome on United or Alitalia flights
- Airport tax and fuel surcharges (at time of the quote, adjusted based on rates at the time of final invoice)
- Roundtrip bus transportation from the Archdiocese of Philadelphia to the airport
- Participation in the canonization of Mother Teresa ceremony
- Accommodations in first class hotels
- Open hot buffet breakfast daily
- Five hotel dinners
- Two special dinners in restaurants with beverages included
- One lunch in Rome plus lunch with wine tasting in Orvieto
- Beverages are not included unless specified
- Private Air-conditioned bus
- English speaking tour managers
- All admission charges as per the itinerary
- Baggage handling for one suitcase per person only included at the hotels
- Parking fees for buses
- Local hotel taxes
- Select International Tours Travel Portfolio
- Confirmation of daily Mass

RATES DO NOT INCLUDE

- Personal expenses
- Travel and Medical Insurance (highly recommended)
- Meals not noted in the itinerary
- Excess luggage fees (one suitcase per person is included)
- Beverages at meals except where noted
- Items not mentioned in inclusions
- Gratuities for tour manager, driver, local guides, hotel staff, and restaurants (please consult the guidelines we will provide)
- Church offerings

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS: Archdiocese of Philadelphia Pilgrimage to Italy for Canonization of Mother Teresa

Deposits and final payment: A **deposit of \$750.00** per person by check should accompany the registration form along with your optional insurance payment and a copy of your passport picture page by **May 27, 2016. Final payment is due by July 1, 2016.** Late payment fee of \$100.00 applies. Please mail your payment to: **Select International Tours, 85 Park Ave., Flemington, NJ 08822 ATT: Susan Prendergast 800-842-4842, susan@select-intl.com.**

Your passport must be valid at least six month after the date of the trip return. Reservations will not be processed until we have passport copies. Prices quoted are based on cash payments. Cash prices **\$3,495.00** for the complete package, **\$2,495.00** land only (air not included), **\$495.00** single supplement, (in room by yourself). Credit card payments are: **\$3,670.00** for the complete package, **\$2,620.00** for Land Only (air not included), **\$520.00** for single supplement, (in room by yourself). **Airline, seating and special requests:** The seats are assigned by the airlines. We do not reserve specific seats. You may change your seat, provide mileage program information and passenger contact information directly with the airlines once the ticket numbers are received (approximately three weeks prior to departure). All special needs and requests due to medical or dietary restrictions must be requested in writing at least 60 days prior to departure. Business class and premium coach seats are available upon request as are add-ons from your hometown airport.

Single supplement: A limited number of single rooms are available at an additional cost of **\$495.00** per person cash payment. Prices are based on two people per room. We do not guarantee roommates but will do our best to connect you with a possible share.

Land Only Option: **\$2,495.00** per person cash price. Land only services start and end at the hotels, unless you are able to meet the group at the airport, and do not include airfare.

Baggage: Each participant is permitted to check (1) suitcase weighing no more than 50 lbs., and one small carry-on bag on the plane. Airline baggage fees are not included. Please check the specific baggage fees on the

airline website.

Tour Cancellation Policy: **\$350.00 non-refundable. 90-60 days before departure a total of \$750.00 is non-refundable. Within 60 days of departure all payments are non-refundable regardless of reason for cancellations.** All cancellations must be in writing. Unused portions of the trip are not refundable. We strongly urge you to purchase **Trip Cancellation/Travel Insurance** at an additional **\$191.00** per person for **Deluxe Basic Coverage** policy, which provides protection if you need to cancel due to illness or job loss only or **Cancel for Any Reason policy**, which we recommend at **\$291.00** per person, based on trip cost of **\$3,495.00**. Additional details and policy information may be found on our website at: www.selectinternationaltours.com, home page under the useful information tab-insurance. The insurance premium must be received with the deposit.

Pricing: Prices are based on a minimum of 30 passengers traveling & payment by cash or check. Please call for a credit card price. Prices are based on the current exchange rate of 1.20 USD to Euro and subject to recalculation. Deposits must be paid by check. Fuel surcharge and taxes are subject to change at time of final invoicing.

Responsibility: Group Leaders, Archdiocese of Philadelphia and Select International Tours, and or any travel agency and supplier in connection with this travel program are not responsible for any illness, injury or loss to person or property, any delay, inconvenience or extra costs incurred due to the delay or cancellations caused by weather or events beyond anyone's control. Details of the program, hotels, airports and airlines are subject to change based on events beyond the tour company's control. All other terms and conditions are as per our website, **www.selectinternationaltours.com**. Travel documents will be mailed out approximately 3 weeks before departure date.

Shipping & Handling: \$15.00 per person - not included in package price will be added to each invoice. Your invoice will confirm the trip registration.

REGISTRATION/CONSENT FORM:

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Please complete this form and mail it to Select International Tours, along with your deposit, insurance premium, and a copy of your passport picture page.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Land only : ☐ Need help with flights from _____

(Starts/ends at hotel, no airfare)

Medical/Dietary Needs _____

Updates about your trip will be sent by email only. Please be sure that your settings allow for electronic communication originating from susan@select-intl.com

Room: (check one) Single (1 Bed) _____ Double (1 Bed, 2 People) _____ Twin (2 Beds, 2 People) _____ Triple (3 Beds) _____

Name of Roomate(s): _____

Emergency Contact (Name and Phone): _____

Enclosed is a check/money order in the amount of \$ _____ for my initial deposit.

I am purchasing trip cancellation/travel insurance: _____ Yes _____ No, I decline. Enclosed is \$ _____

_____ Deluxe Policy or _____ Cancel For Any Reason Policy

(not available in NY State)

By signing below I consent to any necessary itinerary changes and agree with all Select International Tours & Cruises' TERMS AND CONDITIONS as outlined on this page and on the company website: www.selectinternationaltours.com. I also understand that (SITC) highly recommends purchase of travel insurance for my protection and that any fees associated with this trip cannot be waived for any reason. By declining to purchase travel insurance I assume all financial losses associated with this trip which otherwise would be covered by the travel insurance.

Signature : _____ Date: _____