

# JOIN PARKWAY ON THE MOUNTAIN ISRAEL TOUR



Led by Robert Cox November 6-15, 2026

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Your Tour Cost (without airfare)

\$3,095 All Taxes Included

Per person,
based on double occupancy.
Minimum of 21 travelers required.
Single Room Supplement:
\$1,245











## Day 1 to Day 3 Tour ITINERARY

### **DAY 1** Friday, November 6, 2026

#### **DC Departure**

Our journey begins today as we depart from IAD Airport on our way to Israel – the Land of the Bible. Our flight departs at around 10:45pm. Sit back, relax and enjoy your flight. Get some rest... tomorrow you will be walking where Jesus walked!

Meals: On Board
Overnight: On Board

#### **DAY 2** | Saturday, November 7, 2026 Arrival in Israel / Tel Aviv

Today we arrive at Tel Aviv Ben Gurion Airport. Our flight arrives at around 3:30pm. We will be met by our airport representative and assisted by our Israeli tour guide and bus driver. We drive to Tel Aviv. Continue to our Hotel for check in. In the evening, we will explore Old Town Jaffa and walk through the narrow passages, believed to be the oldest port city in the world. See the amazing St. Peter Church and take in a spectacular view of the Tel Aviv shoreline from Jaffa's Hilltop. Return back to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

Meals included: Full Buffet Breakfast and Dinner

**Lodging: Herods Tel Aviv** 

### **DAY 3** Sunday, November 8, 2026

### From Tel Aviv to the Sea of Galilee via the Mediterranean Caesarea / Mt. Carmel / Megiddo / Nazareth / Cana / Sea of Galilee / Tiberia

After breakfast we start our tour heading north to the Sea of Galilee. We will have a relaxing drive along the beautiful coast of the Mediterranean Sea and stop at Caesarea Maritime (Acts 9:30; Acts 10: 24-48), which was the center of early Christians. Here Cornelius the Centurion and his household were saved and baptized (Acts 10), and it was also here where Paul made his defense before Festus and King Agrippa prior to his final journey to Rome (Acts 25 & Camp; 26). Next, we will stop at Mount Carmel (Muchraka), where Elijah issued his challenge to the False Prophets. Then on to Megiddo (1 Kings 4:28, 9:15; 2 Kings 23:29 & Camp; Rev.16:16), and the Valley of Armageddon (Revelation 16), to see the remains from Solomon's days, and view the site where the Battle of Armageddon will be fought. We continue along the Jezerel valley to visit the town of Nazareth and the Church of the Annunciation (Luke 1:26, 4:16-29; Matthew 2:23). Our last stop will be in Cana of Galilee, where Jesus performed his first public miracle - the turning of water into wine at a wedding feast (John 2:1-11). Drive through the Lower Galilee region to the Sea of Galilee. We'll check in at our hotel on the shores of the Sea of Galilee.

Meals included: Full Buffet Breakfast and Dinner Lodging: Leonardo Plaza Sea of Galilee











### Day 4 to Day 5 Tour ITINERARY

### **DAY 4** Monday, November 9, 2026

Sea of Galilee and the Upper Galilee Magdala / Mount of Beatitudes / Tabgha / Capernaum / Upper Galilee / Caesarea Philippi

Today we will experience the area of Jesus' early ministry around the Sea of Galilee. After breakfast, we will visit Magdala, best known as the home of Mary Magdalene. Walk through the ruins of a first century Jewish town where a synagogue from the time of Christ's ministry was found. We will drive along the shores of the Sea of Galilee and visit the Mount of Beatitudes (Matt. 5,6,7,8), where Jesus preached the Sermon on the Mount. We will visit the famous chapel, constructed in 1939 by the noted architect Antonio Barluzzi, and enjoy the breathtaking view. We will continue to Tabgha - the site of the Feeding of the 5,000 and Primacy of Peter (Matt. 13; Mark 33-45; John 21). Here we will visit the Church of Multiplication with its 4th century mosaic floor. Continue on to the 2,000 year old remains of Capernaum (Matt. 4:13, 13:54, 17:24; Luke 7; Mark 1:2; John 4:46-54). Here we can stand in what is left of the synagogue in which Jesus ministered. It was from this city that Jesus did most of his Galilean ministry, where he performed many miracles, and where Peter's mother-in-law lived and was healed. We will drive to the upper Galilee to visit Banias - ancient Caesarea Philippi (Matt. 16:13 and Mark 8:27), where Jesus said "on this rock I will build my Church". We will hike through the natural Banias nature reserve to the waterfalls. We will drive through the natural Hula Valley and the Upper Galilee region back to the Sea of Galilee. We'll return to our hotel for dinner and a restful evening.

