

Israel 2027

MARCH 8-19



"IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS" 12-Day Tour in Israel
Led by Pastor Jeff Maness

Land Only: \$4,560 pp | Single Supplement: \$1,999 pp

Register at www.faithbasedexpeditions.com | Enter Tour Code - **HC327JM**



CAESAREA MARITIMA



NAZARETH VILLAGE

TOUR ITINERARY

DAY 1

MONDAY, MARCH 8 | DEPART USA FOR TEL AVIV, ISRAEL

The group departs for Tel Aviv, Israel. Dinner served on the overnight flight from the USA.

DAY 2

TUESDAY, MARCH 9 | ARRIVE IN TEL AVIV, ISRAEL

In Tel Aviv, the group will be met at the airport and assisted with arrival procedures. Dinner and overnight beside the beautiful Mediterranean Sea in Tel Aviv.

Meet & Greet

- Following dinner (around 7:30 pm) the group will gather in the hotel meeting room for a brief time of teaching and worship, and to learn some important information concerning the tour.

Dinner

DAY 3

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10 | CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN COAST / JEZREEL VALLEY / SEA OF GALILEE

Travel north along the Mediterranean shore through the lush Jezreel Valley to the Sea of Galilee. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

Caesarea Maritima

- View extensive ruins of an ancient port city built by King Herod and seat of the Roman governors
- Where Peter proclaimed the Good News to the Roman centurion (Acts 9 & 25)

Mt. Carmel

- Where Elijah prayed, and God defeated 450 prophets of Baal with fire from heaven (1 Kings 18)

Nazareth Village

- Open-air museum which recreates and depicts life in a Galilean village during the time of Jesus Christ

Mt. Precipice

- Site of where the angry mob attempted to push Jesus off the cliff, but he passed through the crowd and went on his way, (Luke 4:16-30)

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



MT. CARMEL



MT. PRECIPICE



DAY
4

THURSDAY, MARCH 11 | SEA OF GALILEE

Enjoy the panoramic view of the Jezreel Valley while visiting Mt. Tabor. Then walk “in the footsteps of Jesus” along the Sea of. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

Capernaum

- Base of Jesus’ early ministry (Mark 1:21, Luke 4:31, John 6:59)
- Home of Peter (Mark 1:29-31)
- Site of many healings (Mark 1:29-31, Matthew 4:12-25)

Mt. Tabor

- Site of the Transfiguration of Jesus (Matthew 17:1-9, Mark 9:2-8, Luke 9:28-36)

Peter’s Primacy

- Where Jesus appeared to His disciples after his resurrection (John 21:1-14) and commanded Peter to “feed and tend” His flock (John 21:1-19)

Sea of Galilee

- Board a replica “Jesus Boat,” the same type of fishing boat used by His disciples, for a ride on the Sea of Galilee
- Visit the Boat Museum to view a fishing boat from time of Jesus and discovered in 1986

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY
5

FRIDAY, MARCH 12 | SEA OF GALILEE / GOLAN HEIGHTS

Wake up to a sunrise on the Sea of Galilee, where Jesus walked on water and calmed the storm! Worship with the group on the Mt. of Beatitudes. Follow Jesus into the Golan Heights learning what He taught His disciples. Dinner and overnight in Tiberias.

Caesarea Philippi

- Location of where Jesus asked His disciples, “Who do men say that I am?” (Mark 8: 27-30)

Tel Dan (Laish)

- Named for the Tribe of Dan, one of the twelve tribes of Israel (Joshua 19:40)
- Explore archaeological sites including the gate of Jeroboam and the ancient Abraham Gate
- Immerse in the natural beauty of the reserve, featuring lush vegetation and flowing streams

Mt. of Beatitudes

- Overlook the beautiful Sea of Galilee and reflect on Jesus’ teachings from His Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5:1-12, Luke 6:20-26)

Bethsaida

- Site of several miracles of Christ—Jesus walking on the Sea of Galilee (Mark 6:45-51), Jesus healing a blind man (Mark 8:22-26), and Jesus feeding the 5,000 (Luke 9:12-17)

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner





DAY 6

SATURDAY, MARCH 13 | JUDEAN WILDERNESS / DEAD SEA

Before departing the Galilee, enjoy a visit to Magdala followed by a short hike to overlook the beautiful Sea of Galilee area! Start the journey through the Judean desert. Dinner and overnight at the Dead Sea (about 6 pm).

