

Time to travel!!!

*Ave Maria Pilgrimage presents Great Shrines Of Italy*



**Rome, Assisi, Casia, Lanciano,  
Monte Sant'Angelo, San Giovanni Rotondo, Montecassino  
Pilgrimage Led By Fr. Jack Barker**

*Join us May 1– 10, 2017*

**Los Angeles, San Diego or San Francisco: \$3580 per person/double occupancy**

**Chicago, New York or Houston: \$3480 per person/double occupancy;**

*Single Room Occupancy: \$480.00 Extra*

**\*\*Please call for departure from other cities**

We look forward to welcoming you to our group along with offering the very best value

**For best air options and hotel accommodations please book early**

**Your Trip Includes:**

- Round trip airfare from your departure city to Rome
- 3 nights in Rome – 4 star hotel
- 3 nights in Assisi – 4-star hotel
- 2 nights in (or near) San Giovanni Rotondo – 4-star hotel
- Breakfast buffet and Dinner daily
- Transfers by Private Bus
- All taxes & Entry Fees
- Assistance of Tour Director
- Sightseeing Tours
- Celebration of daily Mass



**Fr. Jack Barker**

NOT INCLUDED: Beverages with dinner and Tips (\$9 per day/per pilgrim) for drivers, servers and housekeeping staff

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PILGRIMAGE TO: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME AS IT APPEARS ON PASSPORT \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH, PASSPORT NUMBER AND EXPIRATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

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ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_ DEPOSIT \$400.00 OR FULL AMOUNT \$ \_\_\_\_\_

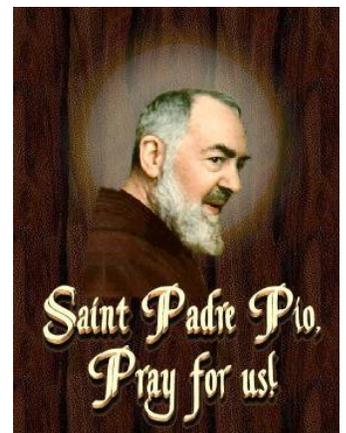
SECOND PAYMENT OF \$1600.00 IS DUE 90 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE DATE  
FINAL PAYMENT IS DUE 6 WEEKS BEFORE DEPARTURE DATE

NAME YOU WOULD LIKE ON YOUR NAME BADGE: \_\_\_\_\_

**You will receive your travel documents approximately three weeks prior to departure**

Cancellation fees are:

90 to 61 days before departure date.....	\$1200.00
60 to 31 days before departure date.....	\$1800.00
30 days to 1 day before departure or no show.....	no refund



## **ITINERARY FOR MAY 2017 TO ROME, ASSISI AND SAN GIOVANNI ROTONDO**

**May 1:** Depart **U.S.A.** for **Rome, Italy**. Meals are served onboard transatlantic flight.

**May 2:** Upon arrival in **Rome** we will check in to our hotel for dinner and two night stay.

**May 3:** After breakfast we will spend the entire day at the **Vatican**. At 10:00AM we will attend the **Papal audience** and receive a blessing (depending on the Pope's schedule). We will visit **St. Peter's Basilica** and there will be free time for optional visits to the **Vatican** museums, the **Sistine Chapel** or shopping. Return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

**May 4-6:** After breakfast we will depart for **Assisi** for our 3 night stay. While in Assisi we will visit the **Basilica of St. Francis** which contains many of the saint's possessions. We will also visit the **Church of St. Clare** to see the saint's incorrupt body. Stroll through the quaint, medieval village that still retains some of the atmosphere of the early 1200s, the period when **St Francis** began his ministry and enjoy the costumes and festivities during the annual **Calendimmagio Festival**. 1 day excursion to **Cascia** to see the incorrupt body of **St. Rita**, patron saint of impossible.

**May 7:** After breakfast we depart **Assisi** for **San Giovanni Rotondo**. On the way, we will stop in **Lanciano** to view the **Eucharistic Miracle** that is the real flesh and blood of **Jesus** that has been there for 12 centuries unchanged. We will then continue on towards **San Giovanni Rotondo** and check-in to our hotel for our two night stay.

**May 8:** After breakfast we will visit **Monte Sant'Angelo** and the **Grotto of St. Michael the Archangel** that he consecrated himself in 490 A.D. Popes and saints have visited this site requesting **St. Michael's** intercession. We will return to **San Giovanni Rotondo** and visit the shrine of **Padre Pio** where we will have **Mass** and visit his tomb and view his incorrupt body. We will also tour the sanctuary; see the old church and crucifix from which he received the stigmata in 1918. We will return to our hotel for dinner and overnight stay.

**May 9:** After breakfast we will depart for **Rome** and on the way visit **Benedictine Abbey**, where **St. Benedict** is buried, in **Montecassino**. We will arrive in **Rome** in the late afternoon for dinner and our overnight stay.

**May 10:** Depart **Rome** for **Hometown, USA**. Ciao! Ciao! Have a blessed trip home!

**\*\*Optional add-on trip to Medjugorje – April 25-May 1- \$980 per person – Price includes: air and ground transportation, tour guide daily, 5 nights in Medjugorje at spacious bed and breakfast with private bath, taxes, breakfast and dinner daily. Visitation with at least one of the visionaries and one extra night in Rome in a 4 star hotel.**

**\*\*If you would like to extend your trip to another city in Europe, please call or email us to make the arrangements**

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