

ON THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE APOSTLES & EVANGELISTS

MAY 12 TO 23 - 2024

Escorted by:
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12 MAY - CANADA TO ITALY

Depart from Canada, to Venice, Italy with Air Canada.

13 MAY - VENICE / PADUA / VENICE

Arrival, transfer to the hotel. In the afternoon travel to Padua to visit to Saint Justina Church, for celebration of mass and visit to the remains of St Luke the Evangelist. Visit to St Anthony Shrine. Return to Venice at the hotel for dinner and overnight.

14 MAY - VENICE

After breakfast, pick up at the hotel for a full day in Venice. Boat ride to visit St Mark's Basilica where the remains of St Mark the Evangelist are located. Celebration of mass at the Church of San Geremia and Santa Lucia, where Santa Lucia is buried. Free time for shopping, Return to hotel for dinner and overnight.

15 MAY - VENICE / BOLOGNA / LORETO

After breakfast depart to Bologna for the visit and celebration of mass at the beautiful Sanctuary of the Madonna di San Luca, containing the famous painting/relic "Madonna di San Luca" a painting attributed to St Luke. Continue to Loreto for dinner and overnight.

16 MAY - LORETO / LANCIANO / SAN GIOVANI ROTONDO

After breakfast depart to visit the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Loreto and celebration of mass. Continue to Lanciano to visit the Church of Saint Frances and the famous Eucharistic Miracle of Lanciano. Continue to San Giovanni Rotondo for dinner and overnight.

17 MAY - SAN GIOVANI ROTONDO / MONTE SANT ANGELO / SAN GIOVANI ROTONDO

After breakfast depart for the visit to the Church of Santa Maria delle Grazie, and visit to the Choir and Convent including the cell of St Padre Pio. Padre Pio was born in Pietrecina on 25 May 1887. He entered as a cleric in the Capuchin Order on 6 January 1903 and was ordained as a priest on 10 August 1910, in the cathedral of Benevento. On July 28 1916 he moved to San Giovanni Rotondo where he remained until his death on the 23 September 1968. On the morning of Friday, 20 September 1918, praying before the Crucifix in the choir of the old church, he received the gift of the stigmata, that remained in his body, fresh and bleeding, for half a century. Continue to Padre Pio's Shrine and Padre Pio's Tomb. Afternoon departure to Monte San Angelo, mass to be celebrated in the Grotto where Archangel Michael Appeared. Return to San Giovanni Rotondo for for dinner and overnight.

18 MAY - SAN GIOVANI ROTONDO / SALERNO

After breakfast - time permitting visit Padre Pio's Tomb once more, depart to Salerno afternoon visit to the historic center of Salerno, including the Cathedral, celebration of Mass and visit the remains of the Apostle and Evangelist St. Mathew. Check in at the hotel for Dinner and overnight.



19 MAY - SALERNO / TOWN OF AMALFI / AMALFI COAST / POMPEI / MONTE CASINO

After breakfast depart to the town of Amalfi, Pentecost mass to be celebrated at the Cathedral of St Andrew, visit the Tomb of the Apostle St Andrew. Depart for the panoramic drive of the Amalfi Coast and on to visit Pompei. Continue to Monte Casino for dinner and overnight.

20 MAY - MONTE CASSINO / ROME

Breakfast and departure to visit Monte Cassino Abbey, celebration of mass, visit the remains of St. Benedict & his sister St. Scholastica, continue to Rome, visit the Basilica of St Paul outside of the walls, where the remains of Apostle St Paul are buried. Check in at the hotel dinner and overnight.

21 MAY - ROME

Immediately after breakfast depart for a full day visit to the Vatican and Rome, starting with the Basilica of St Peter where the remains of the Apostle St Peter are buried. Continue for the visit of the Cathedral of Rome, San Giovanni in Laterano, Scala Santa or the Holy Steps, mass at Basilica of the Holy Cross in Jerusalem, return to hotel for overnight (Dinner not included).



22 MAY - ROME

Depart the hotel for the Papal Audience, afternoon visit to Santa Maria Maggiore (one of the seven pilgrim churches), Trevi Fountain, Spanish Steps (Scalinata di Trinità dei Monti) and The Basilica of the Apostle St. Bartholomew on the Island, celebration of mass. Return to hotel for dinner and overnight.

23 MAY - ROME / CANADA

After breakfast depart to the airport for the flight home.



PRICE DETAILS FROM WINNIPEG, MB, CANADA:

Price p/person in double room: CAD \$5,275.00!

Minimum # of passengers 35 - Single supplement CAD \$450.00
Payment by cheque, cash or credit card (Add 4% if paying by CC)

Deposit of \$850.00 at time of booking (non refundable)

Final payment 15 MARCH 2024

Limited Seats



FROM: TORONTO -\$250 -- MONTREAL +\$175 -- CALGARY +250 -- EDMONTON +\$300

► PACKAGE INCLUDES

- × Round trip Air from Toronto to Venice, return from Rome to Toronto with Air Canada.
- × Accommodation in first class hotels, Breakfast daily and 9 Dinners.
- × All sightseeing as per itinerary and all transfers in a deluxe motor coach bus.
- × All entrance fees, Boat taxi in Venice and Boat to Amalfi town.
- × Professional guides and tour director.
- × Taxes (including Airport taxes), and service charges.
- * Tips for drivers and guides

► **NOT INCLUDED:** Travel Insurance: Cancellation & Medical, anything else not listed.

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