

# Holy Land <sup>2019</sup> Pilgrimage

Including:

- Bethlehem
  - Jerusalem
  - Dead Sea
  - Galilee
  - Nazareth
- and more.....

From Galilee's tranquil shores  
to Jerusalem's open gates



10 DAYS - 29 Oct. to 7 Nov. 2019

Led by The Revd Steve & Rod Ingrouille and The Revd Dawn Harrison



Holy Land  
Pilgrimage

## The Dates

Tuesday 29th October  
to Thursday 7th November  
2019



## The Itinerary

Day 1 – Tue 29th Oct.

### **LONDON to GALILEE**

Meet at London Heathrow Airport and check-in for the morning flight to Tel Aviv, Israel. Meals and full in-flight services will be offered en-route.

On arrival, travel north by private coach to Galilee hotel for room allocation and light refreshments.

Dinner & Overnight  
by GALILEE.

Day 2 – Wed 30th Oct

### **LAKESIDE MINISTRIES**

#### **Sailing Galilee -**

embark for a private sail from Ein Gev on the eastern shores to Nof Ginosar on the western shore in a reconstructed fishing boat of the kind that the disciples would have used – with a Service of Holy Communion on board.



#### **Capernaum -**

continue to the town that was the basis of Jesus' Galilean ministry.

#### **Tabgha/Mensa Christi -**

from here, a short drive to visit the Church of the Loaves and the Fish, commemorating the Feeding of the Five Thousand, and then to St. Peter's Primacy Church (Mensa Christi) right on the edge of the lake and where Christ made breakfast for the disciples.

#### **Mount of Beatitudes -**

drive up to the Mount of Beatitudes with its fine panorama of the Sea and where Jesus taught.

#### **Magdala -**

stop at the remains of this fishing village and the home of Mary Magdalene.

#### **Valley of the Doves -**

a stroll into the valley on the old Roman road from Capernaum to Nazareth that Jesus and his disciples would most probably have used.

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**Sea of Galilee  
Northern Shore**

Day 3 – Thu 31st Oct

## UPPER GALILEE

### **Kursi (Gadara) -**

stop at the location where the demonic was healed by Jesus.



### **Bethesda -**

on to the fishing village home of Peter, Philip and Andrew.

### **The Damascus Road -**

ascend and cross the Golan Heights, time to stop and look over the town of Qunetra in the region of the old Roman road to Damascus on which St. Paul was converted.

### **Caesarea Philippi -**

at the source of the River Jordan (Banias) and in the time of Jesus a major city where Peter made his confession, 'You are the Christ'.

### **Dan, the Biblical Capital -**

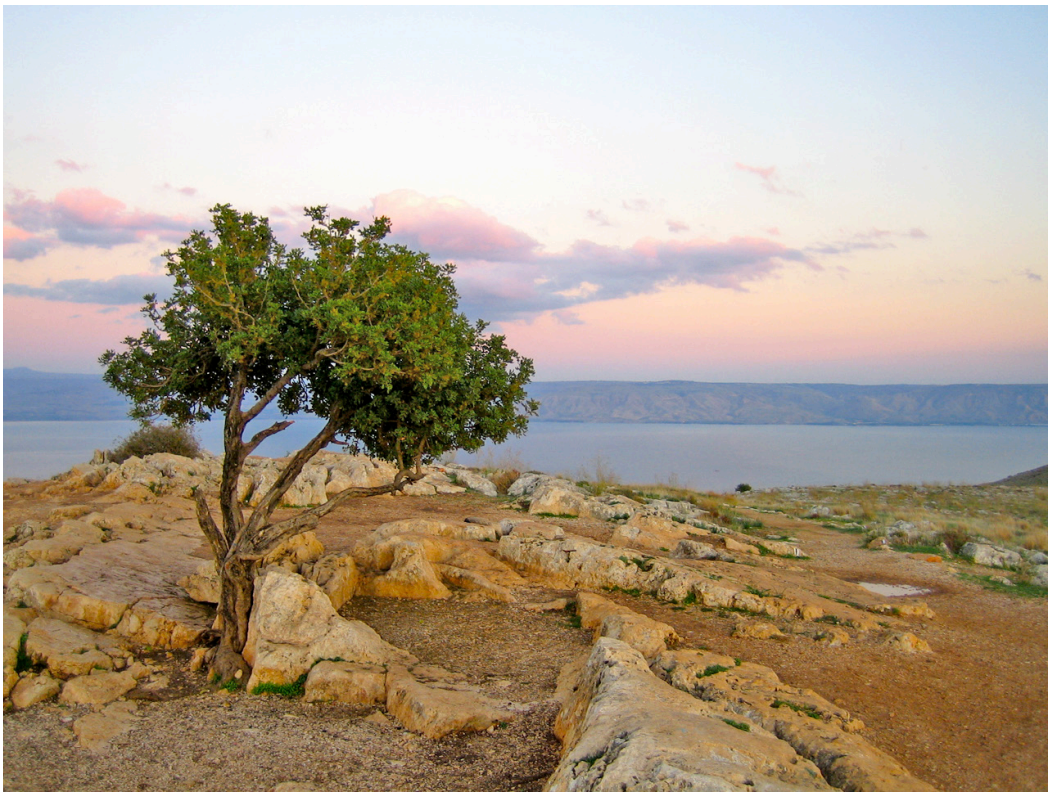
to this nearby nature reserve on the borders of Phoenicia – belonged to the tribe of Dan, where Abraham rescued Lot and later where Jeroboam erected Golden Calves.



