



European Devotions Tour to **Marian Holy Sites** Portugal, Spain, France & Italy

17 DAYS TOURING:

- ✓ Roundtrip ticket from/to CEB
- ✓ Hotel Accommodations (4*)
- ✓ All-inclusive tours & coach
- ✓ Halfboard Meals included
- ✓ Train tickets & Local flight
- ✓ Tour Leader/ Manager services & Local guides & Pilgrim Chaplain

May 10 - 27, 2024

US\$4288
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Inclusive Dates: 10 May – 27 May 2024 (Ex-Cebu)

**DAY 01: MAY 10 (FRI)
CEBU or MNL – LISBON**

Depart Cebu for your flight to Lisbon.

**DAY 02: MAY 11 (SAT) – (D)
LISBON-FATIMA (PORTUGAL)**

Arrival Lisbon International Airport. Then drive to city center of Lisbon for sightseeing - see the *Tagus River, Marques de Pombal Square, and Liberdade Avenue*. Pass by *Belem Palace*, official residence of the President of Portugal. See *Jeronimos Monastery, the Baixa, Praca do Comercio, and the Suspension Bridge*. Visit The *Church of Santo Antonio*, a Roman Catholic temple dedicated to Saint Anthony of Lisbon. Proceed to Fatima, you may explore the *Sanctuary and the Great White Basilica*.

**DAY 03: MAY 12 (SUN) – (B/D)
FATIMA (PORTUGAL)**

Start the day with visiting the following places: the *Basilica where the tombs of Lucia, Francisco and Jacinta* is located; the Chapel of the Apparitions, the place where Our Lady appeared; the church of the Holy Trinity; the exposition "Fatima Light and Peace" where the offers are left by the pilgrims. Later visit Aljustrel, the village where the shepherds were born. Continue to Valinhos and visit the Stations of the Cross and the Calvary, the site of Our Lady's 4th apparition and the place where the children received the first and third visit of the "Angel of Peace". The afternoon is free for personal devotions. Evening join the *candlelight procession*.

**DAY 04: MAY 13 (MON) - (B/D)
SALAMANCA-MADRID (SPAIN)**

After breakfast we board our coach across the Portuguese-Spanish border to the city of Salamanca, where we visit the *Basilica de Nuestra Senora de Penafrancia*. Salamanca has been declared a "World Heritage Site" by UNESCO. Proceed to Madrid. Upon arrival, transfer to hotel for check in and overnight.

**DAY 05: MAY 14 (TUE) - (B/D)
MADRID (SPAIN)**

Visit the Royal Palace then the *Almudena's Cathedral*, it is Madrid's Cathedral and one of the city's most beautiful churches. Almudena Cathedral is the seat of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Madrid. The cathedral was consecrated by Pope John Paul II in 1993. Free time after visiting highlights of the city then dinner and back to hotel for overnight.

**DAY 06: MAY 15 (WED) - (B/D)
MADRID-ZARAGOZA-BARCELONA (SPAIN)**

Today we will head to Zaragoza to visit the basilica of "Our Lady of the Pillar", where the Virgin Mary appeared miraculously to Saint James the Great in the first century, standing on a pillar. After the tour, free time to explore. Continue drive towards Barcelona directly to hotel for check-in.

**DAY 07: MAY 16 (THU) - (B/D)
MONTSERRAT - BARCELONA (SPAIN)**

Early breakfast and depart to Montserrat to see the *Black Madonna* found in the 12th century, which is still the destination of pilgrimages today. The basilica of the monastery was built in the 16th century, in the transition period between Gothic and Renaissance. The Black Madonna also known as Our Lady of Montserrat is kept in the basilica.

Back to Barcelona and enter *La Sagrada Familia* and explore *Gothic quarter*. If time permits short free time at Las Ramblas.

**DAY 08: MAY 17 (FRI) - (B/D)
ANDORRA-LOURDES (FRANCE)**

After breakfast, travel to Andorra and visit sights such as the *Romanesque Sant Esteve Church* and the snow-capped Pyrenees. During this tour, discover the tiny landlocked nation of Andorra, located on the border between Spain and France. Continue to Lourdes, France. In the evening, join the emotive candlelight procession.

**DAY 09: MAY 18 (SAT) - (B/D)
LOURDES – PARIS (FRANCE)**

You will be guided to the *Sanctuary to visit the Underground Basilica*, walk the Station of the Cross, take the *Holy Bath*, drink the water or wash your face in the *Grotto*, or participate in the veneration of the sick pilgrim then free time for your private devotion. In the afternoon, take a high-speed train to Paris then directly to hotel for dinner and overnight.

