

Knights Templar Holy Land Pilgrimage

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Group 1, February 6 – 16, 2023

Group 2, February 20 – March 2, 2023



DAY 1, Monday,

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Depart EWR, evening flight

Arrive at the beginning location of your domestic flight early. We are seeing all sorts of weather around the country. Today, we will be gathering from across the US heading to EWR to begin our adventure together. The Knights Templar Holy Land Pilgrimage will not be cancelled or rescheduled. Your participation will not be cancelled or rescheduled. If the group is delayed out of EWR, EL AL will get us underway as soon as possible. If you are delayed in arriving at EWR and you miss our flight, EL AL will get you on the next available flight (the next day) and you will catch up with us after your arrival in Israel.

If there are flight delays or other problems on your domestic flight, work with your airline and keep reminding them that you are connecting with an international flight at EWR. Contact your travel agency or airline directly.

At ER Airport:

- Around 6:00 PM – begin moving and looking for the group on the DEPARTURES area for EL AL.
- Be sure to check in with us **FIRST**, before you attempt to check in with EL AL. As is possible, **we will check in as a group.**
- Our EL AL Flight is near 9:00 p.m. We will start checking in with EL AL and go through their security procedures **after** 6:00 p.m.
- Join the group as we wait in the queue for check-in.
- You will have an interview process. Have travel documents and passport ready.
- Proceed to the EL AL Desks to check luggage and receive your BOARDING PASS.
- Continue to and through Airport Security with carry-on.
- We will re-gather at the gate area prior to boarding.
- If you arrive after the group has checked in, enter the lines and work through the process individually.

On EL AL Flight 026 – EWR to Tel Aviv **3**

After boarding, get settled in for the long overnight flight (around 10.5 hours).

Once we have taken off, received the airline safety video, etc. we may be served a meal sometime. This will be the lunch you will not receive the next day.

After the meal, lights will be dimmed for 6 – 7 hours for rest.

At the end of that time, the lights will come up and in time, we will be served breakfast. On the ground in Israel it is already mid-afternoon.

When we land at Ben Gurion Airport in Tel Aviv it will be around 2:20 PM Israel time.

DAY 2, Tuesday,

Arrive Tel Aviv – Ben Gurion Airport

Upon Arriving at Ben Gurion Airport in TEL AVIV
(it will be Tuesday afternoon):

There is no way to gather the group at this point. SO - - -

“ Collect ALL of your things and get off the plane (double check your seating area and the luggage compartments).

“ Proceed to the main terminal

(there is only one path, you can't go wrong).

“ Have your passport ready and proceed through the PASSPORT CONTROL stations (you have a Foreign passport).

“ Keep the small slip of paper they give you in your passport.

“ You will use the small slip of paper to enter the main hall (with baggage claim).

“ Keep the small slip of paper in your passport, we will need to collect them when we gather as we are collecting our luggage.

“ Check in with one of your tour hosts.

“ Collect your checked bag from the baggage claim area for your flight.

“ Take a rest room break while you wait and collect your luggage.

“ Gather back with the group and wait patiently while one of the group leaders has checked you off the list.

“ DO NOT LEAVE THE BAGGAGE CLAIM AREA ON YOUR OWN. STAY TOGETHER WITH THE GROUP.

“ We will take the whole group together to the next place (and the bus).

--Everyone is in charge of getting their own luggage to the bus.

--We will go to the Tal by the Beach Hotel in Tel Aviv for one night.

On the ground briefing: **4**

FIVE IMPORTANT RULES FOR HAPPY GROUP LIFE

- LISTEN (READ) AND FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS.
- BE ON TIME.
- BE WHERE YOU ARE SUPPOSED TO BE.
- DO WHAT YOU ARE SUPPOSED TO DO.
- KEEP THE LEADERS INFORMED

GUIDELINES

Please wear your name badge and lanyard throughout the tour. This helps identify you as a part of our tour group and shows courtesy to others. STAY WITH THE GROUP. If you wander away from the tour group and we cannot find you, do your best to negotiate a taxi fare back to the hotel for the rest of the day. We will need to continue that day without you.

