



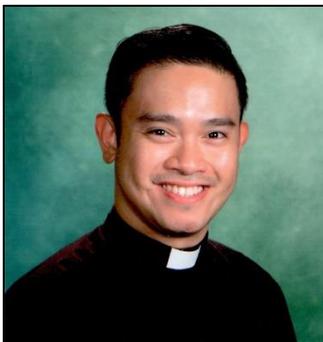
Faith Journeys

Presents:



An 11-Day Pilgrimage through the Aegean  
**Walking in the Footsteps of St. Paul**  
including a 3-Night Cruise  
with Fr. Marlon Mateo and Cambria Tortorelli  
October 20 - 30, 2017

**Holy Family Catholic Church**  
South Pasadena, California



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**REGISTER by January 5, 2017 and SAVE \$100!**

# Following in the Footsteps of St. Paul with a 3-night Cruise

**11 days / 9 nights**

Therefore, comfort and upbuild one another...esteem them with the greatest love...remain at peace with one another. (I Thess 5: 11, 13). On our pilgrimage through Greece, we will follow the footsteps of Paul to discover firsthand the sights, sounds, and feelings that he may have had as he established the Church in this enchanting, ancient land. As we behold the timeless holy places and contemplate the exemplary life of Paul who came not in word only, and not in affliction only, but also in power and with much assurance and great joy to admonish those he served, to join them in giving thanks to God and to remember without ceasing... great works of faith, labours of love and patience of hope in Jesus Christ (I Thess 1), we will renew our commitment to the roots of our Catholic faith. The masses and meditations we celebrate along the way will draw us together as a community, and will remind us of our blessings and the call to stewardship as followers of Jesus Christ.

## **Day 1: Friday, October 20: Departure from the USA**

*Enclose in your soul Greece (or something equal) and you shall feel every kind of grandeur (Dionysios Solomos; Note to "Free Besieged").*

We leave the US on an overnight flight to Greece. Dinner and breakfast will be served on board the aircraft.

## **Day 2: Saturday, October 21: Thessaloniki**

*"We keep thanking God for all of you and we remember you in our prayers, for we constantly are mindful before God our Father of the way you are proving your faith, laboring in love, and show constancy of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ." (I Thess 1: 1-3).*

Upon our arrival, we'll transfer to a flight bound for Thessaloniki where we'll meet our Faith Journeys' Tour Manager, who will assist us to our chartered motor coach for a transfer to the hotel. Thanks to its beautiful sea views, tree-lined streets, many museums, Turkish-influenced food, thriving modern culture and ancient Byzantine churches; Thessaloniki is very popular with visitors. Celebrate holy Mass at the local church of the Immaculate Conception. En route to our hotel, we'll be given an orientation tour of this city celebrated as "the city whose praises are sung," and this evening, enjoy a Welcome Dinner and an overnight stay.

## **Day 3: Sunday, October 22: Philippi, Kavala & Thessaloniki**

*"From there we went to Phillipi, a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman Colony. We spent some time in that city..." (Acts 16:12-13).*

Kavala (known anciently as Neapolis), where Paul landed on his first voyage to Europe, will be our first stop this morning as we make our way to nearby Philippi, where Paul, accompanied by Silas, Luke and Timothy, first preached on European soil to sow the seeds of Christianity. Paul and Silas were arrested and beaten and thrown into prison while in Philippi. We visit the archaeological site of Philippi in the Kavala Prefecture. It was in Philippi that Paul met with a woman named Lydia, a purple-dye merchant (Rev. 2:18-29 and Acts 16: 14-15) who became the first Christian convert. Celebrate Mass together here together at this special site where Lydia had been baptized. Before we return to Thessaloniki for dinner and overnight, we will visit the Market Place, the Theatre, and Forum.



