DIOCESE OF GAYLORD JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO

ITALY

WITH FR. MATTHEW WIGTON

NOVEMBER 4-13, 2025





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Otinerary

Day 1 Tuesday, November 4

Depart USA

Depart on overnight flights to Rome, Italy.

Day 2 Wednesday, November 5 📥

Arrival | Assisi

Upon arrival in Rome, meet your local Italian tour manager who will be with you throughout the pilgrimage. Board your luxury motor coach and travel to Assisi. Celebrate Mass at the Basilica of St. Mary of the Angels Porziuncola, then gather for a group welcome dinner. Overnight in Assisi.

Day 3 Thursday, November 6 👱

Assisi

Celebrate Mass at the tomb of St. Francis, followed by a visit to the rose garden and cave where St. Francis retired to pray. See Capella del Transito, the place of St. Francis' death, then enjoy time on your own exploring the area. Continue with guided visits of the Basilica and the Church of St. Clare, along with a visit to the tomb of Blessed Carlo Acutis. Experience local cuisine on your own and overnight in Assisi.

Day 4 🛛 Friday, November 7 👱

Assisi | La Verna

Embark early morning on a day trip to La Verna. Visit Citta di Castello enroute, then celebrate Mass at the Monastery of St. Veronica Giuliani in Citta di Castello. Spend time at the Franciscan Sanctuary in La Verna before returning to Assisi.

Day 5 Saturday, November 8 👱

Assisi

Celebrate Mass at San Damiano, then enjoy a day of leisure in the City of Peace. If desired, visit the Hermitage of Carceri or spend time shopping and strolling throughout the town. In the evening, indulge in a delightful culinary adventure, sampling regional specialties like olive oil, truffles, Norcia sausage, and cheeses. Overnight in Assisi.



Day 6 Sunday, November 9 👱 📥

Orvieto | Rome

Depart for Orvieto to celebrate Mass at the Duomo, followed by a tour with time to pray in the Chapel of the Eucharistic Miracle. Continue to Rome for hotel check-in and time to freshen up before gathering for a group dinner. Overnight in Rome.

Day 7 Monday, November 10 👱

The Holy Doors

Tour and celebrate Mass at St. Peter's Basilica, then process through the Holy Doors. Visit St. Paul Outside the Walls, St. Mary Major, St. John in Lateran, and Basilica of the Holy Cross, completing a procession through the Holy Doors of the four major basilicas. See the Holy Stairs, and then enjoy evening leisure time. Overnight in Rome.

Day 8 Tuesday, November 11 👱 📥

Trevi Fountain | Spanish Steps | Catacombs

Experience a panoramic tour of the Basilica di Santa Maria in Ara Coeli, Circus Maximus, Piazza Venezia, and the Colosseum. Celebrate Mass at the St. Andrew of the Woods, followed by a tour of the Trevi Fountain, Spanish Steps and Pantheon. Visit Piazza Navona, experiencing a panoramic view from Piazza Garibaldi, along with St. Callixtus Catacombs. Conclude the day with a special group farewell dinner.

Day 9 🛛 Wednesday, November 12 👱

Papal Audience | Vatican Museums & Sistine Chapel

Join the Wednesday morning Papal Audience in St. Peter's Square. Enjoy a guided tour of the Vatican Museums and the Sistine Chapel, where you will view some of the most inspiring works of art, including Michelangelo's magnificent fresco of the Last Judgement. Celebrate Mass at the Basilica of di Santa Maria Sopra Minerva, housing the tomb of St. Catherine of Siena. The remainder of the day is yours to explore the city and local cuisine. Overnight in Rome.

Day 10 Thursday, November 13 👱

Depart Italy

Transfer to the airport and your return flight to the USA.



TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Eight nights' accommodations at four-star hotels
 - Four nights in Assisi
 - Four nights in Rome
- Continental breakfast daily
- Three dinners with wine, including a welcome and farewell dinner
- · Luxury motor coach for airport transfers in Italy and specified sightseeing
- · Local, Catholic tour manager while in Italy
- Local guides
- Sightseeing and entrance fees
- Arrangements of daily Mass, including donations in unique and historic churches
- · Hotel and city taxes, plus porterage for one piece of luggage
- Gratuities payable to local tour manager, guides, and drivers

YOUR TOUR DOES NOT INCLUDE

- · Airfare; this package is sold land only
- · Airport transfers for travelers on independent flights
- Tour manager from the USA
- Meals unless specifically identified
- · Beverages with meals unless specified
- Other personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- · Items not specifically mentioned above

EXCITING DETAILS TO COME!

- "Tour Confirmation" Email | Sent when the minimum number of travelers has been met and no later than 90 days prior to departure
- Flight Information Email | Sent 90 days prior to departure
- Hotel Information Email | Sent 45 days prior to departure
- Final Travel Document Mailing | Sent 10 days prior to departure

prices starting at **\$4,399***

per person, double occupancy

*This price reflects a \$200 per person Early Booking Discount for deposits received before November 8, 2024 and an \$135 per person Check Discount for those paying the remaining balance by check after the initial deposit.

SINGLE SUPPLEMENT + \$1,300

TRAVEL PROTECTION: Cancel For Any Reason (CFAR) travel protection is highly recommended. <u>www.travelinsured.com/</u> agency?agency=47907

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS? REVIEW OUR FAQS

By registering for this tour you understan and agree to Corporate Travel's Terms & Conditions. <u>www.ctscentral.net/corporate</u>

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

- **Deposit:** \$500 per person due upon registration
- Second Deposit: \$1,250 additional due on or before June 7, 2025
- Final Payment: Balance due on or before August 6, 2025

CANCELLATION POLICY:

All cancellations must be received in writing. Payments are non-refundable and subject to CTS Terms and Conditions, including the CTS Liability Release.

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