Mt. Arbel

- Believed to be where Christ gave the Great Commission (Matthew 28:16-20)

Magdala

- Home of Mary Magdalene (Matthew 15:39)

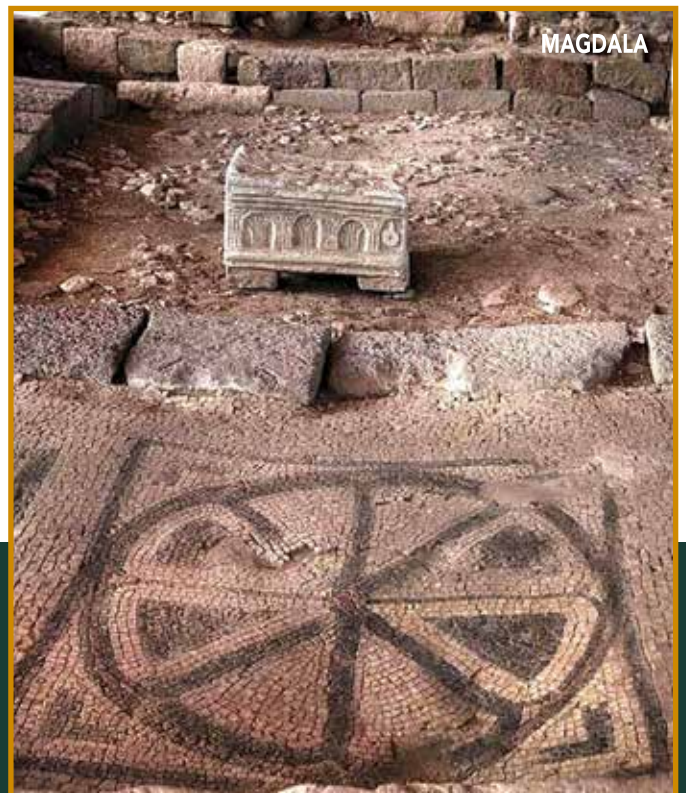
Bethany Beyond the Jordan

- Believed to be where John the Baptist baptized Jesus (John 1:28)
- For those desiring to be baptized, a swimsuit or appropriate clothing must be worn under the robe for baptism. Robes/towels can be rented for a small fee).

Dead Sea

- This large body of salt water on the southern end of the Jordan River is known for the healing qualities
- Believed to be where the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah took place (Genesis 18-19)

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner





DAY 7

SUNDAY, MARCH 14 | DEAD SEA AREA – SABBATH DAY OF REST / FREE DAY

Enjoy a relaxing Sabbath rest floating in the healing waters of the Dead Sea, resting by the pool and spa, and fellowshiping with your fellow travelers. Dinner and overnight at the Dead Sea.

Breakfast, (Lunch on your own), Dinner

DAY 8

MONDAY, MARCH 15 | MASADA (OPTIONAL) / EIN GEDI / VALLEY OF THE SHADOW OF DEATH (WADI GELT) / JERUSALEM

View the desert, dates, salt deposits, and steep mountains while traveling through the Dead Sea region. Take an optional tour of Masada, visit Ein Ged, and view Wadi Gelt before ascending to Jerusalem. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

Masada (optional)

- Site of the last Jewish resistance against the Romans in 73 AD

Ein Gedi

- Hike into the beautiful desert oasis of Ein Gedi, the rocky refuge where David penned the Psalms and hid from King Saul among lovely waterfalls! (Joshua 15:62, 1 Samuel 23:29)

