PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

10 DAYS: FEBRUARY 1 - 10, 2021

Visiting

CAESAREA * HAIFA * TIBERIAS * SEA OF GALILEE * CANA
NAZARETH * BETHLEHEM * JERUSALEM

Hosted by

FR. MIKE SMITH

$3779 PER PERSON FROM TAMPA

(Air/land tour price is $3079 plus $700 government taxes/airline surcharges)

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Dear Friends,

A journey to the Holy Land is a spiritual Pilgrimage that every Christian should make at least once in a lifetime. There the Bible comes alive with names and events we have been hearing about all our lives. It brings a new richness as we walk where Jesus walked in Jerusalem and visit such awe-inspiring points of spiritual interest as the Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane, Mt. Zion, and the Upper Room.

We’ll also visit the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem, the Shepherd’s Field, and Nazareth. Add to that the Sea of Galilee, Capernaum, the Mt. of Beatitudes, the site of the Sermon on the Mount, Tabgha, the site of the Miracle of Loaves and Fishes, Mt. Tabor, traditional site of the Transfiguration and much more! And to share this spiritual experience with other Christians is an even more enriching deed. It creates a unique fellowship. It is a journey that is to be treasured forever.

Thousands of tourists are flocking to the Holy Land again. Now is the time to make this dream, this “trip of a lifetime,” a reality for you. Of the many countries I have visited over the years, only one leaves such an emotional and spiritual impact on me . . . the Holy Land!!

I invite you to join our group on this inspiring adventure. Please send your registration and deposit back to us as soon as possible to secure a place on this tour.

Sincerely,

Father Mike Smith, Pastor
Corpus Christi Catholic Church
Temple Terrace, Florida

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

* Round trip airfare from Tampa
* $700 government taxes & airline surcharges
* Accommodations at a first class/select hotel based on two persons sharing in twin-bedded rooms with private bath
* Breakfast and dinner daily
* Services of a professional English-speaking local guide
* Comprehensive sightseeing
* All admission fees, porterage, hotel taxes and service charges
* Transfers to/from airports by private motorcoach including meeting/assistance and porterage
* Automatic $100,000 Flight Insurance policy
  
  (Subject to policy terms and limitations)

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DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

Tampa/Across the Atlantic
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1
Begin your exciting journey as you depart Tampa on your overnight transatlantic flight to the Holy Land.

ARRIVE TEL AVIV
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2
Arrive in Tel Aviv today where you will be met and escorted to your waiting motor coach for the transfer to Netanya and your hotel. Your exciting journey to the Land of the Bible begins.  

NETANYA/CAESAREA/HAIFA/MT. TABOR/TIBERIAS
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3
Drive north today to Caesarea to view the ruins of the Crusader's fortress and moat and sit in the great Roman amphitheater. Continuing along the coast, you will see the aqueduct that carried water from Mt. Carmel to Caesarea. Continue to Haifa where you will ascend Mt. Carmel for a magnificent view of the sea and harbor. See the Carmelite Monastery and Elijah's Cave. Ascend Mt. Tabor, to visit the church of the Transfiguration. Proceed to Tiberias for the night.  

TIBERIAS
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4
Today, cross the Sea of Galilee on a boat cruise to Capernaum, center of Jesus' Ministry in the Galilee. Visit the ruins of the Second Century Synagogue. Drive to Magdala, home of Mary Magdalene. Here you will visit the Magdala center, containing the two-thousand-year-old Magdala stone in the chapel with an Altar in the shape of a fishing boat. Continue to Tabgha, site of the Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes. Visit the church of St. Peter’s Primacy, then on to the Mount of Beatitudes where Jesus preached the famous Sermon on the Mount and chose the Twelve Apostles. Return to Tiberias for the night.
Sea of Galilee - Tiberias

TIBERIAS/CANA/NAZARETH/ SAMARIA/JERUSALEM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5
Drive to Cana, site of Jesus’ first miracle of turning water into wine. Continue on to Nazareth, the boyhood home of Jesus. Here you will visit the Church of the Annunciation and the winding streets of the old city. Proceed through Samaria to Sebastia and Nablus, to see Jacob’s Well before proceeding to Jerusalem and your hotel. (B,D)

