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Blessed John Paul II Maronite Catholic Mission, Sleepy Hollow, NY

Invite You To Join Them On A Special Pilgrimage

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF SAINT JOHN PAUL II

ROME, KRAKOW, ZAKOPANE, WADOWICE, CZĘSTOCHOWA & WARSAW

May 11-22, 2014

12 Days / 10 Nights

Cost per person, double (twin) occupancy, from JFK, New York: \$4,017.00*

Singles: \$4,612.00* (limited availability)

*Includes all government taxes & airline fuel surcharges and fees of \$728, subject to change until tickets are issued. Reservations paid by Cash or Check may deduct a cash payment discount of 3.5% from these published fares.

Featuring:

- ◆ **Rome...** The Eternal City, home of Vatican City!
- ◆ **Krakow**, Europe's exciting and lively medieval jewel!
- ◆ **Zakopane**, a charming resort in the mountains, frequented by St. John Paul III!
- ◆ **Wadowice**, birthplace of St. John Paul II!
- ◆ **Wieliczka Salt Mines** (Krakow)!
- ◆ **Excursion to Auschwitz Memorial!**
- ◆ **Shrine of Our Lady of Częstochowa!**
- ◆ **Warsaw**, Poland's brave capital!
- ◆ **Meals:** breakfast daily, 2 lunches and 6 dinners (3 with entertainment)

**SAVE \$150 PER PERSON OFF THE ABOVE
PUBLISHED FARES WHEN YOU PAY IN FULL BY
FEBRUARY 28, 2014!**

Please be advised that there is extensive slow paced walking every day of this tour over uneven surfaces, cobblestone streets and walkways.

Questions? Call Scott at (203) 758-7367 or E-mail: pilgrimages@ortv-hartford.org

TOUR COST INCLUDES

- Round trip, economy class air transportation from JFK, NY.
- Airport/Hotel transfers on arrival and departure in Italy and Poland.
- 10 Nights accommodations at tourist class or better hotels, double occupancy (twin beds) with private bath or shower.
- Breakfast daily.
- 2 Lunches and 6 Dinners with local wines (Italy only).
- Fully escorted by professional English speaking tour directors from arrival to departure.
- All sightseeing and excursions, including entrance fees as per attached itinerary.
- English speaking local guides.
- Deluxe air-conditioned motor coaches.
- Hotel portorage of one (1) bag per person in Rome and Warsaw. **Note: there is no hotel portorage in Krakow!**
- All hotel taxes and service charges.
- All gratuities for tour directors, drivers, local guides, hotel staff and restaurant personnel.

TOUR COST DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Optional comprehensive travel insurance, \$285* per person. Premium covers total tour cost up to \$5,000 and is nonrefundable.
- Optional round trip JFK airport motor coach transfer from Hartford, Waterbury or Fairfield: \$143* per person.
- Items of a personal nature (e.g., laundry, telephone, extra beverages, etc.) and items not specified in tour brochure and itinerary.
- Meals not listed in tour brochure and itinerary.
- Passport or Visa fees.
- Mass offerings.
- Optional sightseeing tours and associated gratuities for guides.

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PRELIMINARY ITINERARY

DAY 1/SUN, MAY 11 – DEPART JFK ON LUFTHANSA OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO ROME VIA FRANKFURT. (meals in flight)

DAY 2/MON, MAY 12 – FRANKFURT/ROME

Arrive Frankfurt and transfer to your connecting flight to **Rome**. On arrival at **Rome's Leonardo da Vinci** airport, you will be greeted by your tour director and board your motor coach for a panoramic city tour of Rome. En-route, you'll stop at the **Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls** for a visit and Mass (*time permitting*). Then proceed to/and check-in at **Hotel Cicerone** (<http://www.hotelciceronerome.com/#>). Some free time to freshen-up, then this afternoon, enjoy a leisurely walking tour, including: **Trevi Fountain**, the **Pantheon** and **Piazza Navona**. This evening, a welcome dinner is offered at the hotel. Overnight Hotel Cicerone. (D)



DAY 3/TUE, MAY 13 – ROME

Today is the anniversary of both the attempted assassination of St. John Paul II in 1981 and the first of six apparitions of the Blessed Virgin Mary at Fatima in 1917 to the three shepherd children.



