

REGISTRATION FORM

Please reserve _____ seat(s) on:

A CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TOUR TO FRANCE LED BY FR. JOHN SIMS BAKER

July 9 - 19, 2019

Please enclose a \$500 deposit per person

Name(s) _____

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Rooming with: _____

OR

I request a single room at an additional \$600.

My signature on the line below indicates that I have read and agree to the terms and conditions in this brochure.

Send check or money order to:

PILGRIMAGE TOURS LLC
1766 Scherersville Road
Allentown, PA 18104

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

AIR TRANSPORTATION: Round-trip coach class on American, Delta, United or other IATA member. Meals served in flight.

LAND TRANSPORTATION & SERVICES: By deluxe air-conditioned motor coach with professional driver, services of an English-speaking Tour Director, local guides, all admission & entrance fees and transfers to and from international airports. Mass scheduled daily. Daily schedule as per your itinerary, however we reserve the right to modify any itinerary if circumstances deem necessary.

LODGING: First-class accommodations, based upon double occupancy with limited single accommodations available at an additional charge of \$600.

MEALS: Breakfast Buffet and Dinner DAILY.

ALSO INCLUDED IN PRICE: All taxes, including airport taxes. Gratuities for tour directors, local guides, bus drivers, porters, wait staff, housekeeping and front desk personnel. Tipping will be conducted by a tour leader during the course of your tour.

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE: The cost of obtaining your passport and visa fees to some countries, meals not included in the itinerary, wines, liquors, bottled waters, coffee or tea, personal items, laundry services, room service charges, long-distance phone calls, excess baggage, airport service charges and any sightseeing not included in the itinerary.

GROUP REQUIREMENT: The minimum number of passengers needed to assure a group's departure is 15. We reserve the right to cancel up to 30 days from departure should the total number of registered passengers be fewer than 15. If there are fewer than 15 passengers, Pilgrimage Tours will do all that is possible to assure your group's departure without having to resort to charging a supplemental fee for the group. If Pilgrimage Tours cancels, you will receive a full refund.

DEPOSIT AND FULL PAYMENT: A deposit/payment of \$500 towards the price of the tour, per person is required to book your reservation. The balance is to be paid in full two months prior to departure; May 9, 2019. Balances not paid by this date may be subject to a \$100 late payment fee. Reservations made within 30 days of departure may be subject to a \$100 late reservation fee. Upon receipt of your completed registration form and deposit, a confirmation invoice along with a travel insurance brochure will be mailed to you.

INSURANCE: Trip Cancellation and Interruption Insurance is highly recommended. Cancellation fees are covered by CSA Travel Protection's plan, as long as your premium has been paid, your policy is in effect and the reason for your canceling is insurable. Waivers for pre-existing medical conditions are available at no additional cost, but your policy must be purchased before your final payment for the tour.

CANCELLATION FEES: Passengers not taking the CSA travel insurance need to be aware of the following cancellation fees. From day of registration to 90 days prior to departure, there is a non-refundable administration fee of \$100. The remaining cancellation fee schedule is as follows: 89-60 days = \$300; 59-45 days = 50% of tour price; 44-30 days = 75% of tour price; 29-15 days = 80% of tour price; 14 days or less = 100% of tour price.

RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY: Pilgrimage Tours LLC acts only as an agent for hotels, transportation companies, sightseeing tours or any service in connection with the itineraries of tour members who by acceptance thereof, acknowledge that neither Pilgrimage Tours LLC and/or its agents and suppliers shall be liable for accident, injury, damage, loss, liability or expense to person or property due to any acts by hotel, carrier or other company providing services included in the tour. Further, Pilgrimage Tours and its agents accept no responsibility for any sickness, pilferage, labor disputes, machinery breakdown, government restraints, acts of war and terrorism or by acts of God, weather conditions, defect in any vehicle of transportation or for any misadventure or casualty or any other causes beyond their control. Any ARC or IATA carrier, including airlines, are not responsible for any act, omission or event during the time passengers are not on board their planes or conveyances. Prices are based on exchange rates and fuel charges effective January 23, 2019. Pilgrimage Tours LLC reserves the right to charge additional fees for any significant changes in either exchange rates or fuel surcharges.