**DAY 10: MAY 19 (SUN) - (B/D)
PARIS (FRANCE)**

After breakfast, we will firstly experience *Seine River Cruise*. Enjoy guided city tour of Paris to visit Chapel of *Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal*, see the *Eiffel Tower, Champs Elysees, the Arc de Triomphe, Place de la Concorde, and Les Invalides*. Free time in the afternoon perhaps shop at the largest department store in France, the *Galleries La Fayette*.

**DAY 11: MAY 20 (MON) - (B/D)
PARIS-MILAN (ITALY)**

Transfer to Paris International airport for flight to Milan. Upon arrival, we will discover Milan, a metropolis in Italy's northern Lombardy region, a global capital of fashion and design. The guide will show you "The Gothic Duomo di Milano Cathedral". Explore more of Milano and free time will be given. You may opt to shop, dine, or enter the Duomo on your own arrangements

**DAY 12: MAY 21 (TUE) - (B/D)
FLORENCE-ASSISI (ITALY)**

Long drive to Florence and start city tour. One of its most iconic sights is the *Duomo*, a cathedral with a terracotta-tiled dome engineered by Brunelleschi and a bell tower by Giotto. After free time, continue towards Assisi, the hometown of the Beloved St. Francis. See the *Basilica of St. Francis and the Basilica of Santa Maria Degli Angel*. Evening hotel for check-in, dinner, and overnight

**DAY 13: MAY 22 (WED) - (B/D)
MANOPELLO-LANCIANO-SAN GIOVANNI (ITALY)**

Morning visit Santuario del Volto Santo then celebrate Thanksgiving Mass at the old Capuchin Monastery and see miraculous image of Christ's face on a veil, the "Veronica" (true icon). Proceed to Lanciano and visit *San Francesco Church*. Continue towards San Giovanni Rotondo.

**DAY 14: MAY 23 (THU) - (B/D)
SAN GIOVANNI-ROME (ITALY)**

Spend the day in San Giovanni Rotondo, home of Saint Pio of Pietrelcina from 28 July 1916 until his

death on 23 Sept. 1968. Visit the Shrine, tomb and *crypt of St. Padre Pio*. In the afternoon, proceed to Rome for check-in and dinner.

**DAY 15: MAY 24 (FRI) - (B/D)
VATICAN CITY (ITALY)**

This morning head over to *St Peter's Basilica* for a guided visit of Vatican's main church and a tour inside the *Vatican Museum* of art collections. Free time for lunch and religious items shopping. If time permits, visits to the other major basilicas and some free time by the *Spanish steps*.

**DAY 16: MAY 26 (SAT) – (B/D)
ROME (ITALY)**

After breakfast, enjoy a short trip around eternal city of Rome for some photographic memories of the *Colosseum, Vittorio Emmanuelle II and Trevi Fountain*. Then head on to airport for your departure flight in the afternoon.

**DAY 17: MAY 27 (SUN)
Arrive Cebu**

EK 338	10MAY	CEBDXB	1755	0115
EK 191	11MAY	DXBLIS	0725	1235
EK 098	26MAY	FCODXB	1530	2310
EK 338	27MAY	DXBCEB	0255	1620

INCLUSIONS:

- Roundtrip Airfare from Cebu (or Manila)
- Lourdes – Paris High-speed Train Tickets
- Paris – Milan Flight Tickets w/ 23kgs check-in luggage / 7kgs carry-on
- Hotel Accommodation on twin sharing based on local 4* categories
- Meals as indicated (B – Buffet Breakfasts and D – Dinners)
- Professional Tour Director all the way
- Tours & Sightseeing with Licensed English-Speaking Local Guides
- Transportation on modern coach
- City and Hotel Taxes
- 1 bottle water daily on coach
- Pre-Dep Orientation & Travel Kit
- Pilgrim Chaplain with Daily Private Mass

TOUR COST PER PERSON:

Per person on Twin or Triple Sharing:

Min of 30 adults: USD 4,288 / pax
Single Supplement : US\$950.00

EXCLUSIONS (++):

- Visa Fee : P12,500.00 – P14,500 (estimate)
- Travel Insurance (Up to 75 y.o.) – \$ 60.00
- Tips: \$10 /day x 15 = US\$150
- Porterage at hotels and airports
- Drinks and beverages ordered during meals
- Lunch and other meals not mentioned

RESERVATIONS & CANCELLATIONS

- 1.) USD800.00 deposit is required upon reservations together with a photocopy of a passport (valid for 6 MONTHS from date of departure)
- 2.) Non-refundable Full Payment required before ticketing no later than thirty (30) days before departure. Travel Insurance policies apply in case of cancellations after payment.
- 3) If the group fall below 30, your Travel Agent has the right to cancel or reschedule the tour or supplement fee.



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