



**BIBLE TREK
TOURS**



Italy: 11 Days June 23-July 3, 2025

With our spiritual Directors:

Fr. Carlos Gomez & Fr. Eduardo Gomez

Package Price Air & Land: \$5,895 from PHX, AZ

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Day by day itinerary

June 23, Mon: Depart point of origin

June 24, Tue: Rome-Arrival

Upon arrival at Rome international airport, we will get our luggage and meet our Guide / Driver, then transfer to our Hotel for dinner & overnight. We need to wake up early to get good chairs to Papal audience.

June 25, Wed: Rome-Papal Audience-Catacombs-Jubilee

Following breakfast, we will make our way to St. Peter's Square to attend the Papal Audience, led by His Holiness, Pope Francis. (Papal Audience: Is scheduled to take place every Wednesday, pending the schedule of Pope Francis.) Free time for lunch (not included) Following the Audience we will visit the Catacombs where the early Christians hid themselves to escape persecution. The tour will continue with the visit St Paul. Outside the Walls. Continue our tour via the Appian Way -- the oldest road from Roman times--plus the famous Domino Quo Vadis Chapel; see the ancient Baths of Caracalla, Arch of Drusus; Tomb of Celilia Metella. Dinner & overnight in Rome.

June 26, Thu: Basilica of St. John the Lateran and St. Mary Major-Holy Steps

After breakfast we will visit the Basilica of St. John the Lateran, the Pope's cathedral church where relics of both Peter and Paul remain under the main altar. It was here that Pope Francis was formally installed as Bishop of Rome. Next we see the Holy Staircase which is believed to be a staircase from Pilate's palace in Jerusalem and brought to Rome by St. Helen in the 4th century. Time permitting, we may climb the steps on our knees in memory of Christ's Passion. Continue to the Basilica of St. Mary Major, the most important and the oldest church dedicated to Our Lady. St. Mary Major contains a relic from the Manger of the infant Jesus. At the end of the tour transfer back to the hotel for dinner & overnight.

June 27, Fri: Colosseum - Trevi Fountain

After Breakfast we transfer to start the tour of the Colosseum and Roman Forum (Colosseum visit inside & Forum from external – closing time 16:30). At the end of the tour, we will reach the famous Trevi fountain before our transfer back to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

June 28, Sat: Rome-Monte Cassino-San Giovanni Rotunda

Today we will be transferred by bus to Montecassino. This one hour and forty-five-minute (approximate) bus ride will be extremely scenic, as you pass through the Roman countryside that is known for its villas and vineyards. Throughout this bus ride, our tour escort will share very interesting information regarding the spiritual, historical, and cultural aspects of Italy. We will arrive in Montecassino, the principal monastery of the Benedictine Order, founded by Saint Benedict around 530 A.D. then we shall drive (approximately three hours) toward San Giovanni Rotunda, the hometown of Saint Padre Pio.

June 29, Sun: Church of Padre Pio- St. Michael's Cave

We start our day early after breakfast with a visit to the Church of Padre Pio; Known as Saint Pio of Pietrelcina in a Italian, he was venerated as a saint of the Catholic church. He became famous for exhibiting stigmata for most of his life, thereby generating much interest and controversy. He was both beatified (1999) and canonized (2002) by Pope John Paul II. We Celebrate Mass there. Then we drive to St. Michael's Cave. We visit the Grotto of St. Michael the Archangel, a shrine consecrated by St. Michael. At this grotto, St. Michael appeared to a Bishop to assure him that his diocese would not be annihilated as he feared. Dinner & overnight at our hotel.

June 30, Mon: Lanciano- Santa Rita da Cascia-Assisi

Today we will board the bus and head to Lanciano (approximately two hours). This Church is the site of the Eucharistic Miracle that occurred in the eighth century. At the time of the Miracle, there was a Brazilian monk who struggled with the belief in the real presence of The Lord Jesus in the Eucharist. During the time of Mass, the monk, with doubt in his voice, said the "Words of Consecration" and the bread turned into living flesh, and the wine transformed into live blood. Next, will continue to visit Santa Rita da Cascia, where we will have time to admire the Basilica of Saint Rita then drive towards Assisi the hometown of St. Francis for dinner & overnight.