ATTITUDES & BEHAVIORS

Please remember that while on this pilgrimage – you represent the Knights Templar, the United States of America, your denomination, and the Christian faith. The impression you make by your actions, words, and attitudes should reflect positively on who you are, the program, and Christianity.

ALSO:

- Watch your step, watch your head.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Keep valuables secure.
- Bathroom breaks (don't wait until it is time to leave)
- Keep the group together (keep the accordion small)
- Do not let others cut through or move into our group.
- Watch out for one another (esp. your roommate). Buddy system.
- Do a self-inventory before you move on. PAUSE, ASSESS, INVENTORY.
- Everyone needs to get that special photo. Always rotate at photo opportunities.
- Use the wrist strap with your camera or any device that has one.

- Get off the bus and take any items you brought onto the bus with you (your bags under the bus will come in later).
- Wait patiently in the lobby until we get keys, etc. in order.
- Room keys and stickers for luggage will be distributed.
- Put the stickers on your luggage and bellboys will take them to your room. Please do not disrupt this process. Bellboys will have access to service elevators and/or carts to move luggage efficiently. If you attempt to take your luggage on the regular elevators yourself, you will significantly slow down the group's ability to get to their rooms in a timely manner.

Dinner around 7:00 PM

Take a walk, stretch out, stir the blood a bit.

This will help you get to sleep and be prepared for the day tomorrow.



*The items listed for each day represent a **TENTATIVE Itinerary**. Do not be surprised when the schedule changes. Be flexible. Be on time on the bus and we will see that you get to whatever is next.*

Theme: The Way of the Sea (The Via Maris)

Verse: Luke 9:28-36

6:30 AM Wake up call

prior to 7:00 AM – put your checked bag and carryon outside your room in the hallway.

Care for any room charges you may have

Breakfast

By 7:45 AM – identify your bags at the bus

8:00 AM – you are settled on the bus ready to go.

Joppa (Joffa)

Simon the Tanner's house, etc.

Caesarea Maritima

Aqueduct

Mt. Carmel

Lunch

Tel Megiddo (water system: 187 steps down, 77 steps up)

Mt. Tabor (Transfiguration) §

Arrive at Kibbutz Nof Ginosar,

on the Sea of Galilee for two nights

Upon arrival at Nof Ginosar:

- Get off the bus and take any items you brought onto the bus with you (your bags under the bus will come in later).
- Wait patiently in the lobby until we get keys, etc. in order.
- Room keys and stickers for luggage will be distributed.
- Put the stickers on your luggage and bellboys will take them to your room. Please do not disrupt this process.

6:30 PM – Dinner

7:30 PM – Group Meeting – Caps, Names and places, Pilgrimage Background, Freemasonry connection.

Reflection Meditation: *The Mount of Transfiguration story is a confirmation story. What are your milestones of confirmation in your journey of faith and ministry?*

What was your 'impact moment' today?

Looking ahead: Baptismal Renewal tomorrow, bring swimwear

DAY 4, Thursday,

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Theme: The Galilee – The Land of the Ministry of Jesus

Verse: Matthew 5:1-12 (Matthew 5 – 7)

6:30 AM – Wake-up call

7:00 AM – Breakfast

8:00 AM – you, standing beside the bus, ready to go.

The ancient boat at Nof Ginosar

Boat ride across the Galilee (*songs page 19*)

Mount of the Beatitudes

Chorazin

Lunch (St. Peter's Fish)

Capernaum (Peter's house & synagogue)

Migdal (Magdala) (*song pag 20*)

Yardenit (Jordan River, baptismal renewal) \$

6:30 PM - Dinner

Reflection Meditation: *The Galilee is the area / region / setting of the ministry of Jesus. How would you define the area / region / setting of your ministry?*

What was your 'impact moment' today?

Looking ahead: Pack, pay any room charges.