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**Please Register Early,
Seats Are Limited!**

**You Are Invited To Join
FR. JOHN SIMS BAKER
on an 11-day
Catholic Pilgrimage Tour
to France
In Celebration of 25
Years of Priesthood**



Sanctuary of Lourdes

Including:
**Lourdes, Toulouse,
Carcassonne, Avignon,
Ars, Paray le Monial,
Nevers, Chartres,
Lisieux & Paris.**

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\$4,295

All-inclusive from
Nashville, TN

DAILY MASS AT THE HOLY SITES

AN 11-DAY CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TOUR TO FRANCE

UNDER THE SPIRITUAL DIRECTION OF FR. JOHN SIMS BAKER

July 9, 2019 - Tuesday NASHVILLE / FRANCE

Today we gather at Nashville International Airport to board our connecting flight to France. Meals are served on board our transatlantic flight.

July 10, 2019 - Wednesday PARIS / LOURDES

This morning we arrive in Paris and meet our Pilgrimage Tours' tour director, who will be with us for the duration of our tour. We board our plane for the short flight to Lourdes, where in 1858, Mary appeared to a young Bernadette Soubirous. Upon our arrival in Lourdes, we walk to the Grotto for an introduction to the Shrine, followed by a visit to the Rosary Basilica (Lower Basilica) and a visit and celebration of Mass in the Crypt of the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception (Upper Basilica). Following Mass, we arrive at our hotel for dinner. Following dinner, we participate in this evening's Candlelight Procession. Overnight in Lourdes.

July 11, 2019 - Thursday LOURDES

Following Mass this morning in the Grotto, where Mary appeared to Bernadette numerous times, we enjoy a walking tour of Lourdes where we will visit the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception (Upper Basilica), the Rosary Basilica (Lower Basilica) as well as the nearby Healing Baths where many pilgrims submerge themselves for its healing properties. We also visit the Basilica of Pius X as well as Bernadette's home and the Museum of Lourdes. Our afternoon is free for personal exploration of the Sanctuary of Lourdes, allowing for time for those who wish to visit the Healing Baths. Following dinner this evening, we have another opportunity to join the Candlelight Procession. Overnight in Lourdes.

July 12, 2019 - Friday LOURDES / TOULOUSE / CARCASSONNE

This morning we enjoy our day driving through the French countryside en route to Toulouse, where upon our arrival we will visit the Romanesque Basilica of St. Sernin as well as the Church of Les Jacobins where we will visit the tomb of Saint Thomas Aquinas, a Doctor of the Church. Following Mass and free time for lunch, we drive to the ancient city of Carcassonne, one of the best preserved walled cities in the world. Here we will enjoy a walking tour of the historic center followed by free time prior to arriving at our hotel for dinner and overnight in Carcassonne.

July 13, 2019 - Saturday CARCASSONNE / AVIGNON / ARS

This morning we depart Carcassonne and arrive in Avignon, where we will see the grand Palace of the Popes, where in the 14th century, it served as home to the Papacy during Rome's tumultuous political conditions of the time. Following free time for lunch, we continue on to Ars, village of the Holy Cure, Saint John Vianney, the Patron Saint of Priests. Here we visit his home and the Basilica of Saint John Vianney, where the saint's body is housed in a glass reliquary. Following Mass at the basilica, we arrive at our hotel for dinner and overnight in Ars.

July 14, 2019 - Sunday ARS / PARAY le MONIAL / NEVERS

Today we drive to Paray le Monial, known as the City of the Eucharist. Here we will celebrate Mass inside the beautiful Chapel of Colombiere, where we will see a reliquary housing the body of St. Claude de la Colombiere. Following Mass, we will visit the Chapel of the Visitation, where Jesus appeared to a young Margaret Mary Alacoque and revealed devotions to His Sacred Heart, and also visit the Sacred Heart Basilica. We continue on to Nevers for a visit to the Convent of Saint Gildard, where Bernadette Soubirous of Lourdes spent the final 13 years of her life. While here we will explore the convent's grounds and visit the Chapel of Saint Bernadette where we will see the incorrupt body of Saint Bernadette kept in a glass reliquary. Dinner and overnight in Nevers.