Meals included: Full Buffet Breakfast and Dinner Lodging: Leonardo Plaza Sea of Galilee

#### **DAY 5** Tuesday, November 10, 2026

Sea of Galilee and Jordan River / Sail on the Sea of Galilee / "Jesus Boat" / Yardenit Baptismal Site / Beth Shean / Free time to float @ the Dead Sea /Enjoy the resort

After breakfast we will board a wooden boat and sail on the Sea of Galilee as the disciples did 2,000 years ago. We will dock at Kibbutz Nof Geonsar and visit the "Ancient Jesus Boat" - the remains of a 2,000-year-old boat that was discovered in 1986. This boat was used at the time of Jesus and his disciples. We conclude our Galilee tour with a visit to Yardenit – the wonderful baptismal site on the Jordan River. From here we will drive south along the Beth Shean valley and the ancient city of Beth Shean (Mark 5:20, 7:31) for an overview of this remarkable archeological site. It was here that after defeating Saul and his sons on Mount Gilboa, the Philistines hung their bodies on the walls of Beth Shean (1 Samuel 31). Continue to the lowest place on earth - the Dead Sea. We will check in at our hotel, located on the shores of the Dead Sea. After check in and before dinner we will enjoy relaxing free time at our wonderful Dead Sea resort hotel, conveniently located on the shores of the Dead Sea. Walk to the beach and float in the salty water of the Dead Sea. You can also take this opportunity to enjoy the Dead Sea famous mud and mineral treatments at the hotel's spa.

Meals included: Full Buffet Breakfast and Dinner Lodging: Herods Resort Dead Sea











### Day 6 to Day 7 Tour ITINERARY

#### **DAY 6** Wednesday, November 11, 2026

Exploring the Dead Sea and the Judean Desert / Masada / Qumran / Jerusalem / Mount of Olives / Garden of Gethsemane

Today we will explore the Dead Sea and the Judean desert region and its biblical and historical sites. After early breakfast, we will drive along the shores of the Dead Sea to visit one of the most spectacular sites in Israel – the 1,50 feet mountaintop fortress of Masada. We will ascend to Masada by cable car and discover the 1st century Synagogue, Herod's Bathhouse and many other sites. We will continue along the shores of the Dead Sea and stop for overview at Ein Gedi, where David hid in a cave when running from Saul (1 Samuel 23). It was here that David composed several of his Psalms. Next, we will visit Qumran and walk through the ruins of this ancient Essene community. In this spot, an amazing cache of ancient biblical texts was discovered in 1947 - commonly called the Dead Sea Scrolls. From here we will ascend to Jerusalem – the holy city of Zion. Upon arriving in Jerusalem, we will head to the top of the Mount of Olives to stand where the Lord ascended into heaven (Acts 1) as we take in a breathtaking panoramic view of the city across the Kidron Valley to the Eastern Gate where the Prince of Peace will enter (Ezekiel 44). We will pass by Pater Noster Church and visit Dominus Flevit where "the Lord wept" as he beheld the Holy City, and take the Palm Sunday Road down to the Garden of Gethsemane where we will see 2,000-year-old olive trees that date back to the time of Christ. Ending our day, we will check in our hotel for dinner

Meals included: Full Buffet Breakfast and Dinner

**Lodging: Leonardo Plaza Sea of Galilee** 

### **DAY 7** Thursday, November 12, 2026

Jerusalem Old & New City / \*Temple Mount / Temple Mount Archaeological Excavations / Southern Wall / Southern Steps / Davidson Center / Western Wall / Jewish Quarter / Mt. Zion / Room of the Last Supper / Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu

Today we walk where Jesus walked. Following breakfast, we will head to the Old City and enter via the Dung Gate. Our first stop will be at the Temple Mount (\*visit is subject to current conditions) we will then spend time at the Western Wall ("Wailing Wall") the holiest site in Judaism and one of the original ancient walls that retained the Temple. We will continue to the Southern Temple Mount archaeological excavations. Here we will visit the "Southern Steps" - the archaeological reconstruction of the Temple Steps where Jesus walked so often. From here Jesus entered the Temple Mount and drove out the vendors and money changers who were exploiting the people. We will visit the unearthed southern end of the western wall, the paved street and the Robinson's Arch. At the Davidson Center Museum, we will view a documentary of the excavation and a 10-minute film describing a visit of a pilgrim to the second temple as it was in Jesus' time. We will walk through the historic Jewish Quarter all the way to Mt. Zion. We will visit the room of the last supper and then continue to the Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu. According to tradition, this was the place of the palace of the high priest Caiaphas, where Jesus was brought to jail after his arrest. (Mark 14: 72) We will return to our hotel for a festive Shabbat dinner.

