

Novel and unforgettable experiences await you in this tour.

Day 01/Jun 15 MANILA/ROME

Day 02/Jun 16 ARRIVE ROME, Italy

Arrive in Rome, the Eternal City. Meet our local guide for start of sightseeing. View the Coliseum- site of gladiatorial combats and early Christian martyrdom, Roman Forum, Piazza Navonna, among others. End your tour with a visit to the exquisitely beautiful **Trevi Fountain**. Proceed to your hotel for accommodation. (D) Hotel: Best Western Universo or similar

Day 03/Jun 17 ROME

Start the day with a visit to the Vatican Museum to admire the frescoes of Michelangelo at the Sistine Chapel. See Greek and Roman antiquities and collections of religious arts. Then to St. Peter's Basilica, the most magnificent church in Christendom. Pass by the tomb of Pope John Paul II. Visit the patriarchal basilicas: St John Lateran (nearby is the Scala Santa), Santa Maria Maggiore, St Paul's Outside the Walls. (BD)

Day 04/Jun 18 ROME/SAN GIOVANNI ROTONDO

Attend Papal Blessing if the Pope is in Vatican. Drive to **LANCIANO** for a Eucharistic Celebration at the **Church of the Eucharistic Miracle**. The story behind the miracle is heartwarming. Continue southwards towards San Giovanni Rotondo. (BD) Hotel: Valle Rossa or similar

Day 05/Jun 19 SAN GIOVANNI ROTONDO/ROME

Visit the **Shrine of Padre Pio** at the **Basilica of Our Lady of Grace**. Meditate on the life of the miraculous saint, most beloved of confessors, who received the Stigmata- the five wounds of Jesus Christ. Back to Rome for the night. (BD) Hotel: Best Western Universo or similar

Day 06/Jun 20 ROME/LISBON, Portugal

Transfer to the airport for your flight to Lisbon, Portugal. Pass by **Jeronimo's Monastery**, view **Belem Tower** with the splendid Monument to the Discoverers. Overnight in Lisbon. (BD) Hotel: Radisson Blu Lisboa or similar

Day 07/Jun 21 LISBON/FATIMA

Drive to Fatima. Eucharistic Celebration. Put petitions in the chapel. Pray the rosary as you wend your way through the significant places of interest. Visit the humble homes of the visionaries and realize their humble living then. Pass by the miraculous fountain. Pray at the Fatima Shrine (Cova de Iria), the Basilica with tombs of the visionaries and the **Chapel of Apparition**. Excellent shopping of religious souvenirs. Join the uplifting evening procession. (BD) Hotel: Fatima or similar

Day 08/Jun 22 FATIMA/MADRID, Spain

The day will be spent going to Madrid. (BD) Hotel: Rafael Hotels Atocha or similar

Day 09/Jun 23 MADRID/ZARAGOZA

Madrid, one of the most beautiful cities in the world: imposing, elegant! Drive past the fabulous **Royal Palace**, one of the most impressive palaces in the world. See **Puerta del Sol**, **Plaza Espana** with its monument to Cervantes, the Parliament, then to the grand **Cibeles Fountain** plus imposing Alcala.

Continue to **Zaragoza**, historic residence of the former kings of Aragon. Visit the huge Basilica of the miraculous **Nuestra Senora del Pilar**. Spend the night here. (BD) Hotel: Tryp Zaragoza or similar

Day 10/Jun 24 ZARAGOZA/LOURDES, France

Up to the Pyrennes and arrive in Lourdes. Little by little snow appears. After dinner participate at the most moving and inspiring candlelight procession. (BD) Hotel: Panorama or similar

Day 11/Jun 25 LOURDES

Eucharistic Celebration. Drop your petitions. Bathe in the miraculous water. Watch a movie on her life. You'll be immensely inspired by the humble life of Saint Bernadette. Pray collectively before the life-size Stations of the Cross in its most magnificent setting. Witness the **Blessing and Procession of the Sick!** Now meditate at the Grotto for a close communion with God. Don't forget the healing water. (BD)

Day 12/Jun 26 LOURDES/PARIS

Take the TGV fast train to Paris. Proceed to sightseeing. Visit the Cathedral of Notre Dame, one of the greatest Gothic churches in the world with its magnificent stained glass windows. See the majestic Arc de Triomphe, Champs Elysees, Place de Concorde, one of the most admired plazas in the world. Up to the second level of Eiffel Tower, up, up for a scenic view of the loveliest city in the world. Enjoy a delightful cruise along the **River Seine** passing by majestic landmarks. (BD)