#### **Day 4: Monday, October 23: Thessaloniki & Kalambaka**

*“Paul and Silas took the road through Amphipolis and Apolonia and came to Thessalonica...following his usual custom, Paul joined the people there and conducted discussions with them about the Scriptures...” (Act. 17:1-2)*

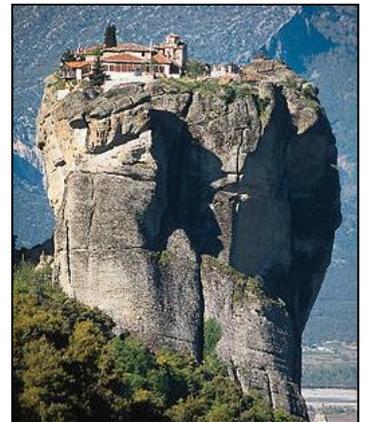
Our reading of Acts 17:1-10 and the "Letter to the Thessalonians" will come alive in our minds and hearts as we follow in Paul's footsteps and come to know firsthand where he first established the Church. We will marvel at his great faith and unwavering determination as we visit the places where Paul lived and preached: the ancient Agora and the Church of St. Demetrius (Hagios Demetrios) constructed on the site of an ancient Roman bath. The basilica, the most beautiful in the city, is famous for six extant mosaic panels (depicting St. Demetrius with the founders of the restoration and with children) that represent a rare example of art surviving from the Dark Ages. The crypt where the Saint was buried is also on site. After seeing the ramparts of the city and the Triumphal Arch of Galerius and the Rotunda (oldest of Thessaloniki's churches, and some claim that it is the oldest Christian church in the world although there are a number of other claimants to that title; it is certainly the most important surviving example of a church from the early Christian period of the Greek-speaking part of the Roman Empire) along the Via Egnatia, an ancient road of the Roman Empire. Our journey continues through beautiful Berea (Veria) where we'll celebrate mass and see Paul's Bema where both he and Silas preached in AD 54 or 55 to a Jewish settlement after leaving the Thessalonians (acts 17: 10-15). We'll also visit Vergina which became internationally famous in 1977, when the Greek archaeologist Manolis Andronikos unearthed what he claimed was the burial site of the kings of Macedon, including the tomb of Philip II, father of Alexander the Great. After a full and rewarding day, we'll make our way to Kalambaka, home of the breathtaking Meteora Monasteries, for dinner and an overnight stay.



#### **Day 5: Tuesday, October 24: Kalambaka, Meteora Monasteries & Delphi**

*“If I have the gift of prophecy and, with full knowledge, comprehend all mysteries, if I have faith great enough to move mountains, but have not love, I am nothing.”” (1 Cor. 13:2).*

The Metéora which means “suspended in the air” or “in the heavens above”, is one of the largest and most important complexes of Eastern Orthodox monasteries in Greece (which began when an ascetic group of hermit monks moved up to the ancient pinnacles as early as the 9th century). Access to the monasteries (only six remain, four of which are inhabited by men, and two by women; each monastery has fewer than 10 inhabitants) was originally and deliberately difficult, requiring either long ladders lashed together or large nets used to haul up both goods and people. Going up required quite a leap of faith! The ropes were only replaced, so the story goes, “when the Lord let them break” but eventually steps were cut into the rock. Today we'll visit the Monasteries starting with the Meteora Monastery, then the Grand Meteoron Monastery (Transfiguration of Christ) which is built upon the highest rock and considered one of the most beautiful Byzantine monasteries. After spending the day “in the heavens above”, we'll continue on to Delphi to celebrate mass and enjoy dinner and an overnight stay in our hotel.