This morning, early departure for Mass at St. Peter's Basilica, followed by a tour of the **Vatican Museums** and **Sistine Chapel** tour, including **St. Peter's Basilica**, and the site where St. John Paul II was shot in **St. Peter's Square**. This afternoon, you'll tour



Ancient Rome including the **Coliseum**. Dinner is on your own tonight. Overnight Hotel Cicerone. (B)

DAY 4/WED, MAY 14 – ROME

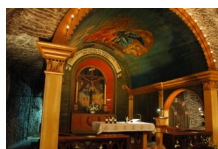
This morning, early wake-up and transfer to **St. Peter's Square** to attend the weekly **Papal General Audience** with **Pope Francis**. This afternoon, visit the **Basilicas of St. Mary Major and St. John in Lateran**. This evening, dinner with entertainment will be at a local Roman ristorante. Overnight Hotel Cicerone. (B/D)

DAY 5/THU, MAY 15 – ROME/MUNICH/KRAKOW

Today you say "Arrivederci Roma" and "Cześć Poland"! Early morning departure for Rome's Leonardo da Vinci airport for your flight to Krakow via Munich. On arrival in Munich, transfer to your connecting flight to Krakow. On arrival at **Krakow's John Paul II** airport, you are greeted by your Polish tour director and board your motor coach for a panoramic **Krakow** city tour en-route to your hotel. Check-in at **IBIS Krakow Centrum** (<http://www.ibis.com/gb/hotel-3710-ibis-krakow-centrum/index.shtml>). *Please note that there is no portorage at this hotel!* Dinner is at your hotel this evening. Overnight IBIS Krakow Centrum.. (B/D)

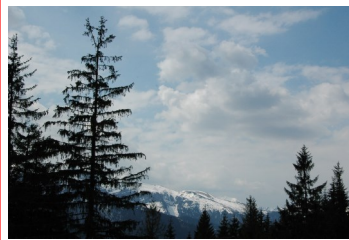
DAY 6/FRI, MAY 16 – KRAKOW

This morning, you'll have a **Krakow** city tour. Then free time for lunch in the Old Town. After lunch, continue to the **Wieliczka Salt Mines**, for a visit, followed by Mass. This evening, enjoy a



festive dinner with traditional Krakowiak folklore entertainment. Overnight IBIS Krakow Centrum. (B/D)

DAY 7/SAT, MAY 17 – KRAKOW/ZAKOPANE



A full day excursion to **Zakopane**, visiting this charming mountain resort, located in the high Tatra Mountains on Poland's southern border with Slovakia. Followed by a visit to the **Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima** and Mass. Construction of a great church began 1987, next to the

chapel, as a votive offering of gratitude for the recovery of then Pope John Paul II after the assassination attempt on May 13, 1981. Dinner is on your own this evening. Overnight IBIS Krakow Centrum. (B)

DAY 8/SUN, MAY 18 – KRAKOW/WADOWICE (Birth Anniversary of St. John Paul II)

Full day excursion to **Wadowice**, the birthplace of St. John Paul II, and Mass (most likely a local parish Mass in Polish). Then enjoy a traditional Polish lunch at a local Wadowice restaurant. After lunch, you will visit the **Calvary Sanctuary** in nearby **Kalwaria Zebrzydowska**, where St. John Paul II was a frequent pilgrim. Dinner is on your own tonight. Overnight IBIS Krakow Centrum. (B/L)



DAY 9/MON, MAY 19 – KRAKOW/AUSCHWITZ

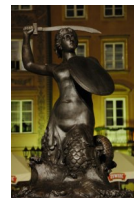
This morning you'll visit the **Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial**, Hitler's notorious concentration camp. In the afternoon, your tour of Krakow continues with a visit to the **Jewish ghetto**. Dinner is at a local restaurant this evening. Overnight IBIS Krakow Centrum. (B/D)

DAY 10/TUE, MAY 20 – KRAKOW/CZĘSTOCHOWA/WARSAW



Today you leave Krakow for **Warsaw**, the bustling and cosmopolitan capital of Poland. On the way, you will stop at **Częstochowa**, where we tour **Jasna Gora Monastery**, a world famous pilgrimage centre and shrine of Poland's holiest icon, the **Black Madonna**, where Mass will be celebrated. After your visit and Mass, you'll stop at a local restaurant for lunch then continue to Warsaw. On arrival, check-in

at the **Polonia Palace Hotel**. This evening, celebrate your pilgrimage with a festive farewell dinner at a local Warsaw restaurant. Overnight Polonia Palace Hotel (<http://www.poloniapalace.com/default-en.html>). (B/L/D)



DAY 11/WED, MAY 21 – WARSAW

This morning meet your local guide for a visit of Warsaw. After the tour the remainder of the day is free to explore, shop and pack. Dinner is on your own this evening. Overnight Polonia Palace Hotel. (B)

DAY 12/THU, MAY 22 – WARSAW/NEW YORK, JFK

Very early morning wake-up, check-out and departure to **Warsaw's Chopin airport** for your flights home via Munich. On arrival in Munich transfer to your connecting flight to JFK, New York. (B/meals in flight)

Note: Itinerary, optional sightseeing tours and sequence of same, Mass frequency/locations, and meal locations are subject to change, and are conducted weather and time permitting. Vatican events, including Papal General Audiences and Masses, are subject to ticket availability, scheduling and change/cancellation without notice, solely at the Vatican's discretion. In the rare case where alternate hotel accommodations might be necessary, a similarly classed hotel will be substituted. All information printed in this tour brochure and itinerary is as of January 27, 2014, and is subject to change.

(B) = Breakfast • (L) = Lunch with Wine* • (D) = Dinner with Wine* (*Wine is NOT included in Poland)

TOUR RESERVATION FORM

IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF SAINT JOHN PAUL II MAY 11-22, 2014

This form must be fully completed by all Passengers and returned with deposit no later than **March 10, 2014**. **Final payment due no later than March 25, 2014. PAY IN FULL BY FEBRUARY 28, 2014 AND SAVE \$150 PER PERSON OFF THE PUBLISHED FARES!** Please keep a copy of your completed reservation form together with the tour terms and conditions for your records. Please make all checks/money orders payable to: **FJ TOURS, LLC**. If paying by credit card please complete the authorization form on the reverse!

PASSENGER INFORMATION

Please **PRINT** all requested information and include a copy of the picture page of each passenger's Passport.

Passenger #1 (Name EXACTLY as it appears on your passport.):	Date of Birth:	Passport No.:	Passport Exp. Date:	U.S. Citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Passenger #2 (Name EXACTLY as it appears on your passport.):	Date of Birth:	Passport No.:	Passport Exp. Date:	U.S. Citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Address:				
City:		State:	ZIP Code:	
Home Phone:		Work Phone:		
E-mail*:		Mobile Phone:		

All correspondence related to the reservation will be mailed to the above address.

*Providing your E-mail address allows us to quickly communicate important tour information. FJ Tours will never sell or rent your E-mail address or other personal information to any third-party.

ACCOMMODATIONS

- Single Room, cost as per itinerary (*limited availability*)
 Twin/Double Room with Twin Beds (*Request Double Bed, subject to availability*);
Roommate (*if not listed above*) _____ or Request Roommate
- Special Diet/Food Allergies: _____ Special Needs (e.g., travel with cane, walker, wheelchair, etc.): _____

TOUR OPTIONS

- Optional Comprehensive Travel Insurance, nonrefundable premium as per tour brochure.
Passenger #1 Yes No • Passenger #2 Yes No
(Please check Yes or No for EACH passenger)
- Roundtrip JFK International airport transfer, cost as per tour brochure, from: Hartford Waterbury Fairfield

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Name:	Relationship:	
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Mobile Phone:

PAYMENTS

MINIMUM DEPOSIT: \$350. FULL PAYMENT DUE BY MARCH 25, 2014.
THE OPTIONAL TRAVEL INSURANCE MAY BE PURCHASED AT ANYTIME UP TO THE TIME OF FINAL PAYMENT.