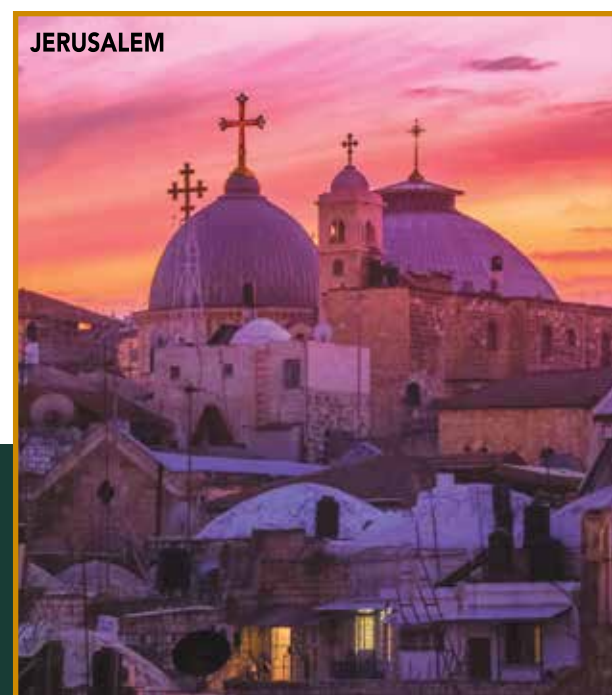
Wadi Qelt

- Known as the Valley of the Shadow of Death (Psalm 23)

Jerusalem

- Ascend to the majestic “City of Gold,” one of the most ancient and culturally significant cities in the world

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner





MT. OF OLIVES

DAY
9

TUESDAY, MARCH 16 | JERUSALEM

Step back 1,000 years before Christ when King David established Jerusalem and pitched a tent to house the Ark of the Covenant. Continue to revel in the atmosphere of this Holy City. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

City of David

- View the excellent archaeological remains from David's period and the Kings of Judah era (2 Samuel 5:8-10)

Hezekiah's Tunnel and Pool of Siloam

- Walk through Hezekiah's Tunnel, a 2,700-year-old water tunnel ingeniously constructed during the reign of King Hezekiah (2 Chronicles 32:30). (Note: Bring a flashlight and good water shoes should you choose to walk through Hezekiah's Tunnel. You will most likely get wet.)
- Emerge at the historic Pool of Siloam where Jesus healed the blind man (John 9:1-12)

Western Wall and Western Wall Tunnel

- A sacred site where Jews gather for prayer with the opportunity to tour the Western Wall Tunnel
- Contemplate the significance of the Temple area, once purchased by King David (2 Samuel 24:18-25), now adorned by the golden Dome of the Rock and the El-Aksa Mosque

Southern Steps

- Stand on the original steps where Jesus walked when He entered the Temple area

Pools of Bethesda

- Where Jesus healed a paralyzed man (John 5:2-9)

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY
10

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17 | JERUSALEM

Jerusalem! Jerusalem! Lift up your gates and sing, Hosanna in the highest, Hosanna to the King! This day is packed with breath-taking sites remembering the crucifixion and resurrection of Christ. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

Mt. of Olives, Palm Sunday Road, and Garden of Gethsemane

- From the Mt. of Olives, descend Palm Sunday Road as Jesus did (Matthew 21:1-11, Mark 11:1-11, Luke 19:28-38)
- Pray in the Garden of Gethsemane just as Jesus did on the night of His betrayal (Matthew 26:36-46)
- Visit the Church of All Nations housing a section of bedrock where Jesus is said to have prayed before his arrest

Dominus Fleuit Church

- Located on the Mt. of Olives and commemorating where Jesus wept over Jerusalem (Luke 19:41-44))

The Pavement and Ecce Homo Arch

- See The Pavement, where Jesus stood while being tried by Pilate (John 19:13)
- Located on the Via Dolorosa, the Ecce Homo arch marks where Pilot said, "Behold the Man" referring to Jesus wearing the crown of thorns and a purple robe (John 19:5)