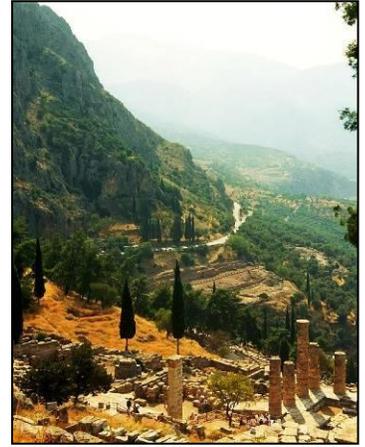
#### **Day 6: Wednesday, October 25: Delphi & Athens**

*Croesus, king of Lydia, beginning in 560 B.C., tested the oracles of the world to discover which gave the most accurate prophecies. He sent out emissaries to seven sites who were all to ask the oracles on the same day what the king was doing at that very moment. Croesus proclaimed the oracle at Delphi to be the most accurate, who correctly reported that the king was making a lamb-and-tortoise stew, and so he graced her with a magnitude of precious gifts. He then consulted Delphi before attacking Persia, and according to Herodotus was advised, "If you cross the river, a great empire will be*



*destroyed.” Believing the response favorable, Croesus attacked, but it was his own empire that ultimately was destroyed by the Persians.*

We awaken in a renowned city labeled the omphalos (navel) of the earth, or in other words, the center of the world! Delphi was also the site of the Delphic oracle, the most important oracle in the classical Greek world. Today, in a most beautiful and ruggedly majestic landscape, we’ll explore the ruins of the Temple of Apollo and the museum located at the foot of the main archaeological complex. The museum houses an impressive collection of items associated with ancient Delphi, including the earliest known notation of a melody, the famous Charioteer, golden treasures discovered beneath the Sacred Way, and fragments of reliefs from the Siphnian Treasury. We’ll continue on to Athens, known as the cradle of western civilization, where Paul, on Mars Hill gave his sermon about the Unknown God. Celebrate Mass at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.



### **Day 7: Thursday, October 26: Athens**

*“For the God who made the world and all that is in it, the Lord the heaven and earth, does not dwell in sanctuaries made by human hands; nor does he receive man’s service as if he were in need of it. Rather, it is he who gives to all life and breath and everything else.” (Acts 17:24-25).*

Our day starts at St. Dennis Catholic Cathedral where we celebrate Mass before we start exploring the city of Athens. This morning, we’ll explore Athens, aptly called the “divine city,” beginning with the Acropolis, a flat-topped rocky area that rises 490 feet above sea level, where we explore the Parthenon, a temple dedicated to the Greek goddess, Athena. The Parthenon, truly one of the world’s greatest monuments, is considered to be the most enduring symbol and important surviving building of Ancient Greece. We will also visit the Areopagus or Areios Pagos (in Greek pagos means big piece of rock), also known as Mars hill, north-west of the Acropolis, which in classical times functioned as the high court of Appeal for criminal and civil cases in Athens and from which the Apostle Paul gave his famous sermon about "The Unknown God." “Ye men of Athens, I perceive that in all things ye are too superstitious. For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship...” (The Acts 17: 22, 23). From here we have an excellent view of the ancient agora; former center of the Athenian public life. We’ll further enjoy a driving tour of the city to see the House of Parliament on Syntagma Square (with the Evzones or guards in uniform guarding the Presidential Palace and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier), the Library, University and Panathenaic Stadium where the first modern-day Olympics were held. We’ll also see the Olympieion (constructed in the 6th century BC), a colossal ruined temple that was dedicated to Zeus, king of the Olympian gods, and see Adrian’s Arch before traveling on to Corinth, one of the oldest towns in Greece, which, in classical times rivaled Athens and Thebes in wealth. Paul lived in Corinth for 18 months working as a tentmaker and establishing a church. We’ll visit the ruins of this ancient city including the Bema (judgment seat) and the remnants of the first-century shops, the Fountain of Peirene, and Temple of Apollo. After a full day, we’ll return to Athens for dinner and an overnight stay.



