HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE
10 Days: November 6 - 15, 2019

visiting
Magdala • Tiberias • Nazareth
Bethlehem • Jerusalem

hosted by
Rev. William Hahn

$3899 from Columbus

(Air/land tour price is $3199 plus $700 government taxes/airline surcharges.)
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, Magdala, 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. There’s no substitute for walking and praying where Our Lord Himself walked and prayed…. 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,

Fr. William P Hahn
SUN, NOV 10 – TIBERIAS/CANA/NAZARETH/JERUSALEM
Depart today via Tabgha and Magdala to Cana, site of Jesus’ first miracle of turning water into wine. Proceed to Mt. Tabor, traditional site of the Transfiguration. Continue 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 via the Jordan Valley and Beit Shean to Jerusalem and your hotel.

MON, NOV 11 – JERUSALEM
This morning proceed on a walking tour of the Old City of Jerusalem. Enter St. Stephen’s Gate. Visit St. Anne’s Church and the Pool of Bethesda where Jesus healed the crippled man. Continue to the Temple Area. See the Dome of the Rock, the El Aqsa Mosque and the Wailing Wall. Exit via the Dung Gate to St. Peter’s in Gallicantu. View the Valley of Gehenna and the Pool of Siloam.

This afternoon enter Herod’s Gate to 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. Leave the Old City through the Damascus Gate.

TUE, NOV 12 – JERUSALEM
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. Ascend Mount Zion to see the Upper Room, traditional site of the Last Supper. Drive to Bethlehem. Visit the Church of the Nativity and see the Manger where Jesus was born. Time to further explore the town of Bethlehem and shop for wood carvings before returning to Jerusalem.

WED, NOV 13 – JERUSALEM
This morning drive to Bethany to visit Lazarus’ Tomb and the village of Mary and Martha. Then on to Biblical Jericho, believed to be the oldest city in the world. View Elisha’s Spring and the Mount of Temptations. Continue to the Dead Sea, 1288 feet below sea level, 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.

THU, NOV 14 – JERUSALEM/TEL AVIV/COLUMBUS
Late morning check out from your hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure for shopping and exploring the city on your own. Following dinner, transfer to the airport for your overnight flight back to Columbus.

FRI, NOV 15 – ARRIVE COLUMBUS
Your exciting adventure in the Holy Land is over as you arrive back home in Columbus.

B = Breakfast                D = Dinner

A word about NAWAS . . .

NAWAS INTERNATIONAL has pioneered Christian Tours to the far corners of the world for over 69 years. We offer you the essential ingredients for a successful tour.

EXPERIENCE: There is no substitute for 69 years of planning tours. Our contacts, guides, knowledge of the area, and background guarantee you the highest quality service at affordable prices.

RELIABILITY: For more than 69 years, we have won an international reputation for reliability. We deliver what we promise. And that is essential for a successful trip.
GENERAL CONDITIONS

RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS AND 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 by Nawas. A deposit shall be deemed to be an acceptance of all the terms of our General Conditions. Space is limited and offered on a first-come, first-served 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. A deposit already accepted will not be refunded in the event of a 3% for payments made by cash or check. There is no discount on credit card sales. Credit cards will only be accepted prior to the final payment due date. Credit cards used for payment are subject to additional charges as imposed by the airlines.

Your tour credit card number must be on file with Nawas at the time final payment is due for further travel documents.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: A U.S.A. passport valid for at least 6 months from 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. U.S. and non-U.S. citizens may require visas in addition to a valid passport. It is the sole responsibility of non-U.S. citizens (including green card holders) to ensure they have the required visas/travel documents for each country to be visited on their tour and for re-entry into the U.S. Visa fees (if any) are not included in the tour price.

THE TOUR PRICE INCLUDES:

AIR TRANSPORTATION: By any IATA/ARC air carrier or any 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 airfares and deposit payments only. Cancellations made after air tickets have been issued are subject to full cancellation penalties as imposed by the airlines. Per TSA regulations, airline ticked must be presented to the airline in front of you. Wheeled carry-on bags are not permitted on any IATA/ARC air carrier or scheduled jet carrier in standard economy class. Nawas can only allow one piece of luggage per person plus a carry-on bag with total dimensions of 45 inches which fits in the overhead bin or underneath the seat in front of you. Wheeled carry-on bags are not allowed due to limited motorcoach capacity. Nawas Travel accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to the tour members’ baggage or contents. Nawas encourages all passengers to purchase a comprehensive travel insurance policy for each Nawas-ticketed flight. Flight insurance is recommended and is available upon written request.