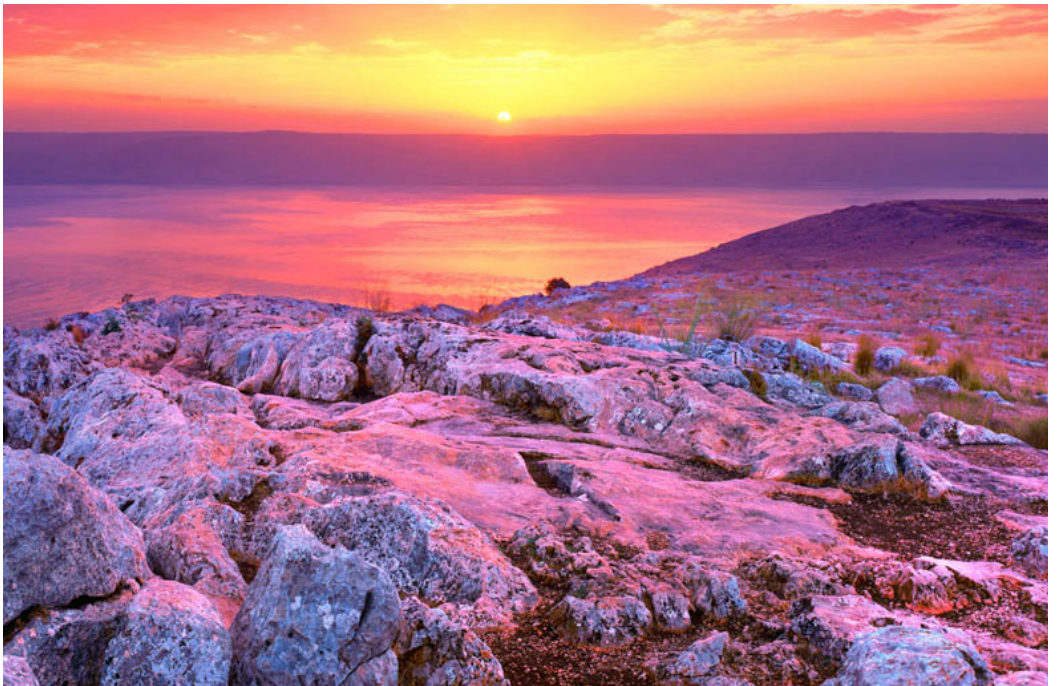
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**Mount Arbel Sea of Galilee**





Day 4 – Fri 1st Nov

## LOWER GALILEE REGION

### Sepphoris -

start the day visiting what once was Herod's Galilean capital which Joseph and Jesus as 'tradesmen' may have worked. The site hosts an unusual mosaic nicknamed the 'Mona Lisa of Galilee'.