### **Day 8: Friday, October 27: Greek Isle Cruise - Mykonos**

*Beauty is the gift of God. (Aristotle).*

Today we transfer to the city of Piraeus which sports the largest passenger port in Europe and the third largest in the world, to embark on a lovely 4 day / 3 night Greek Island cruise. We first sail to the island of Mykonos, believed to have been named after a local hero who was considered an offspring of the god Apollo. There is much to see in beautiful Mykonos, also known as Chora (i.e. the Town in Greek, a common denomination in Greece when the name of the island itself is the same as the name of the principal town), which lies on the west coast. From its legendary windmills (landmarks



from as early as the 16th century), to its “Little Venice” where buildings have been constructed on the sea’s edge with their balconies overhanging the water, from its famous mascot Petros the Pelican to its inviting sandy beaches, from its quaint shops to its narrow cobbled streets, we can’t help but enjoy this cosmopolitan island. Tonight at one of the wonderful restaurants of Alefkandra, we’ll see a magnificent island sunset before returning to Mykonos Town to take the shuttle back to our ship (round-trip shuttle cost is additional). Celebrate Mass onboard.

### **Day 9: Saturday, October 28: Greek Isle Cruise – Kusadasi, Ephesus & Patmos**

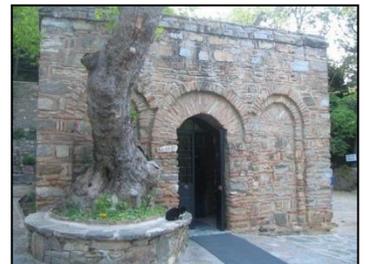
*Each of us has received God’s favor in the measure in which Christ bestows it.” (Ephesians 4:7).*

We dock in a resort town on Turkey’s Aegean coast, Kusadasi, whose name comes from words meaning “bird” and “island” because the peninsula upon which it sits has the shape of a bird’s head as seen from the sea. After driving through this picturesque town, we’ll head for Mt. Koressos (Bülbüldağı in Turkish meaning "Mount Nightingale") to see The House of the Virgin Mary, a pilgrimage site officially sanctioned by the Vatican, where it is believed Mary, the mother of Jesus, was taken by John to spend her last days. This is a perfect spot to celebrate Mass before traveling to see the ruins of Ephesus, for many years the second largest city of the Roman Empire ranking second only to Rome. It is to the Ephesians Paul wrote: “Put on the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.... Having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness... taking the shield of faith... the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit which is the word of God” (Ephesians 6: 11 – 17) after having spent three years (from 52-54 A.D.) walking its marble streets, preaching and ministering here. While in the ancient city of Ephesus, we’ll look with wonder on many historically rich sights including the Temple of Artemis (Diana), the fountain of Trajan, the Baths of Scolastika, the Temple of Hadrian, the Library of Celsus and the Great Theatre capable of holding 25,000 spectators (used initially for drama, but during later Roman times for gladiatorial combats) where Paul preached and where the riot of the silversmiths occurred. We will walk along Arcadian Way where Mark Anthony and Cleopatra once rode in procession. En route to Patmos, we’ll view the Basilica of St. John, which was built over his grave in the 6th century, and see the Monastery of St. John noted for its exceptional architecture, frescoes and interior decoration. Next we’ll journey to Patmos, an important destination of pilgrimage, where the Apostle John received his vision of the Apocalypse. Visitors can see the cave where John is said to have received his Revelation (the Cave of the Apocalypse) and if time permits, we will visit a few of the several monasteries on the island dedicated to John, including the mile high Monastery which houses a treasury of Byzantine art and religious artifacts. After a memorable day, we’ll drive back to the port of Scala to enjoy some free time in this beautiful harbor before returning to the ship for dinner and an overnight stay.

