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14 – 24 SEPTEMBER 2027

THE BASILICA
THE VATICAN
PAPAL AUDIENCE
ANCONA PORT

ITALY MEDUJUGORJE

DAY 1: JOHANNESBURG**14 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Meet at OR Tambo International Airport and check in for your flight to Rome.

Overnight on board your flight.

DAY 2: ARRIVE IN ROME – THE BASILICA AND VATICAN**15 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Arrive at Rome Airport, transfer to visit St. John Lateran, the seat of the papal throne, the oldest and the first in the established order of the papal basilicas and St. Mary Major, the largest church in Rome dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Lunch on own account.

After lunch, guided visit to St. Peter's Basilica and square.

Time at leisure.

Return to the Religious House.

Dinner and overnight at Religious House.

DAY 3: PAPAL AUDIENCE – ANCIENT ROME – CLASSIC**16 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After Breakfast, transfer to the Vatican to attend Papal audience.

Continue for a panoramic tour of ancient Rome, with the evocative ruins of the Roman Forum, political, military and social centre of the whole Roman Empire and the Colosseum, the greatest Amphitheatre of the city, built by the Emperor Vespasian in 72 A.D.

Lunch on own account.

After lunch, visit to the famous squares and fountains of Rome, followed by time at leisure.

Return to the Religious House and possible private Mass.

Dinner and overnight at Religious House.

DAY 4: ROME – ASSISI**17 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After breakfast, depart to Assisi: meet the guide and visit the tomb of St. Francis in the Basilica dedicated to the saint in Assisi.

Explore the quaint hilltop birthplace of St. Francis that still retains something of the atmosphere of the early 1200s, the period when the saint began his ministry.

Contained within the huge 13th-century Basilica are many of the saint's possessions and a series of frescoes by Giotto depicting his life.

Lunch on own account.

After lunch, we go to the Basilica of St. Clare to see the saint's incorrupt body.

The foundress of the Order of Poor Clares followed the teachings of St. Francis by living a life of poverty and humility.

Possible private Mass in St. Clare or in St. Francis Basilica

Time at leisure for private devotion, optional visit St. Damiano church, where the crucifix spoke to St. Francis, on foot or by taxi

Dinner and overnight in Assisi at Religious House.



DAY 5: ASSISI – LORETO – ANCONA PORT**18 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After breakfast, guided visit by a local friar of the Basilica with the Porziuncola: private mass.

Transfer to Loreto and guided visit of the Shrine.

Continue to Ancona to embark the ferry to Split.

Dinner and overnight on board.

DAY 6: SPLIT MEDJUGORJE**19 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After breakfast, Arrive in Split Port and coach transfer to your religious house/hotel in Medjugorje

Meet the guide who will explain the history of Medjugorje started with the visionaries and will present the religious activities available every day.

Lunch on own account.

Dinner and overnight in your Hotel/Religious House.

DAY 7: SPLIT MEDJUGORJE**20 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After breakfast, today and following day are dedicated to the various options of devotion (guide half day), such as: climbing of Podbrdo and of Mount Krizevac through the Stations of the Cross.

Lunch on own account.

After lunch, possibility to participate to the spiritual experience of the Franciscans (Mass, Confession, Rosary, Adoration and spiritual talks)

Dinner and overnight in your Hotel/Religious House.

DAY 8: MEDJUGORJE**21 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After breakfast, Half day guided visit + half day at leisure for private devotion.

Lunch on own account.

Dinner and overnight at Religious House.

DAY 9: MEDJUGORJE**22 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After breakfast, Half day guided visit + half day at leisure for private devotion.

Lunch on own account.

Dinner and overnight at Religious House.

DAY 10: MEDJUGORJE – AIRPORT**23 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Breakfast before your day starts.

After breakfast, Transfer to Sarajevo Airport for departure

DAY 14: JOHANNESBURG**24 SEPTEMBER 2027**

Arrive at OR Tambo International Airport



Price, per person, based on **25 Pilgrims** travelling and **1 Spiritual Leader: R49, 995.00 (Subject to Change)**

Prices are based on 2025 rates of exchange and are subject to change. All rates quoted are per adult sharing and subject to availability at time of making the reservation. Airfares & Taxes are subject to change within the specified seasons and are carrier specific, which could impact on the rate quoted. Rates are subject to currency fluctuations which are subject to change without prior notification. Standard T's and C's apply.

SERVICES INCLUDED:

- Return Economy Flights departing from OR Tambo International Airport Johannesburg
- Airport Taxes (subject to change.)
- **Accommodation on bed, breakfast and dinner basis:**
 - 2 nights in Rome.
 - 1 night in Assisi.
 - 1 night on the ferry Ancona-Split.
 - 4 nights in Medjugorje.
- Assistant in Rome Airport.
- Guided Tour – Rome, Assisi, Loreto and Medjugorje.
- Earphones when necessary.
- Bus for all visits requiring a transfer.
- Bus entrance fee and parking in the cities and driver’s meals.
- Booking of private masses in the Basilicas and Shrines.
- Hotel city taxes.

SERVICES EXCLUDED:

- Visa.
- Travel Insurance.
- Tips.
- Porterage.
- Lunches.
- Drinks.
- Personal expenses.

