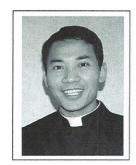
Join Fr. Bao Thai on Pilgrimage to Mexico City (Our Lady of Guadalupe)

November 14-19, 2016

Los Angeles, Orange County or San Francisco \$1350 per person/double occupancy Single Occupancy: \$260.00 Extra ** Please call for other departure cities We look forward to welcoming you to our group along with offering the very best values

Your Trip Includes:

- Round trip airfare from your departure city to Mexico City
- 5 nights at 4-star hotel in the preferred pink zone
- Breakfast buffet and dinner daily
- Transfers by Private Bus
- All taxes
- Assistance of Local Tour Guide
- Celebration of Daily Mass
- Visit the shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe and view the miraculous Tilma (sack cloth) bearing the image of the Blessed Mother, in the Basilica.



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- View the Shrine of San Miguel Del Milagro the place where St. Michael the Archangel appeared to Diego Lazaro in 1631 and guided him to the grotto with the well of healing waters where many people are cured each year
- Visit the Basilica of Our Lady of Ocotlan and view her miraculous image
- Visit Holy Family Church in Mexico City, we will celebrate Mass and visit the museum and tomb of our Catholic hero, Blessed Miguel Pro

NOT INCLUDED:

Beverages with dinner and Tips (\$9/day for bus driver, guide, food servers and housekeeping staff)

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<u>Day 1:</u> Depart for Mexico City. Upon arrival we will be greeted by our local guide and transfer to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

<u>Day 2:</u> After breakfast we will depart for our 20 minute drive to the **Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe**. Our tour guide will show us all four apparition sites and we will celebrate **Mass** at **Basilica of Guadalupe**. We will have time for lunch and shopping and return to our hotel in the late afternoon.

<u>Day 3:</u> After breakfast we will depart for the Shrine San Miguel Del Milagro the place where St. Michael the Archangel appeared to Diego Lazaro in 1631 and guided him to the grotto with the well of healing waters where many people are cured each year. View the image of Our Lady burned into a tree trunk after she appeared to Juan Diego Bernardino (no relation to Juan Diego of Guadalupe) in 1541. This image resides in the Basilica of Our Lady of Ocotlan. Five popes have granted approval of the apparition, giving devotional indulgences and elevating the Church of Ocotlan to a Basilica where we will celebrate Mass.

<u>Day 4:</u> After breakfast we will depart for **Holy Family Church** in **Mexico City** where we will celebrate Mass and visit the museum and tomb of our **Catholic hero**, **Blessed Miguel Pro** who died in 1927. (Before the trip, you can rent the movie *For the Greater Glory* that tells his story). There will be time for lunch, shopping and more sightseeing before returning to our hotel in the late afternoon.

<u>Day 5:</u> After breakfast we will depart for a visit to Coyoacan an artistic and cultural area where we will celebrate **Mass** in the beautiful Church of San Jose. We will also visit **Iglesia de San Juan Bautista.** There will be time for lunch and shopping.

<u>Day 6:</u> After breakfast we will depart for the airport for our return flight home. *Vaya con DIOS!*

Story of our Lady of Guadalupe:

On December 9, 1531, a native Mexican named Juan Diego rose before dawn to walk to daily Mass in what is now Mexico City. As he passed Tepeyac Hill, he heard music and saw a glowing cloud encircled by a rainbow. A woman's voice called him to the top of the hill. There he saw a beautiful young woman dressed like an Aztec princess. She said she was the Virgin Mary and asked Juan to tell the bishop to build a church on that site. She said, "I vividly desire that a church be built on this site, so that in it I can be present and give my love, compassion, help, and defense, for I am your most devoted mother...

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