JERUSALEM - JERICHO/DEAD SEA/QUMRAN
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6
This morning drive to Bethany to visit Lazarus' Tomb and the village of Mary and Martha. Continue to Biblical Jericho, believed to be the oldest city in the world. View Elisha's Spring and the Mount of Temptations. Stop at the Jordan River, where it is believed that Our Lord was baptized by St. John the Baptist. Continue to the Dead Sea, 1412 feet below sea level and enjoy some time to wade in the water, site of ancient Sodom and Gomorrah. Stop at the Caves of Qumran where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered and visit the excavations. On the east side of the Dead Sea are the Moab Mountains and Mt. Nebo where Moses viewed the Promised Land. Return to Jerusalem. (B,D)

JERUSALEM - OLD CITY/MT. ZION
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7
This morning, enjoy a walking tour of the Old City of Jerusalem. Enter the Dung Gate and see the Wailing Wall. Continue to the Temple Area to see the Dome of Rock and the El Aqsa Mosque. Visit St. Anne's Church and the Pool of Bethesda where Jesus healed the crippled man. Visit the Flagellation and Condemnation Chapels and the Roman Praetorium, beneath the Sisters of Zion Convent, and the Ecce Homo Arch. Follow in the footsteps of Jesus as you walk the Via Dolorosa, the traditional way of the Cross to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. Exit the old city through the Zion Gate to Mt. Zion to visit the Upper Room, traditional site of the Last Supper. See King David’s Tomb. Stop at the Church of the Dormition Abbey, where St. Mary was assumed into Heaven before returning to your hotel. (B,D)

JERUSALEM - BETHLEHEM
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8
Drive to the top of the Mount of Olives for a panoramic view of Jerusalem. Visit the Chapel of the Ascension and the Church of Pater Noster. Descend the Mt. of Olives to the Garden of Gethsemane and walk along the ancient olive trees, viewing the Kidron Valley. Visit the Church of All Nations on the Rock of Agony. Visit the Church of St. Peter Gallicantu, (cock’s-crow in Latin) built on the site of High Priest Caiaphas’ palace where St. Peter denied Our Lord three times. Drive to Bethlehem and visit the Church of the Nativity. See the Manger where Jesus was born and Shepherd's Field. Time to shop for wood carvings before returning to Jerusalem. (B,D)

JERUSALEM/TEL AVIV/TAMPA
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9
Late morning checkout from your hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure for shopping and exploring the city on your own or you may join an optional tour offered locally. Following dinner, transfer to the airport for your overnight flight back to Tampa. (B,D)

ARRIVE TAMPA
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10
Your exciting adventure in the Holy Land is over as you arrive back home in Tampa.

(B) ~ Breakfast     (D) ~ Dinner
RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS & FINAL PAYMENT: Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit of $500 per person. No reservation is considered firm until deposit has been received. Your initial deposit payment shall be applied toward land charges. Within 45 days of the departure date, your deposit will be considered non-refundable. Reservations made after the general cut-off date for each tour are subject to availability and restrictions as imposed by the airlines. Changes that occur after the general cut-off date are subject to a $50 processing fee per person. Nawas reserves the right to cancel the trip and refund deposits to travelers if not less than 32 persons, or in the event of fluctuations in exchange rates. Please note that neither medical nor medical insurance costs in the U.S.A. are covered by Medicare and many private medical insurance plans. Please consult with your health insurance supplier to obtain the necessary healthcare/medical coverage for overseas travel.

