

October
18-30
2021

The Holy Land & Rome

Pastors Jill and Wayne

YOU are invited to discover the beauty and splendor of our Christian roots as Pastors Jill Bergman and Wayne Skaff along with our guide, Jane BenAri, share in a life-changing experience, as the Word of God comes alive while we walk through the Vatican and ancient Rome, and then onto the land of the Bible. This will be Wayne's 53rd trip to Israel, and 2nd trip with Pastor Jill. We will be visiting many new places and discoveries, so this will be "a trip of a life-time".

MON 10/18 Fly from Minneapolis overnight to Rome.

TUE 10/19 Arrive in Rome in the morning. Spend the afternoon at the Vatican Museum, the Sistine Chapel, and St. Peter's Basilica.

WED 10/20 We will spend the day in the center of Rome, including the Catacombs, the Maritime prison and the famous Coliseum and more.

THUR 10/21 We will fly to Israel, meet our guide Jane BenAri, and travel to the Mediterranean coastal town of Hadera.

FRI 10/22 We drive north to visit Caesarea by the Sea, Meggido, and Nazareth on our way to our hotel on the Sea of Galilee.

SAT 10/23 We will travel by boat to Capernaum to see the site of St. Peter's home, the synagogue where Jesus taught, and on the seashore where he called his disciples to become "fishers of men". We will visit the town of Magdala (Mary of Magdala), where Jesus taught in the newly discovered synagogue.

SUN 10/24 We will head to Caesarea Philippi, where Peter said to Jesus "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God", with its beautiful nature preserves, and see a 4000-year-old gate at the ancient city of Dan.

MON 10/25 We drive through the Jordan Valley, to Jericho, with affirmation of baptisms at the traditional site of the baptism of Jesus. Overnight at the Dead Sea.

TUE 10/26 We ascend in a cable car to the top of Masada, where the Jewish people made their last stand against the Romans in 70 AD. We visit Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found, and end our day at the Mt. of Olives in Jerusalem.

WED 10/27 We will begin our day at the Garden of Gethsemane, have a time of prayer in the dungeon below Caiaphas's house, and spend the afternoon in Bethlehem visiting the Church of the Nativity and the Shepherd's fields.

THUR 10/28 We will begin our day with a time for prayer at the Western Wall, and the Southern steps to the Temple Mount. The afternoon will be spent at the City of David, Hezekiah's Tunnel and the Pool of Salome.

FRI 10/29 We will visit the Shrine of the Book, with the Dead Sea Scrolls. We will conclude our time in the Holy Land with a day in the Old City of Jerusalem, walking the Via Delarosa, and ending up with a communion service at the Garden Tomb. We take an overnight flight back home, arriving home Saturday morning.

WHO

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The entire cost for the 13-day trip is \$4999. * The tour includes round trip airfare from Minneapolis, 4-star hotels with double occupancy, breakfast and dinner daily, a deluxe tour bus, entrance fees and Israeli guide, Jane Ben Ari. The cost does not include lunches, airport taxes, gratuities, and personal purchases. Single rooms are available at an additional cost of \$945.

DEPOSIT: \$500 pp (Send as soon as possible to reserve a seat.)

FINAL PAYMENT DUE: June 12, 2021

*Cancellations before 5/1/2021 will receive a 100% refund.

Cancellations between 5/1/2021 and 6/12/2021 will receive a refund, less \$100.

Cancellations after 6/12/2021 will receive a refund only if the monies paid to hotels, airlines and tour operators are recoverable.

All monies are kept in a separate escrow account.

*The price of the this trip is based on a minimum of 20 people is subject to change, based on the size of the group or a change in the costs that are beyond control.

Don't Miss out! We have limited # of seats.

HEALTH AND SAFETY CONCERNS

You will be walking in many beautiful areas in Israel, so it is important that you are physically able to keep up with the group. If you have any questions about this, contact Wayne. This will be Wayne's 53rd trip to Israel. With his experience and hospitality, you will be well cared for.

Your safety is of utmost concern. Not one participant on these guided tours to Israel has been injured in the last 25 years.

PAYMENTS

Deposits and final payments can be made by MAIL:

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Checks payable to Skaff Development. Please include your email address for monthly updates.

QUESTIONS

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