



TEKTON MINISTRIES

Encounter Christ on a Catholic Pilgrimage



PILGRIMAGE TO

ROME & MEDJUGORJE

September 24th - October 4th, 2018

with Fr. Dan Reehil

PILGRIMAGE ITINERARY

● Day 1 - Sep. 24: Depart USA

Depart Chicago on your overnight flight to Rome. Meals served aloft.

● Day 2 - Sep. 25: Rome

Upon our arrival in Rome we will transfer to our hotel where dinner will be awaiting us.

● Day 3 - Sep. 26: Rome

This morning we will experience a highlight of our pilgrimage, attendance at the Papal Audience at St. Peter's (subject to the Holy Father's schedule). Join thousands of pilgrims from throughout the world to listen to the Holy Father and receive His Blessing. In the afternoon, our sightseeing includes visits to St. Mary Major Basilica, St. John Lateran and the Holy Stairs.

● Day 4 - Sep. 27: Rome

Today is free for events surrounding the Diaconate Ordination at the Vatican. After the morning Ordination, we will proceed to the North American College for a reception. Later in the afternoon we will return to the Vatican and enjoy a tour of the Scavi Excavations underneath St. Peter's (subject to confirmation). We will then return to our hotel.

● Day 5 - Sep. 28: Rome

This morning we will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving at a local church. The remainder of the day is free to explore Rome on your own. Perhaps spend time at St. Peter's or wonder the streets of this beautiful city. This evening enjoy a farewell dinner at a local restaurant.

● Day 6 - Sep. 29: Rome / Split / Medjugorje

Depart Rome for Split. Upon arrival we will drive 2-3 hours to Medjugorje. After check-in we will have dinner at our pansion.



● Day 7-10: Sept. 30 – Oct. 3: Medjugorje

Our activities will include:

-On our first full day in Medjugorje, your guide will provide you with a comprehensive orientation about Medjugorje and the apparitions, and you will be given a brief tour of the area, so that you are familiar with everything.

-We will have two meals each day at our pansion (breakfast every morning, and either lunch or dinner every day, depending on the events scheduled that day). There are many restaurants in Medjugorje for people who may wish to have a third meal each day.

-We will be able to attend the Holy Mass in English every day at St. James church (usually at 10:00 am), with English speaking pilgrims from throughout the world.

-We will be able to participate in the international program of prayer each evening, which includes the rosary, the availability of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the international Mass for all pilgrims, prayers for healing and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

-We will climb Apparition Hill, site where Our Lady first appeared to the visionaries.

-You will have the option of climbing Cross Mountain, praying the Stations of the Cross as we ascend to the summit.

-We will be present for Mirjana's monthly Apparition of Our Lady at the Blue Cross, on October 2nd.



PILGRIMAGE PRICE: \$3,120.00

per person/double occupancy
For a single occupancy please add \$592.00
For land only, please subtract: \$509.00

These rates include:

- Arrangements for daily Mass
- Roundtrip economy class airfare from Chicago O'Hare to Rome, Rome to Split, Sarajevo to Chicago on Lufthansa
- 9 nights accommodation
- All hotel taxes and service charges
- Breakfast daily at hotel in Rome
- Dinner on September 25, 26, 28
- Professional tour manager in Rome
- Comprehensive sightseeing with professional local guides (Ann Vucic in Medjugorje)
- All entrance fees as per itinerary
- Land transportation by deluxe motor coach
- Arrival and departure transfers
- Gratuities to guide, driver, and hotel staff
- Porterage of one piece of luggage at airports and hotels
- Whisper headsets on September 26

These rates do not include:

- Airline taxes/fuel surcharges (currently \$663.95 per person, but subject to change until the time of ticketing)*
- Lunches, drinks with meals, extras at hotels and any expenses of a personal nature
- Dinner on September 27
- Scavi Excavation entrance fee on September 27 subject to confirmation

**added to your final invoice*
Departures from other airports available upon request.

Register online at:

www.tektonministries.org

Register Now!

-We will hear talks by visionaries when possible.

-We will hear talks by Medjugorje priests and other locals, when possible.

-There will be plenty of time for shopping as well, so that you can bring back a piece of Medjugorje to your loved ones at home.

Many of these activities will be subject to availability and weather. Final decisions about our daily itinerary are made upon our arrival. You will always have the option of participating in group activities or spending time by yourself.

● Day 11 – Oct. 4: Medjugorje / Sarajevo / Chicago

Depart home in the morning after a wonderful pilgrimage with Our Lady!





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Reservations and Payment: Tekton Ministries requires a deposit of \$300.00 per person at the time of booking. This deposit forms a part of your final payment which is due 75 days prior to departure. Reservations made within 74 days of departure must be accompanied by payment in full. Payments made by credit card will incur a convenience fee. Any reservations received within 45 days of departure will incur a late booking fee of \$100.00 per person. This pilgrimage is based upon a minimum of 21 total pilgrims. Surcharges may be assessed for a smaller group size.

Cancellations: All cancellations must be in writing. The following per person cancellation charges will apply in addition to any airline penalties and charges incurred by our suppliers: If canceled 91 days or more prior to departure, a \$75.00 administrative fee will be charged. If canceled 90 - 31 days prior to departure, \$175.00 will be charged. If canceled 30 - 15 days prior to departure, \$450.00 will be charged. If canceled 14 - 7 days prior to departure \$700.00 will be charged. No refunds will be made within 6 days of departure. In addition, once the airline tickets have been issued, 100% of the airfare is non-refundable unless you have been advised otherwise at the time of your booking.

Travel Documents: A passport which is valid for 6 months past the date of your return flight home is required of all U. S. citizens. However, U.S. citizens do not require visas for Italy, Croatia, or Bosnia-Herzegovina. If you are not a U.S. citizen, please call to find out if you need a visa. Tekton Ministries is not responsible for individual visas or passports.

Hotels: Accommodations are based on double occupancy rooms with private facilities. A limited number of single rooms are available at the supplement quoted and should be requested at the time of booking.

Air Transportation: Air travel is in economy class on Lufthansa. Fares are based upon levels in effect at the time of printing and fares and flight schedules are subject to change without notice. Note that any ticketing changes made within 90 days of your departure date will incur airline penalties.

Baggage: Each passenger is allowed one checked bag and one carry-on. Tekton Ministries is not responsible for lost, damaged or stolen baggage.

Travel Insurance: We strongly recommend that you purchase comprehensive travel insurance for your trip. Registration information will be provided upon receipt of your deposit.

Not Included: Airline taxes/fuel surcharges (currently \$663.95 per person, but subject to change until the time of ticketing), passport/visa fees, personal travel insurance, laundry, beverages and items not on the regular menu of included meals, excess baggage charges, optional sightseeing and expenses of a personal nature.

Refunds: Subject to the foregoing Cancellation Terms, upon cancellation of travel related services, all sums paid to Tekton Ministries/George's International Tours for such services will be promptly returned to the passenger, provided the passenger has not caused such cancellation and is not in violation of any of the terms and conditions previously, clearly and conspicuously disclosed and agreed to by the passenger. This refund provision does not apply where Tekton Ministries/George's International Tours has remitted the payment to another registered seller of travel or a carrier and they default in providing the agreed-upon transportation or service without providing a

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