STATE DEPARTMENT/GOVT AGENCIES: On occasion the State Department or a foreign government, such as the U.S. State Department (www.state.gov), Center for Disease Control (www.cdc.gov), etc., may issue a travel advisory, warning or alert regarding the area you may be visiting while on tour. Nawas encourages you to refer to these agencies to obtain the most current and up-to-date information on conditions and requirements of your tour program, including cancellation policies, cannot be altered based on any occurrence whatsoever and/or any travel advisory, warning or alert issued in the U.S. or foreign countries where your tour is scheduled to visit, including but not limited to war/terrorism, disease, or natural disasters. Cancellation penalties remain in full effect and non-refundable need for deleting and adding cities and changing the sequence of the itinerary, or whenever in NAWS sole judgment as conditions warrant, including but not limited to strikes, revols, wars, terrorism, disease, natural disasters, closures of airports, hotels or included sites, default or omission of any common or private carrier. NAWS reserves the right to cancel the tour at any time, to operate the tour with a substitute tour host/leader at any time, to delay or not retain any person as a member of the tour for any cause at any time. NAWS reserves the right to make changes in the itinerary for the convenience or safety of the tour. The airlines concerned, when issued, shall constitute the sole court or to assert that such court is not a proper forum. The parties agree that the laws of the State of Connecticut will apply. Exclusive jurisdiction and venue for any and all of the parties. Please read the enclosed disclosure required by the Sellers of Travel Act before booking. exclusive jurisdiction and venue for any and all disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of any services by NAWAS or its agents or contractors and you expressly agree not to challenge the jurisdiction or venue of any such action or proceeding. Parties may not bring a class or representative action. The parties agree that any dispute arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of any services by NAWAS or its agents or contractors shall be governed by the internal laws of the State of Connecticut, without regard to its conflicts of law principles. This indicates acceptance of the above terms and General Conditions. The venue for any dispute is Fairﬁeld County, Connecticut. The laws of the State of Connecticut will apply.

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**FLIGHT INFORMATION:** Automatic one hundred thousand dollar flight insurance policy for each Nawas-ticketed passenger, subject to policy/term and conditions. Please note that neither medical nor medical insurance costs in the U.S.A. are covered by Medicare and many private medical insurance plans. Please consult with your health insurance supplier to obtain the necessary healthcare/medical coverage for overseas travel.
10 DAYS THE HOLY LAND
♦ RESERVATION FORM ♦

Please read the all-inclusive tour features and conditions. Then complete this handy form. Book early!

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

MAIL TO:
Father Mike Smith
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Tel: (813) 988-1593
Email: frmike@spiritualhome.org

ACCOMMODATIONS DESIRED:
☐ double room sharing with __________
☐ single room ($850 extra per person)

Enclosed is my check for $ ________ as Deposit ($500 per person) for ____ person

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This reservation form serves as your acceptance of the policies, terms and conditions as outlined in the General Conditions on this brochure. I understand that the air-inclusive tour I am purchasing is subject to supplemental price increases that may be imposed after the date of purchase. Post-purchase price increases may be applied due to additional costs imposed by a supplier or government. I acknowledge that I may be charged additional sums by Nawas International Travel Service, Inc. to offset increased fees, taxes, airline imposed international surcharges, fluctuations in foreign exchange markets or any combination thereof along with any other items as outlined in our General Conditions.

I hereby consent to any post-purchase price increases and authorize Nawas International Travel Service, Inc. to charge me for such additional amounts.

_________________________________________  ____________________________
Signature Passenger # 1  Date

_________________________________________  ____________________________
Signature Passenger # 2  Date

PLEASE INCLUDE A CLEAR PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR PASSPORT WITH THIS RESERVATION FORM
RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS & FINAL PAYMENT: Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit of $500 per person. No reservation is considered firm until deposit has been received. Your initial deposit payment shall be made by personal check, money order or credit card. If your deposit is accepted by NAWAS, your General Conditions. Space is limited and offered on a first-come basis. Final payment is due at Nawas Travel 100 days prior to departure date.