July 15, 2019 - Monday NEVERS / CHARTRES / LISIEUX

Following Mass this morning in the Chapel of Saint Bernadette, we drive to the town of Chartres, situated on top of a hill overlooking the River Eure. In the center of the city stands the Cathedral of Notre Dame, one of the finest and best preserved Gothic buildings in France. We will see its very impressive interior including its windows dating back to 1210 that form the most magnificent collection of medieval stained glass in existence. We also see the cathedral's south spire, its statuary and its Late Gothic choir screens. Following free time for lunch in Chartres, we continue on to Lisieux, the home to Saint Therese, the Carmelite nun known as "The Little Flower", and a Doctor of the Church. Here we will visit the site of the Lisieux family home, Les Buissonnets, and the Carmelite Convent Chapel which contains the remains of Saint Therese. Dinner and overnight in Lisieux.

July 16, 2019 - Tuesday LISIEUX / PARIS

This morning we visit the Basilica of Saint Therese and celebrate Mass in its Crypt, where Saint Therese's parents are entombed. Following Mass, we drive to Paris, where upon our arrival, we will visit the Basilica of Our Lady of Victories, followed by a walking tour where we will see the courtyards and gardens of the Palais Royal and visit the Galerie Vivienne, a covered passageway housing many interesting cafes and shops. In the afternoon we enjoy free time on the Champs Elysees before arriving at our hotel for check-in. Following dinner, we enjoy this evening's motor coach tour of the "City of Light", where we will see many of Paris' landmarks including the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysees and Palais Garnier; Paris' beautiful opera house. During our tour we will stop at the Trocadero terrace for a wonderful view of the Eiffel Tower and its light show. We return to our hotel for overnight in Paris.

July 17, 2019 - Wednesday PARIS

Today we drive to Rue de Bac to visit the Shrine of the Miraculous Medal, where Saint Catherine Laboure received her apparitions of Mary. Here we see the incorrupt body of St. Catherine as well as the body of Saint Louise de Marillac, who founded the Daughters of Charity with Saint Vincent de Paul. Following Mass and time at the shrine's gift shop, we enjoy a visit to Paris' lovely Luxembourg Gardens. Next we arrive at the Cathedral of Notre-Dame, which stands on an island in the middle of the River Seine. Here we will see the Gallery of the Kings, the Portal of the Last Judgment and its famous Rose Window. While here we enjoy free time for shopping and lunch next to the Cathedral. Later in the afternoon we will visit the beautiful Sainte-Chapelle, a Gothic royal chapel with impressive stained glass windows. Our afternoon concludes with a visit to Paris' landmark Galeries Lafayette department store where we enjoy free time for shopping. Dinner and overnight in Paris.

July 18, 2019 - Thursday PARIS

This morning we visit and celebrate Mass at Saint Stephen's Church, one of Paris' "pilgrimage churches", once visited by Saint John Paul II. The church houses some relics of Saint Genevieve, the patron saint of Paris. Next we enjoy a cruise on the River Seine, followed by free time for pictures at the base of the Eiffel Tower. Next we arrive at the world famous Louvre Museum to see some of its fine collection of art, including the Mona Lisa. Following our time at the Louvre, we drive to the Montmartre District, the "Artists Quarter" of Paris and visit the Romanesque and Byzantine Sacre Coeur Basilica on top of Montmartre Hill. Following our visit to the basilica, we will have free time for exploring the shops on Montmartre Hill before this evening's farewell dinner at La Bonne Franquette restaurant. We return to our hotel for overnight in Paris.

July 19, 2019 - Friday PARIS / NASHVILLE

Following breakfast, we transfer to the airport for our connecting flight home. Though our pilgrimage has come to an end, the blessings of our encounters with the Lord, Our Lady and the saints are certain to strengthen and encourage us throughout our lifelong pilgrimage.