

Holy Land Tour
With
River Rock Christian Fellowship
Hosted By
Pastor Eric Moen

November 28 - December 7, 2018

\$3,650 per person/dbl occupancy
\$485 single room supplement

FEATURES INCLUDED:

- Round trip airfare: Reno/Tel Aviv/Reno
- Airport taxes & surcharges (currently \$700– to be adjusted at time of ticketing)
- 7 nights hotel accommodations
 - 1 night – Tel Aviv, Leonardo Art Hotel*
 - 2 nights – Leonardo Tiberias Hotel*
 - 1 night - Kfar Hanokdim
 - 3 nights - Leonardo Jerusalem Hotel*
- Breakfast & dinner daily
- Meeting & assistance at the airport in Israel upon arrival & departure
- Transfer airport/hotel/airport in Israel
- Touring in a deluxe air-conditioned motor-coach
- Licensed English speaking guide
- Entrance fees to sites per itinerary
- Porterage & service charges at hotels
- Tips for guide, driver & hotel staff
- Headsets
- Farewell Dinner

NOT INCLUDED:

- Travel Insurance – *highly recommended* & available at an additional cost)
- Lunches
- Personal expenses
- Anything not mentioned as included

Day 1 – November 28 - Wednesday: USA – Tel Aviv

Overnight flight to Tel Aviv.

Day 2 – November 29 - Thursday: Arrival – Jaffa - Tel Aviv

Arrive at Ben Gurion Airport near Tel-Aviv. You will be met and assisted by a Coral Travel representative inside the terminal. Meet your guide and drive to **Jaffa**, one of the oldest cities in the world. Visit the House of Simon the Tanner, and walk through Jaffa's reconstructed Old Quarter. Dinner and overnight: Hotel in Tel Aviv.

Day 3 – November 30 - Friday: Caesarea – Megiddo – Sea of Galilee

This morning depart Tel Aviv and drive along the Sharon Plains to **Caesarea**, the seat of the Roman Procurator of Judea at the time of the Christ, and the site where Peter converted the centurion Cornelius. This fortified harbor city was built 2000 years ago by King Herod the Great. View the ruins of Roman, Byzantine and Crusader times. Explore the Roman Theater and the Aqueducts. A drive up **Mt. Carmel** will bring us to the site where Elijah challenged and defeated the 450 prophets of Baal. Continue to **Megiddo**, the Fortress City of King Solomon, later built again by King Ahab. The books of Daniel and Revelation will come alive as we study about the final Battle of Armageddon. Drive to Tiberias past Nazareth and Cana of Galilee. Dinner and overnight: Hotel in Tiberias .

Day 4 – December 1 - Saturday: Tel Dan - Caesarea Philippi - Sea of Galilee

The day starts with a drive to the **Mt. of Beatitudes**, site of the Sermon on the Mount. Drive along the Hula Valley to **Tel Dan** and visit the remains of the city. Continue on to **Caesarea Philippi**, where Peter made his confession of faith to Jesus. Via a ride through the **Golan Heights** we return to the northern shore of the Sea of Galilee, the area where Jesus spent his years of ministry. See the ruins of **Capernaum**, the town where Jesus made his home after leaving Nazareth. View the remains of the ancient synagogue in which he may have preached and the house of Peter. After a **boat ride on the Sea of Galilee** drive to **Tabgha** where the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fishes took place. Drive to **Kibbutz Ginosar** and visit the “**Jesus Boat.**” Dinner and overnight: Hotel in Tiberias.

Day 5 – December 2 - Sunday: Yardenit - Bet She' an – Jericho – Qumran – Kfar Kanokdim Jerusalem

After breakfast drive to **Yardenit**, the **baptismal site**, with an opportunity to be baptized. Then, leave Tiberias and drive to **Bet She'an**. Recent excavations have unveiled the impressive ruins of the country's largest city in the Roman and Byzantine periods, which was destroyed by an earthquake in 749 AD.

Continue with a visit at **Ein Harod – Gideon Springs**. Drive along the Jordan Valley past **Jericho**, believed to be the world's oldest walled city. This was the first city taken by Joshua when the Hebrews returned from Egypt –'and the walls fell down'- and was also the site of the Mount of Temptation. Visit **Qumran**, where the 2000 years old Dead Sea Scrolls were found. End your day at **Kfar Hanokdim** where you will have Bedouin hospitality, a camel ride and dinner. Overnight: Kfar Hanokdim.