Nawas accepts Visa, Mastercard and American Express for balance/final payments only. Credit cards are not accepted for deposits. Payment for the deposit only is non-refundable. All other payments are subject to a 5% service charge and may be subject to additional charges at our discretion. Contact us before making your final payment. Final payment due date is based on paid-in-full status. Flights (domestic, international, shuttles) are subject to change without notice. Airline tickets are not refundable once issued. No refunds will be given for any unused services while on tour. At that time, any deposits that are not applied to the final payment due date will be refunded. Negotiable credit card charges may apply. Flight change fees are subject to change. NAWAS will only provide seat assignments for groups and individuals with a paid deposit. Nawas does not guarantee specific seat assignments for groups, including travelers with special needs. Seat assignments for groups are made at the discretion of the airline and are typically allocated by automated algorithms. Individual seat assignments are subject to change without notice. Air arrangements are based on non-refundable bulk group space. Airlines reserve the right to change any change without notice. Airline tickets are not refundable once issued. 

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: A U.S.A. passport valid for 6 months after the return date of the trip is required to travel. It is the sole responsibility of the traveler to check their passport’s expiration date. Non-U.S.A. citizens may require visas and or transit visas in addition to a valid passport. It is the sole responsibility of non-U.S.A. citizens (including green card holders) to ensure they have the required visas/transit visas/travel documents for each country they will travel through or visit on their tour and for re-entry into the U.S.A. Visa fees (if any and of all types) are the responsibility of the traveler. 

THE TOUR PRICE INCLUDES:

AIR TRANSPORTATION: By any IATA/ARC air carrier or other scheduled jet carrier in standard economy class. Flights and air routings are at the discretion of air carriers and are subject to change without notice. Air arrangements are based on non-refundable bulk group space and are subject to change without notice. Airline tickets are not refundable once issued. Per TSA regulations, airline tickets must bear your first, middle and last names as it appears on your passport and passengers are responsible to bear any name-change fees should they not provide Nawas with accurate passport information. 

AIRLINE SEATING: Nawas contracts non-refundable bulk group space in standard economy class. Airlines no longer provide seat assignments for groups and Nawas does not guarantee seat assignments or final seating arrangements. Seat assignments for groups are made at the discretion of the airline and are typically allocated by automated algorithms. Individual seat assignments are subject to alphabetical order. Seat assignments will not be advised until check in at the airport. Nawas cannot request and does not guarantee specific seat assignments. 

TAXES/AIRLINE SURCHARGES: U.S. departure taxes, overseas airport departure taxes, local government taxes, airline security fees and airline imposed international surcharges are included as of November 8, 2019 (taxes and surcharges are subject to change). Future price increases may be applied due to additional costs as imposed by a supplier or governments. 

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION: By deluxe motorcoach. 

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS: Accommodations at first-class/select hotels based on persons sharing a twin-bedded room with private bath. Nawas cannot guarantee roomsmates. A person taking a single room (subject to availability) must pay a supplement of $850. Single rooms are limited and may be small. 

MEALS: Breakfast and Dinner daily. 

SIGHTSEEING: As specified in the itinerary using motorcoach or other available means of transportation.-medical emergencies, baggage, etc. is available for purchase. A detailed insurance pamphlet application will be sent with your trip materials. Please refer to insurance policy for complete details. 

TRAVELERS REQUIRING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE: Disabled travelers requiring special attention or care must notify the office at the time of reservation. A physically capable companion must accompany any person who needs special assistance. Tour directors, guides, and bus drivers are not responsible for any personal care or assistance. Please contact the travel company to provide such assistance. 

CANCELLATIONS: For written cancellations received by Nawas Travel up to October 5, 2020, refunds will be made less a $200 per person cancellation fee. From October 6, 2020, to departure, cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a $500 per person cancellation fee. From 49 to 41 days prior to departure, 50% of the total tour price per person is refunded. From 40 days up to and including the day of departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a 100% cancellation fee of the total tour price per person. Refunds will be made less a $200 per person cancellation fee. 

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FLIGHT INSURANCE: Nawas strongly recommends trip insurance. Insurance can be purchased through your travel agent or directly from Nawas. Any increases and international surcharges as imposed by the airlines prior to departure. Airlines require a minimum of 12 persons departing from the same gateway city. 

Land costs are based on estimated 2021 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on November 8, 2019. Nawas reserves the right to increase fares without prior notice due to exchange rate fluctuations or rate increases and international surcharges as imposed by the airlines prior to departure. Airlines require a minimum of 12 persons departing from the same gateway city. 

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