Church of the Holy Sepulcher (optional visit)

- Visit the traditional site of where Jesus was crucified, buried, and resurrected. Free time for those who option out.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



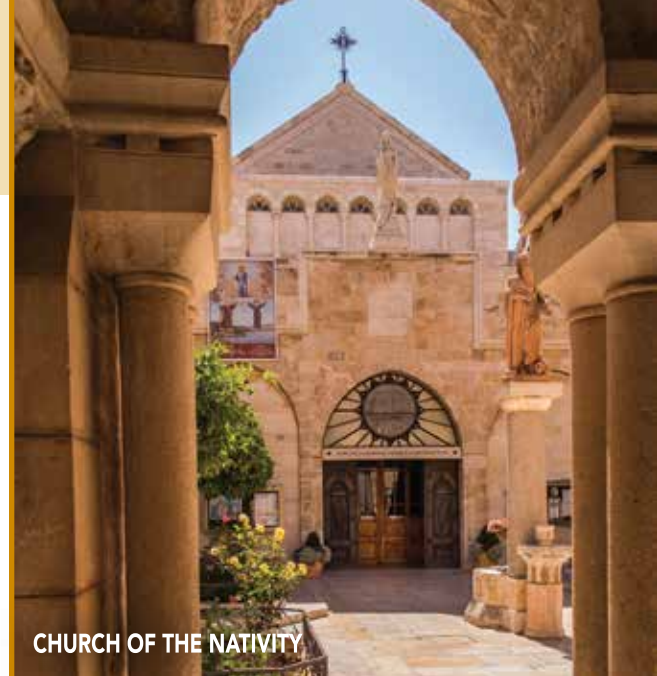
CITY OF DAVID



HEZEKIAH'S TUNNEL



BETHLEHEM SHEPHERD'S FIELD



CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY

DAY 11

THURSDAY, MARCH 18 | BETHLEHEM / JERUSALEM

Imagine the angels proclaiming His birth as you overlook Shepherds' Field in Bethlehem. End your pilgrimage in Israel with quiet reflection at the Garden Tomb. Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

Bethlehem and the Shepherds' Field

- Explore the Shepherds' Field, where the angelic announcement of Jesus' birth was made to the shepherds (Luke 2:8-15)
- Visit the Church of the Nativity, marking the sacred birthplace of Jesus

Garden Tomb

- Take time for quiet reflection, worship, and communion at the Garden Tombs.

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 12

FRIDAY, MARCH 19 | FLIGHT BACK TO USA

Following breakfast, check out of the hotel by 11:00 am, and depart for the airport for the return flight to USA.

Breakfast

GARDEN TOMB



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

RESERVATION AND PAYMENT SCHEDULE

A non-refundable deposit of \$500 per person is required to reserve your space. Reservations received inside 90 days of departure must be accompanied with full payment. Late payment will result in a late payment fee of \$95 per person if received in the Faith Based Expeditions™ office within 14 days after final payment due date. This 14-day period is referred to as "Late Payment Period." If the final payment has not been received within the "Late Payment Period," then the participant/s will be notified in writing and immediately removed from the tour manifest and subject to the cancellation penalty outlined in the "Cancellation Penalties for Standard Tours" section in the Faith Based Expeditions Terms and Conditions.