I (we) have enclosed a check/money order in the amount of \$ _____ or completed the credit card authorization on the back of this form covering the tour deposit and optional nonrefundable travel insurance premium, if purchased, for each Passenger registered on this form; have received a copy of and read the Tour Terms and Conditions; am (are) aware that travel insurance is recommended; and understand the details of the tour as stated in the tour brochure and itinerary and agree to be bound thereby. If I (we) have declined travel insurance, I (we) understand that I (we) am (are) assuming any financial loss with my (our) tour arrangements which otherwise may have been covered by travel insurance. **All Passengers registered on this form must sign below. If under 18, a parent or guardian must sign.**

Passenger #1 Signature:	Passenger #2 Signature:
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Please mail completed tour reservation form together with tour payment, **AND** passport copy to:

Footsteps of St. John Paul II, Office of Radio & Television, 15 Peach Orchard Rd, Prospect, CT 06712-1052

Group #2014001014



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TAKING TIME TOGETHER

Credit Card Payment Authorization Form

Please complete, sign and return this form to the fax number or mail to the address below.
Please note that the cash payment discount is not available for pilgrimages/tours paid by credit card.

Credit Card Holder's Name: _____

Credit Card Billing Address: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____ Telephone #: _____

Passenger Names:

#1: _____ #3: _____

#2: _____ #4: _____

Pilgrimage/Tour Name: _____

Authorized Amount to be Charged to this Credit Card: \$

American Express Discover Card MasterCard Visa

Card #: _____ Expiration Date: _____ *CID: _____

**Credit card security number.*

By signing below, I authorize FJ Tours, LLC to charge the above listed credit card in the amount authorized above, and I acknowledge that I have received a copy of and read the Tour Terms and Conditions; am aware that travel insurance is recommended; and understand the details of the tour as stated in the tour brochure and itinerary and agree to be bound thereby. Charges will appear on your bank/credit card statement as **PAYPAL *FJ TOURSLLC**.

Cardholder's Signature: _____ Date: _____

**FOR YOUR SECURITY ONLY RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM BY FAX OR U.S. MAIL.
DO NOT EMAIL THIS FORM!**

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IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF SAINT JOHN PAUL II PILGRIMAGE

TOUR TERMS AND CONDITIONS

TOUR PRICES: The tour price includes round-trip, airfare from JFK International Airport, NY and land services in Italy and Poland as outlined in the tour brochure and itinerary. All prices stated herein are quoted in U.S. dollars (unless otherwise stated) and are based on tariffs, taxes and currency exchange rates in effect on January 24, 2014. In case of currency fluctuation of more than 3% or significant changes in local government taxes we reserve the right to adjust prices accordingly up until final payment. In the event of a billing error, we reserve the right to re-invoice with correct prices. Tours paid by **cash, check or money order** may deduct a **cash payment discount** of 3.5% from the quoted prices. Tour documents and airline tickets will be issued after final payment has been received and processed, and normally during a group meeting held 1 - 4 weeks prior to departure.

A deposit of \$350 is required to secure a reservation. Late reservations (within 60 days of departure) accepted, if space is available, with full payment due immediately by bank check or money order, and may be subject to a \$100 late reservation fee plus any increase in quoted airfare. Late reservations are not entitled to the **cash payment discount**.

Payment by cash, check or money order made payable to **FJ Tours, LLC** or credit card. Tours paid by credit card are not entitled to receive the cash payment discount. Returned checks are subject to a \$25 fee.