DAY 5, Friday,

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Theme: The Journey – Nazareth to Jerusalem

Verse: Luke 4:14-30

6:30 AM - Wake-up call

prior to 7:00 AM – put your checked bag and carryon outside your room in the hallway.

Care for any room charges you may have

Breakfast

By 7:45 AM – identify your bags at the bus

8:00 AM – you are settled on the bus ready to go.

Cana (first miracle)

Nazareth

Church of the Annunciation \$

Workshop

Church of the Synagogue

Lunch

Beit She'an

On to Jerusalem

The Garden Tomb

Jerusalem overlook and welcome

Arrive at Dan Panorama Hotel in Jerusalem

6:30 PM - Dinner

Upon arrival at the hotel in Jerusalem:

- Get off the bus and take any items you brought onto the bus with you (your bags under the bus will come in later).
- Wait patiently in the lobby until we get keys, etc. in order.
- Room keys and stickers for luggage will be distributed.
- Put the stickers on your luggage and bellboys will take them to your room. Please do not disrupt this process.

Reflection Meditation: *How do you experience the unique joy of entering Jerusalem? What does it mean to you?*

What was your 'impact moment' today?

Looking ahead: Big walking day tomorrow.

DAY 6, Saturday,**9**

Theme: The Last Days and the First Days

Verse: Luke 2:1-38

6:30 AM – Wake-up call

7:00 AM – Breakfast

8:00 AM – you are settled on the bus ready to go.

Carry your passport today.**Mt. Zion****Dormition Abbey****Cenacle / Cenaculum (Upper Room)****Tomb of David****Church of St. Peter Gallicantu §****Ancient steps from upper city to Kidron Valley****Bethlehem****Shepherds Fields***Lunch***Church of the Nativity****Nissan Brothers Olive Wood Shop**

6:30 PM – Dinner

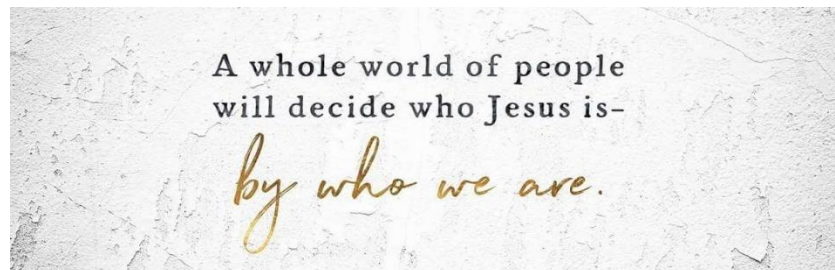
Evening program with Arab Christian Pastor (Group A)

Reflection Meditation: *At some time we have all felt abandoned, deserted, and alone? How did God lift you up and out of the dungeon of despair?*

What was your 'impact moment' today?

Looking ahead: Group service in the morning and free day in the city.

The plan is that everyone gets to enter the Tomb.

**DAY 7, Sunday,****10**

Theme: The Tomb and a Walkabout the Old City of Jerusalem

Verse: Luke 23:26 – 24:12

6:30 AM – Wake-up call

7:00 AM – Breakfast

8:00 AM – meet in lobby to take transportation to the Old City

Group visit to the tomb area inside**the Church of the Holy Sepulcher and elsewhere.****Group Worship Service at Station 7 (with Communion)***Lunch on your own \$***Afternoon of exploration in Jerusalem***Evening program with Arab Christian Pastor (Group B)***Sunday Afternoon Options**

Here are some possibilities for exploring on Sunday afternoon in addition to walking and enjoying the flavor and atmosphere of the four quarters in the Old City.

- David Citadel Museum (at the Jaffa Gate) \$
- The Burnt House (in the Jewish Quarter) \$ check schedule for English program time.
- Jerusalem Archaeological Park - Davidson Center \$
- Hezekiah's Tunnel (at the City of David near Dung Gate) \$
- Rockefeller Museum (outside of the NE corner of the Old City) \$
- Artists' Colony Shops & Galleries (Down from the Jaffa Gate on the right/west) (from Mt. Zion – on the left).
- Teddy Park (across from the bottom of the ramp from the Jaffa Gate).
- Mamila Mall (across from the Jaffa Gate entrance and down the steps to the west).