### Nazareth -

visit the home town of the Holy Family and stop at Mary's Well, and then a short walk to the Church of the Annunciation (built over the location of the village in Jesus' day).

### The Nazareth Village -

using the results of archaeological and academic research, it reproduces village life as it would have been in the time of Jesus – a helpful media presentation is included.

*Note.*

*The Nazareth Village may be replaced by a visit to Megiddo, Solomon's chariot city and the Armageddon of Revelation.*

### Mount of Precipitation -

cross the great Jezreel Valley to the summit of the mountain where tradition has it that the elders of the Nazareth synagogue attempted to throw Jesus off the cliff.

### Mount Tabor -

ascend the summit by private taxi and visit the Franciscan Church commemorating the Transfiguration of Christ. Enjoy the splendid view of Mounts Gilboa and Gilead from the viewing balcony outside the church.

Dinner & Overnight  
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Jerusalem  
The Holy City





Day 5 – Sat 2nd Nov

## **GALILEE TO JERUSALEM**

### **Yardenit -**

after breakfast, stop by the Jordan River where it flows south from Galilee to the Dead Sea and use the baptismal facilities.

### **Beit Shean -**

a huge, impressive site with both Old and New Testament significance. From the city walls the Philistines hung the bodies of Saul and his sons. Present excavations reveal the Roman provincial city from Jesus' day, reflecting the grandeur of Imperial Rome.

### **Bethany-beyond-the-Jordan -**

to the banks of the River Jordan between Jordan and Israel's border where John baptised.

### **Jericho -**

stop in this city which Jesus often passed through to see the excavated 'fallen walls' of the old city, with Elisha's fountain nearby.

### **The Wilderness -**

from here begin the drive up to Jerusalem, travelling through Wadi Kelt in the Judean Wilderness on the old Roman Jerusalem-to-Jericho road that Jesus often travelled. See St. George's Monastery perched into the rocks.

Arrive in Jerusalem for room allocation and dinner.

Dinner & Overnight  
in JERUSALEM.



Day 6 – Sun 3rd Nov

## **JERUSALEM**

### **St. George's Cathedral -**

option to attend the 9.30am Palestinian Eucharist (with translation), with an opportunity to meet some of the local Christians.

### **Western Wall -**

then on to the Western Wall ('Wailing Wall') to witness Jewish traditions and prayers.

### **Temple Mount Excavations -**

at the nearby Ophel Excavations take time to see the ancient Pilgrim Steps, old Temple Gates and Mikveh Baths, an area that Jesus would have known well.

### **City of David -**

opportunity to see where Jerusalem began including the location of David's Palace, Hezekiah's tunnels and the huge Pool of Siloam.

### **Mount Zion -**

up to see the Cenacle (Upper Room) and the traditional Tomb of King David.

Dinner & Overnight  
in JERUSALEM.





Day 7 – Mon 4th Nov

## DEAD SEA REGION

### **Masada -**

drive down from Jerusalem and along the shores of the Dead Sea to ascend 400 meters by cable-car to the summit of Masada mountain. Here Jewish Zealots withstood the Roman army after the Fall of Jerusalem.

### **Qumran -**

continue for a lunch break and site visit at the caves of Qumran where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found by a shepherd boy in 1947.

### **Dead Sea -**

to the shores of the Dead Sea at Kalia with time to relax and 'float' in its unique waters.

Dinner & Overnight

in JERUSALEM.



Day 8 – Tue 5th Nov

## THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS

### **Bethphage -**

visit the little church in Bethphage village – the start of the 'Palm Sunday' route. Also see an example of a first century tomb.

### **Mount of Olives -**

from an observation point there is a breathtaking panorama of the Old City – hear something of its great history.

### **Dominus Flevit -**

stroll down the hillside to call at Chapel of the Tear-Drop, commemorating Jesus weeping over the city.

### **Gethsemane -**

arrive at the Garden of Gethsemane and visit the Church of All Nations.

### **St. Peter's Church -**

visit the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu (built over the High Priest's Palace) with underground cave-prisons and old Hasmonean steps leading to Gethsemane.