TRAVELERS REQUIRING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE: Disabled travelers requiring special attention or care must advise Nawas Travel. If such a disabled, eligible companion must accompany any person who needs special assistance. Tour directors, guides, drivers or other tour members will provide such assistance. Nawas is not responsible for any denial of services to the disabled participant by air carriers, cruise lines, hotels, restaurants or other independent suppliers. Certain countries/destinations involve extensive walking. Be aware that outside the U.S. the Americans with Disabilities Act is not applicable and facilities for disabled individuals are limited. Nawas cannot be responsible for extra costs for any passenger requiring special medical equipment.

THE TOUR PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

Passport fees, visa fees (if any), phone calls, valet/laundry service, wines, liquors, mineral water, after dinner coffee or tea, hotel drinks, gratuities, waters, sightseeing, meals and other services not specifically mentioned, excess baggage and all other items of a purely personal nature.

CANCELLATIONS: Written cancellations received by Nawas Travel up to July 9, 2019, refunds will be made less a $200 per person cancellation fee. From July 10, 2019 to 90 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a $500 per person cancellation fee. From 89 to 41 days prior to departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a $1000 per person cancellation fee. From 40 days up to and including the day of departure, written cancellations received by Nawas Travel are subject to a 100% cancellation fee per person. No shows are subject to a 100% cancellation fee and reservations will be cancelled. Nawas reserves the right to cancel your tour reservation and retain your deposit if final payment is not received by the due date. Airline tickets are not refundable once issued. No refunds will be given for any unused services while on tour.

INSURANCE: Nawas strongly recommends trip cancellation insurance, medical evacuation, medical emergencies, baggage, etc. is available for purchase. A detailed insurance pamphlet/quote will be made available by the insurance company. Please refer to insurance policy for complete details.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: The airfare used is based on non-refundable bulk group fares in effect on June 26, 2019. Airlines reserve the right to increase fares without prior notice. Additional fees imposed by the airlines may increase airfares and international surcharges as imposed by the airlines prior to departure. Airlines require a minimum of 12 passengers to operate a flight to any gateway city.

Land costs are based on estimated 2019 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on June 26, 2018 and a minimum of 32 or more participants. While we have made the best possible estimates of what we believe are reasonable charges and actual costs, Nawas guarantees that any increase in land costs or airfares that may occur will be collected from each passenger prior to departure. We reserve the right to increase the cost of the tour consistent with normal increases should the group fall below 32 persons, and/or in the event of fluctuations in exchange rates. All prices are based on rates of exchange listed above and while every effort will be made to hold them firm, they are subject to change.

Please note that healthcare/medical costs outside the U.S.A. are not covered by Medicare and many private medical insurance plans. Please consult with your health insurance provider about the necessary health/medical coverage for overseas travel.

STATE DEPARTMENT/GOV’T AGENCIES: On occasion, a U.S. or foreign government agency, such as the U.S. State Department (www.state.gov), Center for Disease Control (www.cdc.gov), U.S. Customs, etc., may issue travel warnings, safety, warning or alert for a destination or surrounding area you may be visiting while on tour. Nawas encourages you to refer to the Department of State and the CDC website for the latest and up-to-date information. The terms and conditions 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 no exceptions can be made.

RESPONSIBILITY: NAVAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL SERVICE, INC. (NAWAS), and their agents act only in the capacity of agents in all matters pertaining to hotel accommodations, sightseeing tours and transportation, whether by railroad, motor bus, motor car, cruise vessel, boat, air or any other means. Except for the willful negligence of its direct employees, NAWAS is not liable for any damage, loss (including but not limited to personal injury, loss of enjoyment, distress, death and property loss), of whatsoever kind or nature. The act, omission or negligence of any carrier, hotel, restaurant or other independent supplier or of any person or default of any supplier providing tour services or by any other person or reason whatsoever or by any delays or cancellations caused by force majeure or any act of omission or commission of the tour leader/host or travel agent. NAWAS assumes no liability or responsibility for any injuries, inconveniences, illness, irregularity or incidental damages occasioned by circumstances beyond its control. Each passenger is responsible for checking with their airline on any occurrence whatsoever and/or any travel advisory, warning or alert for a destination or surrounding area you may be visiting while on tour. Nawas encourages you to refer to the Department of State and the CDC website for the latest and up-to-date information. The terms and conditions 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 no exceptions can be made.

*California Residents: 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 services by NAWAS shall be in the state court sitting in Fairfield County, Connecticut, and you expressly agree not to challenge the jurisdiction or venue of such court or to bring such claims in any other forum. All disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of services by NAWAS shall be resolved by the laws of the State of Connecticut, without regard to its conflicts of law provisions. Payment of deposits by tour participants indicates acceptance of the above terms and conditions of this agreement. Any deposit will be held by NAWAS until the completion of the tour.