Tickets for these next three are available from a ticket booth around from the Jaffa Gate:

- Ramparts Walk (either North or South) \$
- Roman Plaza under the Damascus Gate \$
- Zedekia's Cave (east outside the Damascus Gate) \$

Dinner will be served at the usual time on Sunday evening (6:30).

Keep track of your time out exploring so that you return to the Hotel in time for dinner at 6:30 PM. *(Group Meeting afterward)*

Reflection Meditation: *Jesus called Lazarus out of a tomb. What 'tombs' are we being called out of?*

What was your 'impact moment' today?

Looking ahead: Big walking day tomorrow.

Welcome & Instructions
Opening Prayer
Old Testament Reading
New Testament Epistle or Psalm
Song
Gospel Reading
The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Pastor gives thanks appropriate to the occasion, remembering God's acts of salvation and concludes:

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord, God of power and might,

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Pastor continues the Thanksgiving. The institution of the Lord's Supper is recalled, the Pastor continues:

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us,

as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

The pastor invokes the present work of the Holy Spirit and then praises the Trinity, concluding:

All honor and glory is yours, almighty Father (God) now and for ever. **Amen.**

Sharing the bread and cup

Song

Closing prayer

Theme: Following the Footsteps of Jesus in Jerusalem

Verse: John 5:1-15ff

6:30 AM – Wake-up call

7:00 AM – Breakfast

8:00 AM – you are settled on the bus ready to go.

Enter the Old City via the Dung Gate

Western Wall (Wailing Wall)

Temple Mount (Haram esh Sharif, *when available*)

Dome of the Rock & al Aqsa Mosque

Stephen's Gate (Lion's Gate)

St. Anne's Church & Bethesda Pools

Via Dolorosa (The Way of Sorrow):

1. **Jesus is condemned**
2. **Jesus receives the cross**
3. **Jesus falls the 1st time**
4. **Jesus meets his mother**
5. **Simon of Cyrene assists Jesus**
6. **Veronica wipes the face of Jesus**
7. **Jesus falls the 2nd time (city gate)**
8. **Jesus speaks to the daughters of Jerusalem**
9. **Jesus falls the 3rd time (closed)**

Inside The Church of the Holy Sepulcher:

10. **Jesus is stripped**
11. **Jesus is nailed to the cross**
12. **Jesus dies**
13. **Jesus is removed from the cross (unction)**
14. **Jesus is laid in the tomb (Edicule/Aedicule)**

Lunch in the old city

Jewish Quarter

See the Cardo

Walk through Armenian Quarter

The Garden Tomb (*if we haven't already*)

6:30 PM – Dinner

6:00 PM – *Masonic Lodge members may meet.*

Reflection Meditation: *At this point in your ministry, what does it mean to take up your cross and follow Jesus?*

What was your 'impact moment' today?

Looking ahead: Bus day tomorrow, Dead Sea Float – bring swimwear
Honoraria for Guide and Driver begin collecting tomorrow.

DAY 9, Tuesday,**13**

Theme: Wilderness and Desert

Verse: Luke 4:1-13

6:30 AM – Wake-up call

7:00 AM – Breakfast

8:00 AM – you are settled on the bus ready to go.

Dead Sea**Masada***Lunch***Qumran (Dead Sea Scrolls & Essenes)****Dead Sea Swim / Float**

6:30 PM – Dinner

*(Possible Group Meeting – the BIG Review & Pilgrimage planning)*Reflection Meditation: *What is your response to ‘desert time’ and temptation?*

What was your ‘impact moment’ today?

Looking ahead: Begin packing, Surveys, Honoraria for Guide and Driver continue collecting tomorrow.