### **Pools of Bethesda -**

enter the Old City through St. Stephen's Gate and visit the pools where the lame man was healed by Jesus. Also visit the Crusader Church of St. Anne with its wonderful acoustic.

### **Judgement Hall -**

continue through the narrow streets to see the location of Pilate's Residence and the 'Lithostrotos' with the Ecce Homo Arch, that locates the original entrance.

### **Via Dolorosa -**

from here walk along the Via Dolorosa to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre.

Dinner & Overnight

in JERUSALEM.





Day 9 – Wed 6th Nov

## **BETHLEHEM REGION**

### **Jerusalem Model -**

at the Israeli Museum and built on a scale of 1-60 from Herod's period including a fine model of the Temple.



### **Bethlehem -**

begin with a visit to the Church of the Nativity, built over original cave-dwellings from Gospel days. Then to the Shepherds' Fields outside Bethlehem, associated with Ruth and Boaz, Samuel and David, and, of course, the birth of Christ.

### **Bethlehem Arab Society for Rehabilitation -**

drive here for lunch, with an opportunity to hear and see something of the work of the Centre.

### **Handicraft Co-operative -**

spend some time here for shopping!  
Holy Communion in Garden Tomb to finish the day.

Dinner & Overnight  
in JERUSALEM.



DAY 10 – Thu 7th Nov

## **HOMEWARD BOUND**

### **Joppa -**

After breakfast, travel to the old seaport associated with Jonah and Peter. A walk round the Old City area and visit to the harbour.

### **Return flight -**

on to Ben Gurion Airport for the afternoon return flight to London Heathrow.





## PROJECTED FLIGHTS

FROM  
LONDON HEATHROW AIRPORT  
WITH BRITISH AIRWAYS

### OUTWARD:

Heathrow/Tel Aviv

Flight BA165

Depart 08.05

Arrive 14.50



### INWARD:

Tel Aviv/Heathrow

Flight BA164

Depart 16.40

Arrive 20.00

## THE HOTELS

### JERUSALEM

#### **The Ritz Hotel**

Near the Old City Gates with roof-top gardens and terrace.



### **Ma'agan Holiday Village**

Lakeside setting with landscaped grounds and pool.



*Subject to final numbers hotels may change but if so, they will be of the same standard.*

Jerusalem  
Old City





# HOLY LAND

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Flight departure from London Heathrow

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PRICE EX-HEATHROW: £1898 Per Person  
Quality Hotels at Half-Board Throughout

## INCLUDED IN THE PRICE

- ✓ Return flights from HEATHROW to TEL AVIV with British Airways as itinerary.
- ✓ Private transfer from/ to airports on arrival/departure in Israel.
- ✓ All touring in modern air-conditioned coaches.
- ✓ All entrance fees and local professional guide services during the touring programme.
- ✓ Hotels based on twin-bedded rooms sharing with private facilities.
- ✓ Half-Board Accommodation Breakfast & Evening Meals.
- ✓ Private Galilee sail/Entrance to Dead Sea Beach/Cable-Car ascent at Masada.
- ✓ 20 Kilos Free luggage allowance.
- ✓ UK/Israel Government Airport Taxes (Valued at approx.£152).
- ✓ Local supervision by Maranatha offices in Jerusalem.

## NOT INCLUDED

- × Single-Room supplement = £435  
(hotels allocate a twin room for one person - hence this supplement).
- × Tips & Gratuities (Drivers, Guides, Hotels etc).

## DEPOSITS are £200.00 Per Person

Payments should be made out to **MARANATHA TOURS.**

## NOTES.

1/ *Following the Brexit/Exit on-going negotiations as at August 2018, we have priced this Pilgrimage at the exchange rate of the Pound to the US Dollar at 1.40. This is considered to be a realistic exchange rate for the Autumn of 2019.*

2/ *During each day at lunchtime, stops will be made at selected self-service restaurants where snacks or meals can be purchased at very reasonable prices.*

3/ *Insurance is strongly recommended - if you require assistance in securing this, please contact us and we will suggest approved providers.*



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