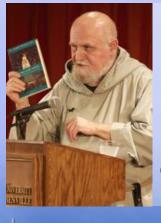
# TRAVEL TO FATIMA FOR THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE APPARITIONS AND TO POLAND IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF ST. FAUSTINA AND ST. JOHN PAUL II

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September 17-27, 2017



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# **ITINERARY**

# Day 1 - September 17: DEPART FROM J.F.K AIRPORT (NEW YORK)

Depart from Syracuse airport on an overnight flight to Lisbon. Dinner and breakfast are served aboard the international flight. (Change of planes in Newark or JFK)

# Day 2 - September 18: ARRIVE LISBON, CITY TOUR- SANTAREM, EUCHARISTIC MIRACLE - FATIMA

Upon arrival in Lisbon you are greeted by your English speaking tour manager who will be with you the entire trip. We board the bus for a city tour of Lisbon including the Cathedral, St. Jerome's Monastery, Saint Anthony's Church (the patron saint of lost objects), Belem Quarter, the Belem Tower, 25 April Bridge, and Discoveries Monument. We also visit St. Anthony of Padua's birthplace. Departing Lisbon we drive to Santarem's St. Stephen Church to celebrate Mass and venerate the Bleeding Host as we learn about the Miracle of the Eucharist which took place here. Continue to Fatima for dinner and an overnight. (B,D,)

# Day 3 - September 19: FATIMA- NAZARE FISHING VILLAGE

This morning we celebrate Mass at the Capelinha, where Our Lady appeared to the children five times. See the Chapel of Apparitions, tombs of Blessed Jacinta and Blessed Francisco, the Adoration Chapel and the Miraculous Fountain. We take a short drive to the fishing village of Nazare to see the miraculous statue of Our Lady of Nazare and perhaps have a swim at the beautiful white sand beach. Enjoy a leisurely lunch in Nazare (included) and time to explore the village. In late afternoon we return to the Plaza for the Solemn Procession of the Most Blessed Sacrament and we join in this evening's Candle-light Procession. Dinner and overnight in Fatima. (B,L,D,)

# Day 4 - September 20: FATIMA- JUBILEE YEAR CELEBRATION

After breakfast we visit the Basilica complex for Mass. In the afternoon our bus will take us to the parish Church where the visionaries were baptized. We will visit the cemetery; their homes in Aljustrel-perhaps meet their close relatives. We go to Valinhos where we will visit places where the Angel appeared and the Shrine where the Holy Virgin appeared in August, the outdoor Stations of the Cross erected by the Americans and the beautiful Shrine of the Crucifixion built on the highest point by Hungarian refugees. Dinner and overnight in Fatima. (B,D,)

# Day 5- September 21: FATIMA- ALBOCACA and BATALHA

Today we celebrate Mass at the Basilica in the morning and have time to explore Fatima and shop for religious souvenirs. In the afternoon we visit two magnificent monasteries of Alcobaca and Batalha. Dinner and overnight in Fatima. (B,D,)

# Day 6 - September 22: FATIMA - LISBON- WARSAW

Early this morning we depart to Lisbon to board our flight to Warsaw. Upon arrival, we celebrate Mass at the convent where St. Faustina lived, the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy. Enjoy a city tour of Warsaw, including a walk through the Old Town, comprised of beautiful maze-like cobblestone streets and picturesque architecture that are symbols of Poland's successful rebuild following its destruction during World War II. We also see Lazienski Park, a beautifully landscaped park, the Chopin Statue, and the Royal Castle, the official residence of the Polish monarchs. Dinner and overnight. (B,D,)

# Day 7 - September 23: WARSAW - NIEPOKALANOW - SWINICE WARCKIE - CZESTOCHOWA

This morning, following breakfast we depart for Niepokalanow. This Franciscan Monastery is in the community of Teresin, and was founded by the martyr, St. Maximilian Kolbe. This remarkable saint was arrested by the Nazis and died in Auschwitz, giving his life for the life of another prisoner. Following a visit to this Holy Monastery, you will transfer to the village of Swinice Warckie. In Swinice Warckie, we visit the church of St. Casimir. This historically rich parish is the site of baptism for St. Faustina (formally known as, Helena Kowalska). Little Helena received her first confession, and First Holy Communion, at this parish. Additionally, she and her family attended Sunday Mass and other services at this church. After visiting this simple, yet elegant church, you will continue your transfer to Czestochowa. Dinner and overnight in Czestochowa. (B,D,)

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# Day 8 - September 24: CZESTOCHOWA - WADOWICE - KRAKOW

Today, we visit the greatest pilgrimage shrine of Poland. We celebrate Mass at Jasna Gora Monastery. This hill-top monastery is home to the beloved icon of the Black Madonna. Additionally, St. John Paul II is said to have made frequent visits to this monastery throughout his life. Tradition tells us that this icon was painted by Luke the Evangelist, discovered by St. Helen, and later enshrined. While here, you will have the opportunity to venerate not only the Holy Icon, but also many other priceless treasures that are contained within. Following our visit to the Chapel of the Black Madonna, we continue on to Wadowice, the birthplace of Karol Wojtyla now St. John Paul II. We have the opportunity to visit the Basilica where this beloved Saint was baptized, and attended Mass as a child, see where he lived and even taste his favorite cookies. Dinner and overnight in Krakow. (B,D,)