July 1, Tue: Assisi

After Breakfast we explore the hilltop birthplace of St Francis. In the Crypt of St Francis Basilica laid the tomb of one of the most beloved saints of all the time, St Francis of Assisi. During the tour, we will have the opportunity to view a series of frescoes depicting his life, as well as, view a few of the saint's possessions. next we will visit the Basilica of saint Clare and the Crucifix from which Jesus spoke to St Francis. Dinner & overnight in Assisi.

July 2, Wed: Assisi- Carlo Acutis- Rome

After a relaxing breakfast we visit the church that holds the mortal remains of Carlo Acutis, a beacon of inspiration for the youth. Carlo, who passed away at a young age, devoted his life to the service of God and the promotion of the Eucharistic Miracle. The church provides a quiet space for reflection and prayer, allowing you to connect with the spirit of Carlo Acutis and draw inspiration from his unwavering faith. Free afternoon. Transfer to Rome for Dinner & overnight.

July 3, Thu: Return home from Rome.

Package Details

Price includes:

09 nights in HB Basis (breakfast and dinners) – drinks not included
Airfare out of PHX, AZ
City council tax
Porterage at the hotel in Assis
English speaking Tour Leader and guide from the arrival till the departure day
Bus transportation by GT Air-conditioned deluxe bus – as the program (35/50 seats)
All bus permission to enter the cities
Hear phones/ Whispers: for the whole tour
English speaking local licensed guide:
25/06 1x HD in Rome
26/06 1x FD in Rome
27/06 1x FD in Rome
28/06 1x Monte Cassino
29/06 1x HD in San Giovanni Rotondo
01/07 1x HD in Assis
Entrance fees: Rome: Vatican Museums, Catacombs, Colosseum, Assis: Basilica of St. Francis

Excludes:

Drinks during meals
Meals not mentioned in the “services included”
Airport Porterage Service
Porterage at the hotel (except in Assis - included)
Any personal expenses
Tips for guides, drivers, tour manager, etc.
Travel insurance (visit our website homepage click on travel guard banner for rates)
Tips suggestions in Italy per day: \$4 pp for driver/\$6 pp for guide/ \$2 pp for hotel/\$1pp for porters

MOBILITY DURING THE JUBILEE

Currently, there is work in progress throughout Rome as the Municipality is setting up a plan to better organize the city traffic during the Jubilee. A vast pedestrian area around St. Peter's Square has already been decided: the flow of faithful will be able to reach the Vatican area on foot. That's why we think that tourist buses will have to follow pre-established mobility itineraries, but everything is still to be decided. We hope to get more information and update you very soon!

Unexpected circumstances may cause changes to the itinerary!

Register online or complete the attached form!