CANCELLATION PENALTY POLICY FOR TOUR REGISTRANTS

- Any individual canceling between the date of registration and the Final Payment Due Date (Final Payment Due Date is 100 days prior to the tour departure date) will be penalized a non-refundable \$500 per person deposit and non-transferable administrative cost plus any non-refundable third-party supplier cost/s.
- Any individual canceling between 99 - 85 days prior to the scheduled departure date we will be penalized the entire tour deposit plus 10% of the total tour cost and any nonrefundable payments to any third-party supplier.
- Any individual canceling between 84- 55 days prior to the scheduled departure date we will be penalized 50% of the total tour cost plus any nonrefundable payments to any third-party supplier.
- Any individual canceling between 54 - 45 days prior to the scheduled departure date will be penalized 80 % of the total tour cost plus any nonrefundable payments to any third-party supplier.
- Any individual canceling between 44 - 0 days prior to the scheduled departure date will be penalized 100 % of the total tour cost.
- Any individual canceling less than 60 days prior to the tour departure date and causes their assigned roommate to room alone and if there is no one to be assigned as the person's roommate, then the person canceling will be responsible to pay the Single Supplement fee.
- If a roommate is subsequently found for the remaining roommate, then the Single Supplement fee will be refunded to the canceling individual
- Allow up to 8 weeks for any refund to be issued.

OPTIONAL TRAVEL PROTECTION

TRAWICK INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL PROTECTION INSURANCE PRICE CHART

Tour Cost	Insurance	Tour Cost	Insurance	Tour Cost	Insurance	Tour Cost	Insurance	Tour Cost	Insurance
\$1 - \$1,000	\$88.44	\$2,001 - \$3,000	\$211.14	\$4,001 - \$5,000	\$377.67	\$6,001 - \$7,000	\$527.54	\$8,001 - \$9,000	\$724.68
\$1,005 - \$2,000	\$139.00	\$3,001 - \$4,000	\$280.40	\$5,001 - \$6,000	\$424.91	\$7,001 - \$8,000	\$611.21	\$9,001 - \$10,000	\$895.64

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Tour Deposit at Time of Registration
Final Payment Due Date

PASSENGERS

All Passengers
All Passengers

PAYMENT and DUE DATE

\$500 Per Person (non-refundable)
November 29, 2026

HEALTH DISCLAIMER FOR TRAVEL. Activities for this tour require you to be in good health and able to climb stairs without assistance, walk at a modest pace for a few miles a day on uneven terrain, and be able to transport your own luggage. Please note that many international sites and facilities, as well as tour buses, do not have available accommodations for persons with mobility limitations (wheelchair, walker, cane, etc.). If you have a medical condition or use medical equipment which could affect your travel, please consult your health care provider and our office.

HOTELS. *Tel Aviv:* Dan Panorama Hotel, *Tiberias:* Galei Kinerett Hotel, *Dead Sea:* Nevo Dead Sea Hotel, *Jerusalem:* Leonardo Plaza Hotel

TOUR Price Includes:

- 4(+) and 5-Star hotel accommodations
- Meeting at Ben Gurion Airport on arrival and departure
- Ground transfer from the Ben Gurion Airport to the group's Hotel and from the group's hotel to the Ben Gurion Airport at the completion of the tour
- All transfers on sightseeing days
- Luxury air-conditioned motor coach
- Gratuity for driver, guide and hotel staff
- Entrance fees for sites indicated in the itinerary
- Daily buffet breakfast and dinner in hotels as indicated in itinerary
- 8 lunches and gratuity for lunches
- Porterage at hotels
- Headset for each passenger to listen to the guide while touring
- Bottled water on board the bus during the touring days
- Group Farewell Dinner

TOUR Price Does NOT Include:

- Domestic or International airfare
- Hotel cost for any church staff or traveler arriving prior to March 10, 2027
- Hotel cost for any traveler staying after 11 am on March 20, 2027
- Optional Travel Protection Insurance
- Optional sites not included in itinerary that have entrance fees
- All beverages including alcoholic beverages (excluding bottled water on board the bus)
- Personal incidentals charged to hotel room
- Items of personal nature
- Single Supplement Fee for those wanting to room alone or if roommate cannot be assigned by Faith Based Expeditions (Note: Any passenger who does not have an assigned roommate by the final payment due date will be charged the Single Supplement Fee. If after the final payment due date, a person can be assigned to the person needing a roommate, then the Single Supplement Fee will be refunded to the person charged for the Single Supplement Fee.



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