GROUP SIZE: All tour prices herein are based on a minimum of **30** passengers, except for optional tours which require a minimum of **10** passengers.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Regularly scheduled economy class service on any International Air Transportation Association (IATA) or Airlines Reporting Corporation (ARC) (i.e., commercial) carrier. Transatlantic air transportation is based on special, non-refundable economy class contracted fares for this tour group. The air taxes (domestic and foreign government taxes, which include security fees (including the September 11th security fee), airport facility charges, customs, immigration and inspection fees, etc.) and fuel surcharges, as of December 19, 2013, are included in the tour cost, and are subject to change until airline tickets are issued. Additional air taxes and fuel surcharges, if imposed by the airline, will be billed on a final tour invoice. There is no advance seat selection for group departures. Early check-in is required to secure seats with a travel companion. International flights require arriving at the departure airport at least **3** hours prior to departure. Land Only packages do not include airport-hotel transfers in destination countries.

PASSENGER NAME: Passengers are responsible for ensuring that the passenger name (names) printed on the tour invoice match **EXACTLY** the name (names) as they appear on their passport. Due to security requirements, any name change including minor spelling corrections are subject to airline change fees, and may require airline reservations to be cancelled and rebooked. Airline reservations are subject to availability at the time of rebooking and may result in an increased airfare. Any airline change fees or increased airfare are the passenger's responsibility. Airline tickets once issued are non-refundable. The Tour Operator assumes no liability or responsibility for denial of services by any carrier due to any name discrepancy.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS: Double occupancy, standard twin bedded rooms with private bath throughout. Single rooms are available at an additional cost as stated in the tour brochure. Single rooms, although assuring privacy, may be small in size and may be located in remote parts of the hotel away from the rest of the group. A **limited** number of single rooms are available. Special requests such as bed types, smoking preferences, and

connecting rooms are subject to availability. On those rare occasions when we are not able to find a roommate for you, you will be required to pay the single supplement. Every effort will be made to give you sufficient prior notice if we cannot find you a roommate. Triple rooms may not be available in all countries and usually have limited availability.

PASSPORTS AND VISAS: Passports are required of all passengers. A valid U.S. passport that does not expire before November 22, 2014 is required for all U.S. citizens. U.S. citizens do not need a visa to enter the European Union of which Italy and Poland are members. Non-U.S. citizens must check entry requirements with their respective Embassy or Consulate, and are responsible for obtaining their own visas and any other required travel documents at their own expense. The Tour Operator assumes no liability or responsibility for passport or visa procurement.

LUGGAGE: Each passenger is limited to **ONE** (1) checked bag, that may have a maximum weight of **50** pounds and not exceed **62** linear inches (L+W+D), plus one (1) carry-on. Any bag exceeding these rules is subject to **airline** excess baggage fees and are the passenger's responsibility. Please visit the airline's web site for complete baggage rules and restrictions. Hotel portage services of one (1) bag per person are offered with this tour while in Rome and Warsaw. There are no hotel portage services in Krakow. The Tour Operator accepts no liability or responsibility for loss and damage of luggage, although maximum care will be taken to ensure safe handling of your luggage.

CANCELLATION POLICY & PENALTIES: All cancellations must be received in writing and signed by the person who made the original reservation. Cancellations are only effective from the day they are actually received, either by fax, E-mail or U.S. Mail, by FJ Tours, LLC. No refunds are issued for cancellations received after the tour departure date. If you cancel your tour, cancellation penalties will apply and will be deducted from any refund. Cancellation penalties apply to each passenger and the amount of the penalties assessed is based on the date the cancellation is effective, as follows. Up to 91 days prior to departure: Full refund less a \$25 administration fee; 90 to 61 days prior to departure: \$350.00; 60 to 46 days prior to departure: 50% of total tour cost; 45 to 31 days prior to departure: 75% of total tour cost; Less than 30 days: 100% of total tour cost - No Refund. Any unused tour portions are non-refundable. Trip cancellation insurance is highly recommended.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: The Tour Operator offers **optional** comprehensive travel insurance for this tour. Both the Tour Operator and Tour Sponsors strongly recommend that all passengers purchase travel insurance to protect their travel investment.