DAY 10, Wednesday,**14**

Theme: A Legacy of Agony

Verse: Matthew 26:36-56

6:30 AM – Wake-up call

7:00 AM – Breakfast

8:00 AM – you are settled on the bus ready to go.

Garden of Gethsemane & The Church of All Nations**Mt. of Olives****Ascension Chapel****Pater Noster Church (The Lord’s Prayer)****Jerusalem overlook****Israel Museum****Model of the Jerusalem****Shrine of the Book***Lunch***Yad Vashem Holocaust Memorial §****Group Closing at Goldman Promenade Overlook**

Finish packing for return flight

6:00 PM – Group Dinner at the Hotel

8:00 PM – Bus leaves to Ben Gurion Airport

Upon Arriving at Ben Gurion Airport in TEL AVIV:

- Those with large VAT Tax items, station is at the right.
- The group will enter a queue and wait together.
- Answer security questions.
- Check in at EL AL Airline desks and get boarding pass.
- Proceed to and through Airport Security with carry-on.
- Continue to Passport Control (you have a foreign passport)
- Use the new small slip of paper to enter the walkway.
- When you enter the hub
 - the VAT Tax place – walkway to your right.
 - There is the possibility that time may run short and you may not be able to collect your VAT Tax.
- Proceed to your gate and wait to board 12:05 a.m. flight.
Boarding will begin around 11:05.

Reflection Meditation: *What do we learn from the Holocaust experience for our world today?*

What was your ‘impact moment’ today?

Return to USA

- We will arrive at EWR around 5:05 AM.
- If you have added MOBILE PASSPORT to your smart phone, you can fill out the preliminary information prior to landing. Do not access it too many times, it will invalidate your entries.
- Take time to make sure you have gathered all of your things and prepared for landing. Check the seatback pockets, under your seat, and the area thoroughly.
- Once you leave the plane you will make the long walk into the ARRIVALS area of the airport.
- If you have MOBILE PASSPORT, enter that line.
- All others proceed to the center of the room and follow the instructions of the security staff.
- Go to a kiosk and complete the necessary steps there and obtain your printout.
- Continue to the next queue and wait to see the Customs Agent.
- Once cleared, go to the luggage claim area and wait until the luggage for your flight arrives.
- When you have gathered your luggage, proceed to your domestic flight Terminal for your return flight home.

Please return your REFLECTION SURVEY promptly if you haven't already. It is an appropriate response for the opportunity you have received.

Welcome
HOME!

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL (one night)

Tal by the Beach Hotel
287 Hayarkon Street
ISRAEL, 68012
Phone: +(972) 3-542-5500

GALILEE, ISRAEL Nof Ginosar

(two nights)
Kibbutz Ginosar
Galilee
ISRAEL, 14980
Phone: +(972)-04-670-0300

JERUSALEM, ISRAEL Dan Panorama Hotel

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2023 Flights

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The Ancient Boat Museum Gift Shop (Thursday morning)

A wide selection of Judaica, books, Prayer Shawls.

Idan Custom Jewelry (Friday evening) (*Ofer/Dani*)

Gold and Silver, for men and women, names and Biblical phrases, in English and Hebrew. (delivered by Tuesday)

Bethlehem New Store – Nissan Brothers (Saturday afternoon)

Large selection of Olive Wood items

Biblical Artifacts (Saturday/Sunday evening, other evenings)

Ancient coins, Jewelry, Lamps, other antiquities, Judaica.

Dajani's Oriental Bazaar (Sunday morning/afternoon)

Jerusalem Crosses, Rosaries, Jewelry, some Olive Wood items.

Salman Brothers (Sunday)

Items with Masonic Emblem (Square and Compasses)

Qumran Gift Shop (Tuesday)

Ahava Skin Care Products (*for men and women*), general tourist items.

Jewish related Jewelry & Presents in the Jewish Quarter (Monday)

Cardo

David Shevach, 6 Cardo St., Old City

Judaica, Mezuzot, Shema Scrolls, etc.

And other shops in that general area.

Hint: If you purchase any Olivewood items and are having them shipped, be sure to sign each item on the bottom.

This guide book has been prepared for you by Rev. Duane A. Kemerley, Tour Host Coordinator for the Knights Templar Holy Land Pilgrimages.

There will be an opportunity to have Baptismal Renewal in the Jordan River at Yardenit while we are in the Galilee. There will also be a time to take a dip in the salty waters of the Dead Sea on the next to the last day. If you might want to take advantage of either of these special moments, do pack some sort of swim wear. You may also consider swim shoes though not at all required. There are thin baptismal robes and towels available at Yardenit for a fee of \$10 – 12 I think (and a changing room and hot showers). You will be welcome to use a towel from the hotel for the day near the Dead Sea (where there will also be a changing room and showers). Do consider both of these possibilities. It's truly a once in a lifetime opportunity.

You will have the chance purchase or to order a Holy Land Pilgrimage Cap (sand colored / tan) with Knights Templar Holy Land Pilgrimage Logo embroidered on the front. \$20 if purchased while we are on the trip, \$25 if ordered and to be mailed.

We may have a guest speaker one evening who is a Christian Pastor serving as a pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer in the Old City. Is it customary to collect an offering for one of the initiatives he represents as a response to his presentation. Please be generous.

Near the end of the pilgrimage, we will send around a set of envelopes to collect an honorarium for both our Guide and our Bus Driver. Both of these are highly skilled professionals, and you will have grown to appreciate their care and expertise. A standard gratuity is included in the tour package so this is a sort of an appreciation / love offering for these two very special individuals. Please be generous. There may also be an envelope passed around for our ½ day Guide who will serve us in Bethlehem.

In the past some have made a donation to plant a tree in honor of or in memory of some individual or group. This is now done online. You will receive a very nice certificate for framing or presentation. Here is the link: <https://shop.jnf.org/collections/plant-trees>

There will be ample opportunities for souvenir and personal shopping along the way. Only you can know what you will want to do on this front.

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place; (Boat)
 I can feel his mighty power and his grace.
 I can hear the brush of angels' wings, I see glory on each face.
 Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

I love you Lord, and I lift my voice to worship you O my soul rejoice.
 Take joy, my king, in what you hear.
 May it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.

Give thanks with a grateful heart; give thanks to the holy one;
 Give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ, his son. (repeat)
 And now let the weak say, I am strong. Let the poor say, I am rich,
 Because of what the Lord has done for us. (repeat)
 Give thanks, give thanks, give thanks.

Make me a servant, humble and meek,
 Lord, let me lift up those who are weak.
 And may the prayer of my heart always be
 Make me a servant, make me a servant,
 Make me a servant today.

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
 With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.

Lord, You have come to the lakeshore; (Magdala)
 Looking neither for wealthy nor wise ones
 You only asked me to follow humbly

Refrain: O Lord, with Your eyes You have searched me
 And while smiling have spoken my name
 Now my boat's left on the shoreline behind me
 By Your side I will seek other seas

You know so well my possessions
 My boat carries no gold and no weapons
 You will find there, my nets and labor *Refrain*

You need my hands full of caring
 Through my labors to give others rest
 And constant love that keeps on loving *Refrain*

You, who have fished other oceans
 Ever longed for by souls who are waiting
 My loving friend, as thus You call me *Refrain*

I come to the garden alone, (Gethsemane)
 While the dew is still on the roses,
 And the voice I hear, falling on my ear,
 The Son of God discloses.

Refrain: And He walks with me, and He talks with me,
 And He tells me I am His own,
 And the joy we share as we tarry there,
 None other has ever known.

He speaks, and the sound of His voice,
 Is so sweet the birds hush their singing,
 And the melody that He gave to me,
 Within my heart is ringing. *Refrain*

I'd stay in the garden with Him,
 Tho' the night around me be falling,
 But He bids me go, thro' the voice of woe,
 His voice to me is calling. *Refrain*

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