

First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor
Pilgrimage Itinerary Highlights
20 - 31 January 2020
(Subject to change)

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Day 1: Monday January 20th, 2020

Departure from USA.

- Depart USA.
- Lufthansa#443 Detroit – Frankfurt 4:15pm – 6:15am next day

Day 2: Tuesday January 21st, 2020

Arrive Tel Aviv, Transfer to Tiberius.

- Lufthansa#686 Frankfurt - Tel Aviv 10:10am – 3:15pm
- Arrive in Tel Aviv at 3:15PM; meet your Guide and Driver.
- Drive to your hotel in Tiberius.
- Dinner and overnight at Golan hotel in Tiberius.

Day 3: Wednesday January 22nd, 2020

Sea of Galilee

- Tabgha, site of the multiplication of the fishes and the loaves, Capernaum, St. Peter's Primacy.
- The Mount of Beatitudes for a time of prayer and reflection.
- Enjoy a boat ride and a meal of "St. Peter's fish" on the Sea of Galilee.
- Dinner and overnight at Golan hotel in Tiberius.

Day 4: Thursday January 23rd, 2020

Golan Heights.

- Visit Golan Heights, Tel Dan, Caesarea Philippi.
- Nof Ginosar – (Sea of Galilee), Mt Arbel.
- Dinner and overnight at Golan hotel in Tiberius.

Day 5: Friday January 24th, 2020

Mount Carmel, Nazareth

- Mount Carmel, Megiddo.
- Nazareth, visiting Mount of Precipice, the Basilica of the Annunciation, St. Joseph's Church.
- Dinner and overnight at Golan hotel in Tiberius.

Day 6: Saturday January 25th, 2020

Jericho

- Check out; depart Galilee for Jericho via Jordan Valley.
- Visit Baptism site, Bet She'an.
- Visit Jericho, Zacchaeus tree old city and mount of Temptation, St George's Monastery
- Dinner and overnight at Oasis hotel in Jericho.

Day 7: Sunday January 26th, 2020

Dead Sea Area

- Visit Masada. Ein Gedi.
- Qumran, site of the discovery of the Dead Sea Scrolls
- Floating in the Dead Sea.
- Dinner and overnight at Oasis hotel in Jericho.

Day 8: Monday January 27th, 2020

Jerusalem/ Mount of Olives/Mount Zion

- Check out, depart Jericho for Jerusalem.
- Panoramic view from the top of Mount of Olives.
- Walk down the Palm Sunday Path.
- The Garden of Gethsemane and the Church of All Nations.
- Mt. Zion and the Cenacle (Upper Room).
- Church of St. Peter in Gallicantu.
- Dinner and overnight at Manger Square hotel in Bethlehem.

Day 9: Tuesday January 28th, 2020

Jerusalem/ Old City

- The Western Wall and the Temple Mount, view of the Dome of the Rock and El-Aqsa Mosque.
- Visit St. Anne's Church, the Pools of Bethesda.
- Walk the Via Dolorosa ending at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre
- Garden Tomb (Communion/ optional).
- Dinner and overnight at Manger Square hotel in Bethlehem.

Day 10: Wednesday January 29th, 2020

Jerusalem

- Visit Yad Vashem.
- Israeli Museum (model of Jerusalem, Shrine of the Book).
- Visit UM partner projects in Bethlehem.
- Dinner and overnight at Manger Square hotel in Bethlehem.

Day 11: Thursday January 30th, 2020

Bethlehem

- Visit Herodium.
- Mar Saba monastery by Judean Wilderness.
- Shepherd's Field in Beit Sahour.
- The Church of the Nativity, St. Catherine church, the Grotto of St. Jerome.
- Old city of Bethlehem.
- Dinner and overnight at Manger Square hotel in Bethlehem.

Day 12: Friday January 31st, 2020

Departure

- Check out and depart to the airport.
- Lufthansa#691 Tel Aviv - Frankfurt 5:20am – 9:00am
- Lufthansa#442 Frankfurt – Detroit 10:55am – 2:20pm