Terms & Conditions

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Cancellations due to lack of appropriate documents will incur usual penalties. A Passport Card is not useful for International Air Travel. Attempting to use this instead of a Passport Book will result in a denial of boarding by the airlines and entry by the legal authorities Final Documents Final documents are issued upon receipt of final payment only and within 3 weeks of departure. Documents are not guaranteed if final payment is not received on time. Upon receipt of your documents you are responsible to check your itinerary, spelling of your name, dates, times and other important information to insure their validity. Should your final documents have any errors it is the passengers responsibility to contact Bible Trek Tours immediately. Cancellations And Refunds Once a deposit or partial/full payment has been made, cancellations will only be accepted in writing. Cancellation terms will be applied based on the date that the written cancellation is received. In addition to a \$300 per person administration fee, the following charges apply off the total trip cost: 61 - 90 days prior to departure 25%. /31 - 60 days prior to departure 50%. /30 days prior to departure or less no refund. Additionally, once tickets are issued the ticket value is non-refundable. Requests for a refund must be in writing (mail, e-mail). Phone calls cannot be used as a form of cancellation. Refunds will be issued within 30 to 60 days of receipt of written notice No change of names or substitutions are permitted. No refund or cancellation fees will be waived due to death or sickness. In the event that Bible Trek Tours would decide to cancel a departure, a full refund will be issued (including travel insurance and Supplemental Cancellation Protection). If, however the trip is cancelled closer to departure by forces outside of the control of Bible Trek Tours, refunds will be as per terms and conditions. Air Transportation Air transportation is in economy class on IATA-approved carriers. Ticketing must be completed no later than 14 days prior to departure. Fares are based on levels in effect at the time of printing and prices and schedules are subject to change without notice. All is subject to the airlines terms of carriage. Bible Trek Tours is not responsible for any cancellations, loss, delays, injury, illness, or expenses incurred due to actions made by the airlines. Business class is available at additional cost for the Trans-Atlantic portions of your ticket. For any issues which arise in relation to airline service complaints and compensation should be addressed to the specific carrier. Airport Taxes, Fees & Fuel Airport taxes (up to \$800) are included in our tour packages. Seat Assignment Random seats are assigned for all group participants. If you would like to secure a specific seat, or sit with a companion please advise us of such request at the time of booking, we will make an effort to accommodate you, however we cannot guarantee. Hotel Accommodation Hotel accommodations are based on twin-bedded or double rooms. Bible Trek Tours reserves the right to substitute similar category hotels without prior notice. SHARING ROOM: If passengers are traveling alone, and are registered prior to 60 days before departure, and wish to have Bible Trek Tours assign a roommate we will do our best. Registrations made within 60 days of departure, the passenger will be responsible for the additional Single Supplement fees. TRIPLE ROOMS In most hotels triple accommodation is possible, however, no reduction in cost is available. Meals Bible Trek Tours pilgrimages include breakfast and dinner daily, (refer to brochure "your trip includes"). Although we cannot guarantee, we will try to accommodate all special meal request. Baggage Each tour participant is permitted to bring one checked suitcase, one small carry on bag (8" x 14" x 22"), and one personal item (i.e. purse, laptop case). In general, the airlines permit 1 checked bag weighing up to 50 lbs (23 kg) and maximum dimensions of 62 in (158 cm) calculated by adding the length + the width + the height of the bag. Please check with your specific airline to verify the size and weight allowances. Bible Trek Tours is not responsible for the loss of, theft of, delay, or damage to a participant's belongings. Responsibility Clause Bible Trek Tours and/or agents of the airlines concerned are not to be held responsible for the late arrival of passengers at airports or hotels due to inclement weather, nor are they to be held liable for payment or any refund for transfers or unused hotel accommodations or meals occasioned by such late arrivals at the hotels holding rooms as confirmed itineraries. Passengers must bear all such losses or expenses. 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Registration Form-Bible Trek Tours
Italy, Fr. Carlos Gomez- 11 Days: June 23-July 3, 2025

Please complete one registration form per person (Couples submit two separate forms)

Full Name (as written in passport): _____

***(Photocopy of your passport is required – must be valid 6 months after your return date)**

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone # (home/cell): _____

E-mail: _____

Rooming with: _____

Please try to find a roommate for me. *I understand if you cannot find a roommate for me, I will be obliged to pay the single room supplement.*

I wish a single room at a supplement of \$700. Subject to availability and conformation.

***Tour cost: Air & land out of PHX, AZ: (\$5,895)** *(Price is per person sharing a double room)*

Contact us if you are traveling from a different city/airport!

Method of Payments:

Mail a deposit of \$400.00 per person made payable to **Bible Trek Tours LLC** in a form of a check.

Address: P.O.Box: 20137, Beaumont TX, 77720

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For a credit card payment please fill out the form below.

Note: The deposit should be paid at the time of booking and no later than **Mar 23th, 2025**. Balance is due on or before **May 1st, 2025**. Any booking after **April 30th, 2025** is subject to availability.

* For travel Insurance you can visit our home page: www.bibletrektours.com and click on Travel Guard or you can get your own.

(SUBMIT THIS BOOKING FORM WITH A COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT AND YOUR DEPOSIT)

***By submitting this payment and form, I acknowledge that I have read and I accept all Terms & Conditions as outlined on this pilgrimage Brochure.**

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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** All pilgrimages group tours require a minimum of 15 passengers. In the event that the group falls below this threshold, the price will be adjusted accordingly.*

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All cancellation requests must be received in writing:

- **150+ Days Before Departure:** Full refund of deposit.
- **149–90 Days Before Departure:** Loss of deposit.
- **89–60 Days Before Departure:** 30% cancellation fee or deposit, whichever is greater.
- **59–30 Days Before Departure:** 75% cancellation fee.
- **29 Days or Less:** 100% cancellation fee.

*Only use this form if you wish to pay your deposit with a Credit Card

Credit Card Payment Authorization

I authorize Bible Trek Tours LLC to charge the standard price amount plus 4% card fees to my credit card listed below. (\$400 will be charged now; balance of payment will be charged to your card upon your request/authorization per the invoice due date).

Credit Card Type: _____

Card Number: _____

Exp. Date: _____ **CVC** _____ **Zip Code** _____

Name as it appears on credit card: _____

Email Address: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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