MEDICAL CONDITION: We make every effort to provide a high level of service to all passengers. Passengers who require special assistance must be accompanied by a qualified helper who assumes total responsibility for the disabled passenger's well being. The Tour Operator is not responsible for any medical condition that occurs prior to, during or after the tour.

RESPONSIBILITY: The responsibility of **FJ Tours, LLC**, 15 Peach Orchard Rd, PO Box 7177, Prospect, CT 06712-0177, Telephone: (203) 805-5035, Fax: (203) 916-5800, E-mail: info@fj-tours.com, herein after called the "Tour Operator", and/or their agent (agents) is (are) limited. We (they) act only as agent for the passenger in regard to all matters connected with the making and securing of reservations with transportation carriers and other suppliers of services ("suppliers"), all of which are independent contractors, for accommodations, tours and travel, whether by railroad, motor coach, private car, boat,

aircraft or any other conveyance; and assume no liability or responsibility for any injury, damage, loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned by either reason of defect, through the acts or default of any company or supplier or person engaged in conveying the passenger or in carrying out the arrangements of the tour, or as a direct or indirect result of acts of God, dangers incident to the sea, fire, breakdown in machinery or equipment, acts of governments or other authorities, de jure or de facto wars, whether declared or not, hostilities, civil disturbance, strikes, riots, theft, pilferage, epidemics, quarantines, medical or customs regulations, or from any causes beyond the Tour Operator's control, or from any loss or damage resulting from improper passports, visas or other documents.

You are responsible for, and release the Tour Operator from: passport, visa, vaccination requirements, if applicable, and safety conditions in tour destination countries.

The airlines concerned are not responsible for any act, omission or event during the time you are not aboard their aircraft. The passenger contract in use by the airline, when issued, constitutes the sole contract between the passenger and airline.

Anyone not utilizing the included transportation (i.e., Land Only package) is responsible for all subsequent transportation.

No changes in the itinerary are expected but we reserve the right to make them if necessary. Because of unforeseen changes in transportation schedules, the land portion of your tour may be occasionally extended or curtailed. The Tour Operator cannot be responsible for changes of itinerary. The number of days indicated for each itinerary begin with the scheduled day of departure and end with the scheduled return arrival day, irrespective of the hour of departure or return, and may vary due to transportation schedule changes.

The Tour Operator reserves the right to accept or decline any person as a member the tour, or to require any passenger to withdraw from the tour at any time who presents a significant risk to the health or safety of him/herself or of others which can not be eliminated or reduced to an acceptable level by the Tour Operator's reasonable accommodation. The Tour Operator reserves the right to cancel a tour in the event that the minimum number of passengers are not secured, and after refunding all partial and full payments, the Tour Operator has no further obligation to passengers on a cancelled tour. Unused portions of the tour itinerary are not refundable. Any deposit, partial or full payment for a tour reservation constitutes agreement by the passenger to all the provisions of the tour brochure, itinerary, and tour terms and conditions.

HOLD HARMLESS: The Office of Radio & Television and WJM Radio of the Archdiocese of Hartford and Blessed John Paul II Catholic Maronite Mission (the "Tour Sponsors"), have selected FJ Tours, LLC to offer travel arrangements for their "In the Footstep of Saint John Paul II Pilgrimage" tour. The tour passenger hereby acknowledges and agrees that: (a) the Tour Sponsors are not in the business of providing travel services, and (b) the Tour Sponsors disclaim any liability or responsibility with respect to such travel services. Consequently, in engaging FJ Tours, LLC for this tour, the tour passenger expressly agrees to hold the Tour Sponsors harmless from and against any and all claims, losses, damages, liabilities or judgments, at law or in equity, related to, arising from, or in connection, with respect to the travel, accommodation and tour services procured by the tour passenger. "Claims" include, without limitation: claims for personal injury, disability or death, directly or indirectly related to, arising from or in connection with, any negligence or breach by FJ Tours, LLC or by others.

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