# Day 9- September 25: KRAKOW- ZAKOPANE - KRAKOW

After breakfast, we will explore Krakow's Market Square as the sound of the silver trumpet from St. Mary's Tower fills the air. The captivating beauty of this square is largely due to the fact that it has remained unchanged for almost 700 years. It contains a number of buildings that hold important historic value such as, the Town Hall Tower, the Cloth Hall, and the Burgher's houses. We then enjoy an excursion to the mountain area of Zakopane. After breakfast, take a cable car ride to the nearby Tatra Mountains. At the top, you will truly experience God's magnificent Glory when you look out at the magnificent panoramic view. Following the many photos captured atop the mountain, your group will head to the Jaszczorowka Chapel. This architecturally distinct chapel was visited many times by the young, Karol Wojtyla, We visit the center of town for lunch and have time to shop in the stores which line the colorful, Krupowki Street. We then visit Our Lady of Fatima Church which was built by the locals in honor of Our Lady. We celebrate Mass at the beautiful spot, before returning to Krakow for dinner and overnight. (B,D,)

#### Day 10- September 26: Krakow - DIVINE MERCY - LAGIEWNIKI - KRAKOW

On your last day of touring, you will depart for your excursion to Lagiewniki, the capital of the Divine Mercy. Through the mediation of St. Faustina, Christ passed on the message of Divine Mercy at Lagiewniki. While here, you will have the opportunity to visit the Shrine of Divine Mercy that contains images of the Merciful Jesus, relics of St. Faustina, as well as, the Saint's convent chapel and her Tomb. Also, you will visit and celebrate Mass at the Shrine of Divine Mercy, which was recently visited by St. John Paul II in 2002. Following Mass, you will pray by a relic of St. John Paul II before returning to Krakow for your farewell dinner and last overnight. (B, Special dinner)

## Day 11 September 27: RETURN HOME

After an early breakfast and heartfelt farewells, your group will leave by motor coach and transfer to the Krakow Airport for return flights home. (B)

# YOUR COMPREHENSIVE TOUR INCLUDES

- Round trip airfare JFK to Lisbon to Warsaw and Krakow to Syracuse
- · Airport Taxes and Fuel Surcharges
- Accommodations for 4 nights in FATIMA (hotel in Fatima cannot be reserved until the group deposit is received due to limited availability)
- Accommodation for 1 nights in Warsaw
- Accommodation for 1 night in Czestochowa
- Accommodation for 3 nights in Krakow
- · Open buffet breakfast daily
- · Dinners daily
- · One lunch in Nazare
- · Private Air conditioned bus
- English speaking guide for 9 days
- All admission charges as per the itinerary
- Baggage handling for one suitcase per person only included at the hotels not to exceed 50lbs in and out
- · Parking fees for buses
- Select International Tours Travel Portfolio
- · Confirmation of daily Mass

#### **Rates Do Not Include**

- Personal expenses
- Travel protection optional and highly encouraged.
- Anything not mentioned in above inclusions
- Beverages at meals unless otherwise noted
- Gratuities for guide/driver and hotel staff (please look at list that we recommend). At lunch we recommend a tip of \$ 2.00 per person per day.
   For extra luggage please tip \$ 2.00 per person per bag.
- Church donations



<u>Deposits and final payment:</u> A <u>deposit of \$500.00</u> per person by check should accompany the registration form along with your optional travel protection payment, if purchasing, and a copy of your passport picture page by <u>May 26, 2017. Final payment is due by July 25, 2017.</u> Please mail your payment to: <u>Select International Tours, 85 Park Ave., Flemington, NJ 08822 ATT: Susan Prendergast, 800-842-4842, susan@select-intl.com.</u>

Your passport must be valid at least six month after the date of the trip return. Reservations will not be processed until we have passport copies. Prices quoted are based on cash payments. Cash prices \$3,795.00 for the complete package, \$2,895.00 land only (air not included), \$695.00 single supplement (in room by yourself) Credit card payments are: \$3,985.00 for the complete package, \$3,040.00 for land only, \$730.00 single supplement.

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<u>Land Only Option:</u> \$2,895.00 per person cash price. Land only services start and end at the hotels, unless you are able to meet the group at the airport, and do not include airfare.

**Baggage:** Each participant is permitted to check (1) suitcase weighing no more than 50 lbs., and one small carry-on bag on the plane. Airline baggage fees are not included. Please check the specific baggage fees on the airline website.

Tour Cancellation Policy: \$350.00 non-refundable. 90-60 days before de-

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<u>Shipping & Handling:</u> \$15.00 per person - not included in package price will be added to each invoice. Your invoice will confirm the trip registration.

Middle Name:

### **REGISTRATION/CONSENT FORM:**

Pilgrimage to Fatima and Poland with Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle and Fr. Andrew Apostoli, C.F.R. September 17 - September 27, 2017 (Attn: Susan)

Please complete this form and mail it to Select International Tours, along with your deposit, travel protection payment (if purchasing), and a copy of your passport picture page.

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