Hotel: Evergreen Laurel or similar

Day 13/Jun 27 PARIS/LISIEUX/PARIS

Drive to picturesque Lisieux, home of St. Therese of the Little Flower. St. Therese whom Pope Pius X called "the greatest saint of modern times". Her extraordinary love for God and devotion to humanity come alive as you visit the very impressive Basilica of St. Peter, the museum containing her relics and Les Buissonets, her family home. Combine your prayers in the Carmel chapel with those of the Carmelite sisters, just as St. Therese did before her death in 1897. Eucharistic Celebration. Back to Paris for another night. (BD)

Day 14/Jun 28 PARIS/MANILA

Eucharistic Celebration at the **Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal** where you'll pray afterwards before the incorrupt body of **St. Catherine Laboure**. Transfer to the airport for your flight back home. (B)

Day 15/Jun 29 ARRIVE IN MANILA

COST PER PERSON: \$ 4,188
(minimum 30 participants)
Single room supplement add \$ 600

INCLUSIONS:

- ☞ roundtrip economy class ticket
- ☞ hotel accommodation on first class hotels (twin/triple sharing)
- ☞ meals as indicated (B- buffet breakfast , D- dinner)
- ☞ transportation on airconditioned coach
- ☞ tours with English speaking guides
- ☞ accompanied with a Pilgrimage Chaplain
- ☞ accompanied by a tour coordinator from the Philippines
- ☞ portorage of one(1) piece of luggage per person
- ☞ souvenir handcarry bag
- ☞ pre-departure briefing with giveaways

TAXES: (subject to change) Airline & hotel taxes (\$348) Phil. Travel Tax P1,620

NOT INCLUDED: All applicable taxes, cost of passport and visa documentation, Medical/hospitalization/travel insurance (Universal Assist Card - \$79 below 65yrs old, \$119 for 65yrs and above), cost of optional tours, TIPS & GRATUITIES (\$140) for tour and transfer guides, tour guides, drivers, restaurants, porters. Cost of excess baggage, meals other than indicated, laundry, telephone calls, faxes and all other items personal in nature.

BOOKING & PAYMENT CONDITIONS:

1. A non-refundable deposit of \$500 plus visa fees is required upon booking and submission of complete documents. (refundable only once visa is refused)
2. 50% of the total tour cost is required 60days before departure and FULL payment is due 45 days before departure
3. **CANCELLATION FEE:** 50% of the tour cost if cancelled within 45 days before departure & FULL cancellation if cancelled 30days prior departure.

RATES, TOUR PROGRAMS and SCHEDULES are subject to change if conditions so demand. Adam's Express Travel reserves the right to postpone the departure if participants fall below the required number of persons or visas are not processed on time. Tour fare is based on group departure. Air tickets are based on group/discounted fares, hence, certain restrictions apply, i.e. non-endorsable, non-reroutable, with refunds, if any, subject to cancellation and other charges.

Sample Invoice:

Tour Cost \$4,188
Airline/hotel taxes \$ 348
Assist card (below 65yrs old) \$ 79
Tipping \$ 140
Cost in USD \$4,755

Plus applicable travel tax and visa

VISA PROCESSING FEE: P6,500 (subject to change)

VISA REQUIREMENTS: DEADLINE 3 months prior departure

- passport valid for at least 6mos (including old passport)
- 3 pcs passport size photos (white background)
- Bank Books /Bank Statements/ Bank Certificate of Deposits
- Latest Income Tax Returns
- Travel Insurance /ASSIST (a must)

If in Business Business Registration (SEC, DTI, Mayor's Permit)

If Employee Employment Certificate & Leave of Absence

For Gov't Employees Travel Authority

For Dependents Affidavit of Support duly notarized

For married applicants Marriage Contract

For Minor applicants Birth Certificate

For Retirees Bank Books

Other documents might be required by the embassy.

CONDITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY: ADAM'S EXPRESS

TRAVEL, its employees, sub-agents shall be responsible only for making arrangements as your travel agent. It shall not be responsible and liable for any accident, loss, injury, damage to property in connection with any accommodation, transportation or other services resulting directly or indirectly from any occurrence or defects of vehicles, breakdown of equipment, acts of God, strikes, civil disturbances, theft, delay or cancellation or change in the itinerary. Baggage is at owner's risk throughout the trip. The Company shall not held liable in any form on any health problem/s that may occur during the trip brought about by pre-existing illness/es, disclosed or undisclosed by the passenger to Adam's Travel reserves the right to terminate servicing any participant who in its opinion is prejudicing the harmony of the tour group, a burden to the group or for any reason by his/her conduct hinders the successful operation of the tour. Payment of reservation fee/total tour cost shall constitute to all the provisions in the tour booking, payment and cancellation policies and conditions of responsibilities stated herein.

For details and reservation, please contact:



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Departure Date: June 15, 2018

**with Msgr. Reuben Espeno
as Pilgrimage Chaplain**

Or call your travel agent: