

## Daily Itinerary

**Day 1:** Thu June 2 – Depart from JFK to TLV on flight **DL 234 at 11:45 PM.**

**Day 2:** Fri June 3 - Arrival in TLV at 5:35 PM. Meet our guide and drive to our hotel at the Sea of Galilee- **Pilgerhaus for dinner & overnight.**

**Day 3:** Sat June 4 - **Caesarea Maritima** one of the ancient Roman cities built by Herod the Great, review the stories of Paul (Acts 21-27) and Peter (Acts 10). Nazareth, **Dinner & Overnight Pilgerhaus.**

**Day 4:** Sun June 5 - Around the Sea of Galilee- Capernaum, Tabgha-loaves and fish for visit and Communion Service, St. Peter's Church (John 21) Mt. Beatitudes, Boat Ride. Dinner & overnight Pilgerhaus. **Communion Service at Dalmanuta.**

**Day 5:** Mon June 6 - **Dan**, visit around the ancient Tel from the times of the Kings of Israel (8th CBC), to view one of three sources of the Jordan River, View the oldest City gates in the world from the times of Abraham, then continue Golan Heights (**Caesarea Philippi**) to include hiking a trail of about 1.5 hours of one of the sources of the Jordan River. Eat at a Druze Restaurant. Continue drive on the Golan Heights and stop and view the border with Syria. Return to the hotel. **Dinner & Overnight Pilgerhaus.**

**Day 6:** Tue June 7 – Check out. Visit Magdala, Cana and Mount Tabor. Drive to Jerusalem and check in at our Gloria Hotel. **Dinner & Overnight Gloria.**

**Day 7:** Wed June 8 - Drive to Bethlehem to visit the Church of the Nativity and the Shepherds Fields. Souvenir Shopping in Bethlehem. Pm. Ein Karem, birth of John the Baptist and Visitation. **Dinner & Overnight Gloria.**

**Day 8:** Thu June 9 – Drive south to visit **Masada** the last stronghold of the Jewish rebels in 73 AD, **Qumran** and the Essene community where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found. Float in the Dead Sea and Jericho to view the Ancient Tel and the Mount of Temptation. Opportunity to ride on a Camel. Shopping opportunity for Dead Sea products. **Dinner & Overnight Gloria.**

**Day 9:** Fri June 10 - Jerusalem Mount of Olives, Pater Noster, Dominus Flevit, and Garden of Gethsemane. Mount Zion - St. Peter in Gallicantu where Peter denied Jesus, Cenacle of the Last Supper. **Dinner & Overnight Gloria.**

**Day 10:** Sat June 11 - Early walk of the Stations of the Cross, and Church of the Holy Sepulchre. St. Anne and Pool of Bethesda (John 5) and Wailing Wall. Visit the Augusta Victoria Lutheran Church with a short talk with Paulina Parhiala (if available). **Emmaus (Abu Ghosh).** The rest of the day is free. **Dinner & Overnight Gloria.**

**Day 11:** Sun June 12 – After Breakfast, join the local Lutheran English-speaking Congregation for the 09:00AM Worship Service at the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer in the Old City. Return to the hotel for **check out at 11:00.** Visit the Holocaust Museum of Yad Vashem at 12:00. Israel Museum to sum up the Jerusalem visits, and see a model of Jerusalem from Jesus' day, and the Dead Sea scrolls on display. Drive to Jaffa for a walk in the old Jaffa Port area. Dinner in Jaffa (offered by RTEP) and transfer to the TLV Airport in the eve for our flight home **DL 235 at 11:55PM.**

**Day 12:** Mon June 13 - Arrive at JFK at 05:15AM. Board our connection flights.

Notes: Not included: 1. All Lunches. 2. All Tips to guide, driver, hotel and restaurant staff.

The above program is subject to minor modifications to cope with traffic conditions and/or Covid19 Rules and regulations.