FAIRFIELD COUNTY, Connecticut. The laws of the Connecticut State will apply.
10 DAYS HOLY LAND
RESERVATION FORM

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

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:
NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

MAIL TO: Jenny French
ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH
285 West Water Street
Chillicothe, OH 45601
Tel: (740) 774-1407
Email: secretary@stpeterchillicothe.com

Passenger #1:
Clearly print your full name (last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport
Name: Last .................................................................
First ...........................................................................
Middle ......................................................................
Gender: Please check ☐ Male ☐ Female
Address .................................................................
City ..................................State ...................Zip ............
Email ...........................................................................
Home Phone (........)............................................................
Cell Phone (........).............................................................
Passport # ...............................................................
Date of Issue ..................................................Date Expires ......................................
(day/month/year)                                         (day/month/year)
Date of Birth  MONTH  DAY  YEAR
Place of Birth ..........................................................
Country of Citizenship ...........................................

Passenger #2:
Clearly print your full name (last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport
Name: Last .................................................................
First ...........................................................................
Middle ......................................................................
Gender: Please check ☐ Male ☐ Female
Address .................................................................
City ..................................State ...................Zip ............
Email ...........................................................................
Home Phone (........)............................................................
Cell Phone (........).............................................................
Passport # ............................................................... 
Date of Issue ..................................................Date Expires ......................................
(day/month/year)                                         (day/month/year)
Date of Birth  MONTH  DAY  YEAR
Place of Birth ..........................................................
Country of Citizenship .............................................

Accommodation Desired:
☐ double room sharing with ........................................
☐ single room ($850 extra per person)

Enclosed is my check for $ ................................as deposit
($500 per person) for ................................................. person(s)

Signature Passenger #1
Date

Signature Passenger #2
Date

PLEASE INCLUDE A CLEAR PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR PASSPORT WITH THIS RESERVATION FORM

This reservation form serves as your acceptance of the policies, terms and conditions as outlined in the General Conditions of 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 on the General Conditions.

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

_________________________________________  ________________________________
Signature Passenger #1  Date

_________________________________________  ________________________________
Signature Passenger #2  Date
GENERAL CONDITIONS

RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS AND FINAL PAYMENT: Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit of $1,500 per person. This is considered firm until deposit has been received. Your initial deposit payment shall be deemed to be an acceptance of all the terms of our General Conditions. Space is limited and offered on a first-come, first-served 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. There is an electronic ticketing surcharge in discount of 3% for payments made by cash or check. There is no discount on credit card sales. Credit cards will only be accepted prior to the final payment due date. Credit card charges are subject to a 3% surcharge over the telephone. Tour members who want to use a credit card for final payment should contact Nawas at the time final payment is due for further information.

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THE TOUR PRICE INCLUDES:

AIR TRANSPORTATION: By any IATA/ARC air carrier or other scheduled or unscheduled commercial class. Flights and air routings are at the discretion of air carriers and are subject to change without notice. Air arrangements are based only on the availability of bulk group airfares which cannot be upgraded. Cancellations made after air tickets have been issued are subject to full cancellation penalties as imposed by the airlines. Per TSA regulations, airline tickets must be booked under the passenger’s full legal name 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 airfares in standard class or economy. Airlines no longer provide seat assignments for groups and Nawas does not guarantee specific seat assignments. Seat assignments are made at the time of booking and are subject to change due to last minute changes in the airline and are typically allocated by automated airline computer systems in 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, the 7.25% U.S. departure tax on all local government taxes; airline security fees and airline imposed international surcharges are included (taxes/surcharges current estimate as of June 26, 2018 is $780 per person). Future price increases are subject 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 two persons sharing a twin bedded room with private bath. Nawas cannot guarantee rooms. 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.

SEEKING: As specified in the itinerary using motorcoach, railroad, bus, private motorcoach, and air. Entrance fees and the services of local English speaking guides or tour managers are included.

TRANSFERS: Assistance and transfers from airports to hotels and vice versa in private motorcoach.

SERVICE CHARGES, TAXES AND PORTERAGE: Service charges and taxes normally included (1% VAT/on government taxes on hotel bills in effect on June 26, 2018, taxes on sightseeing and excursion trips and porterage at hotels of $10 per day per person). The cost of any optional excursions or special assistance are not included in the tour price. Receipt once received with the final tour documents. Nawas is not responsible for loss or damage to the tour members’ baggage or personal belongings at any time. Baggage insurance is recommended and is available upon written request.

TRAVELERS REQUIRING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE: Disabled travelers requiring special care or attention must advise Nawas in writing at the time of reservation. Nawas is not responsible for the availability, condition or maintenance of any equipment or service which a traveler may require. T our directors, guides, drivers and waiters, sightseeing, meals and other services not specifically mentioned, excess baggage and all other items of a purely personal nature.

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STATE DEPARTMENT/GOVT. AGENCIES: On occasion, a U.S. or foreign government agency, 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 for a destination or surrounding area you may be visiting while on tour. Nawas encourages you to refer to these websites for up-to-date and up-to-date information. The terms and conditions 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 no exceptions can be made.

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