**Meals included: Full Buffet Breakfast and Dinner** 

**Lodging: Leonardo Plaza Jerusalem** 



### Day 8 to Day 10 Tour ITINERARY







#### **DAY 8** Friday, November 13, 2026 Free Day in Jerusalem

Following breakfast, Enjoy a free day in Jerusalem.

Meals included: Full Buffet Breakfast and Dinner
Lodging: Leonardo Plaza Jerusalem

### **DAY 9** | Saturday, November 14, 2026

Jerusalem Old City / Lion's Gate / Via Delarosa / St. Anne Church / Pool of Bethesda / Judgment Hall of Pilate / Christian Quarter / Garden Tomb/ Bethlehem / Farewell Dinner / Departure flight

Following breakfast, we will explore the City of David, the birthplace of Jerusalem, the place where King David established his kingdom, and where the history of the People of Israel was written. (John 9:1-7) We will then enter the Old City via the Lion's Gate. The Lion's Gate, located in the eastern wall of the Old City, is the entrance marking the beginning of the last walk of Jesus from prison to the crucifixion – the Via Delarosa. We will start our walk along the Stations of the Cross to visit St. Anne Church (we'll sing with an 11 second echo!), the Pool of Bethesda, then continuing to the Judgment Hall of Pilate. We will enjoy some free time to rest and shop at the colorful Old City bazaars. Continue to the Garden Tomb, where we will celebrate the resurrection with communion and a time of praise. We will end our day driving to Bethlehem to visit the Church of the Nativity (Luke 2: 1-7). We venture out to the Shepherd's Field, referenced in Luke 2:8-20, where an angel appeared to announce the birth of Jesus.

We will celebrate our farewell dinner in a restaurant. We will transfer to the Ben Gurion Airport for our departure flight back to the US. Our United Airline flight departs 20 minutes after midnight.

### **DAY 10** Sunday, November 15, 2026 Arrive back in IAD

Today we arrive back in IAD. Our flight arrives around 6am.

\* Remember to bring your Bible and notepad as we study the Scriptures at each site identified in the Bible



### Your Israel Tour Package DESCRIPTION



Your Tour Cost \$3,095 (without airfare) All Taxes Included

Per person, based on double occupancy Minimum of 21 travelers required **Single Room Supplement: \$1,245** 

### **Payment Details:**

- A \$100 per-person airline deposit is due upon confirmation/reservation of your group air.
- A \$500 per-person tour deposit is due upon registration, but no later than April 3, 2026.
- Final payment is due no later than August 18, 2026.

### **Meals Included:**

- Full Breakfasts & Dinners buffet daily at the hotels
- Farewell dinner in a restaurant on the evening before departure

### **Included land services:**

- 7 nights' accommodation as per above hotels
- Meet & assist at the airport by AIT airport representative
- 1 group arrival transfer with your tour guide
- 1 group departure transfer with your tour guide
- All entrance fees as per tour program
- All Private touring throughout the tour
- All private transportation throughout the tour in modern deluxe A/C coach
- Porters fees at airport & all hotels
- Boat ride Sea of Galilee, Cable Car to/from Masada and much more
- Coordination of special activities and meeting upon request
- All land taxes and service taxes

### Not Included:

- Flights: Airfare can be provided when the airfare is available to book, which is 11 months prior to departure
- Lunches daily
- Travel insurance (optional but highly recommended)
- Around \$90 per person Tips to tour guide, bus driver and hotel staff

### Payment Schedule:

- A \$500 per person tour registration deposit is due up to 6 months before departure.
- Final payment due 60 days before departure

### **Cancellation Policy:**

Once a deposit or full payment has been made, cancellations will only be accepted in writing. Cancellation will be applied based on the date the written cancellation is received.

- Cancellation between 120 + days prior to departure – \$200 per person admin fee will apply
- Cancellation between 119 and 90 days prior to departure – cancellation fee of \$500 will apply
- Cancellation between 89 and 60 days prior to departure - cancellation fee of \$1250 will apply
- Cancellation between 59 and 45 days prior to departure - cancellation fee of \$1750 will apply
- Cancellation between 44 and 31 days prior to departure - cancellation fee of \$2000 will apply
- Cancellation between 30 days to day of departure or non-show - cancellation fee of 100% will apply
- No refund will be paid for unused land services such as: transfers, sightseeing, and meals