**Day 6 – December 3 - Monday:
Qumran – Dead Sea – Massada**

This morning drive along the shores of the Dead Sea to visit **Massada**, the site of the most dramatic act in Jewish History. Ascend by cable car. Explore the ancient excavations of Herod's Palaces, the bathhouse, the storerooms, the ramp, and the oldest synagogue in the world. Continue on to **Ein Gedi**, an oasis on the Dead Sea. Near the 200 meter high waterfall is a cave where David had his famous meeting with King Saul (First Samuel 24: 1-23). A walk around the nature reserve confirms that Ein Gedi is one of the most beautiful nature reserves in the world. Continue to the **Dead Sea** shore for an afternoon "float" on the sea. Drive to **Jerusalem**, enter the city as a pilgrim and view the city from **Mt. Scopus**. Dinner and overnight: Hotel in Jerusalem.

**Day 7 – December 4 - Tuesday:
Jerusalem**

After breakfast ascend the **Mount of Olives** (Matthew 24:3, Luke 21:37) for a breathtaking panoramic view of the old city of Jerusalem. Walk along the **Palm Sunday Way**. Descend to the **Garden of Gethsemane** (Matthew 26:36-46, Luke 22:39-45, Mark 14:32-42) where Jesus spent the last night before he was arrested. Visit the **Church of All the Nations**. Drive along the "Last Way" to Mt. Zion. Cross the **Kidron Valley** and see the **Tombs of Absalom, Zachary and James**. Visit the **house of the high priest Caiphas** and the **Church of Peter in Gallicantu** (Matthew 26:31-35) the site where Peter denied the Lord 3 times. Visit the **City of David and Warren Shaft**. Continue on to the **Last Supper Room** (Matthew 26: 17-25) and **King David's Tomb**. Dinner and overnight: Hotel in Jerusalem.

**Day 8- December 5 - Wednesday:
Jerusalem – Bet Shemesh – Ella Valley**

Early morning drive to **Mt. Moriah** (Luke 2:46-48, John, 8:1-11, Mark 13:1-2, Matthew 27:51). Walk up to the **Temple Place** and visit the area of the **Dome of the Rock** and the **El Aqsa Mosque**. In the **Jewish Quarter** visit the **Western Wall**, one of last remnants of the second Jewish Temple, the **Davidson Center**, the **Southern Wall Stairs** and the

Rabbinical Tunnel (Western Wall Tunnel). Today we will also visit **St. Anne's Church**, a fine example of Crusader architecture and the **Pools of Bethesda**. In the afternoon, drive out of Jerusalem and visit **Bet Shemesh** and **Zorah** in the **Soreck Valley**. Continue on to the **Ella Valley**, where David fought Goliath. Drive via the Emmaus Road and return to Jerusalem. Dinner and overnight: Hotel in Jerusalem.

**Day 9 – December 6 - Thursday:
Jerusalem**

Drive to the western side of the city and visit the **Menorah** at the Knesset (Israel Parliament). Visit the **Israel Museum** which hosts the **Shrine of the Book** (where some of the Dead Sea Scrolls are kept) and the **Holy Land Model** from the 2nd Temple. Continue to **Yad Vashem**, the Holocaust Museum. End the day at the **Garden Tomb**. **Farewell dinner**. Transfer to the airport for your flight back to the USA.

Day 10 – December 7 - Friday: Tel Aviv - USA

Overnight flight back to the USA. Arrive the same day.

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Deposits and Payments:

\$350.00 deposit is required by each traveler with their reservation form to guarantee booking no later than July 28, 2018. The balance is due 60 days prior to departure on September 28, 2018.

PLEASE NOTE: All prices quoted are for payment by cash, check or money order. Credit card payments will be subject to a 3% additional charge.

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- Up to 100 days prior to departure date \$75.00 cancellation fee
- From 99-61 days prior to departure date \$250.00 cancellation fee
- From 60-46 days prior to departure date \$350.00 cancellation fee
- From 45 days prior to departure date and on – full cancellation fee (100%)

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