### **Day 10: Sunday, October 29: Greek Isle Cruise – Crete & Santorini**

*“But you must hold fast to faith, be firmly grounded and steadfast in it, unshaken in the hope promised to you by the gospel you have heard. It is the gospel which has been announced to every creature under heaven, and I, Paul, am its servant.” (Colossians 1:23).*

The morning finds us visiting the largest city and capital of Crete, Heraklion (home to many significant artists including the poet and Nobel Prize winner Odysseas Elytis and the world-famous Greek painter Domenicos Theotokopoulos (El Greco)). Just a few miles from Heraklion are the ruins of Knossos Palace (also known as Labyrinth as suggested by its maze of 1,300 rooms connected with corridors of varying sizes and direction) which is the largest Bronze Age archaeological site on Crete. The palace appears as a maze of workrooms, living spaces, and store rooms close to a central square



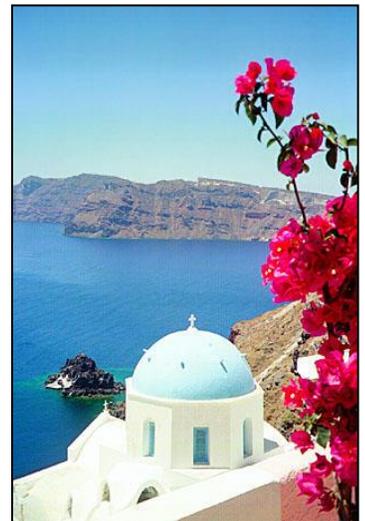
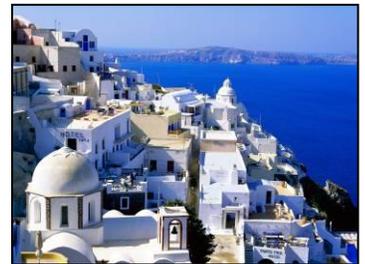
with detailed images of Cretan life provided by images on the walls of this palace. It was in Heraklion that Paul was warned about continuing his journey to Rome by the owner and captain of the ship. This afternoon, we'll cruise to the town of Fira on the breathtakingly beautiful Island of Santorini. Fira is a traditional settlement of white-washed houses built on the edge of a caldera. The panoramic view of the blue Aegean water is magnificent from Fira and there is much to see and do: open-air cafes, charming boutiques and some museums of great interest including the Santorini Archeological Museum and the Museum of Prehistoric Thera. We'll return to the ship for dinner and an overnight stay.

**Day 11: Monday, October 30: Depart for Home**

*"Be on your guard, stand firm in the faith...In a word be strong. Do everything with love." (I Cor. 16:13-14)*

Today marks the end of our journey. After we disembark, we'll transfer to the Athens airport for our flight back home.

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**Tour price includes donation to Holy Family Parish  
Pilgrimage price with self-arranged airfare (Land-Only): \$3,658**

**Pilgrimage price including airfare from Los Angeles, CA: \$5,245**

(U.S. government taxes, fees, and airline fuel surcharges up to \$600 included – pricing is based on a minimum 25 pilgrims.)

*Prices also include a \$1,000 tax deductible donation to Holy Family Church*

<u>Payment Schedule</u>		<u>Cancellation Penalty</u>	
Payment constitutes acceptance of all terms and conditions		Cancellations on or after the dates listed below In addition to Section 4 under Terms & Conditions	
<b>\$300</b>	<b>With Registration Form</b>	April 23, 2017	\$100
\$2,500	April 23, 2017	June 22, 2017	\$200
Balance	July 22, 2017	July 22, 2017	\$300
		August 21, 2017	\$1,000
		September 5, 2017	Full Tour Cost

Space is available on a first come basis, and registrations are processed in the order they are received by Faith Journeys.

***Deposit by January 5, 2017 and Receive an  
Early Registration Discount of \$100!***

**Pilgrimage Includes:**

Round-trip airfare from **Los Angeles, CA**, economy class  
U.S. government taxes, fees, and fuel surcharges up to \$600  
(subject to change and adjusted with final billing)  
One-way flight between Athens and Thessaloniki  
6 nights in 3-4 star hotel accommodations  
(based on double occupancy)  
3 nights standard inside cabins onboard cruise  
(based on double occupancy)  
9 breakfasts, 3 lunches (on board cruise), 9 dinners  
Professional Tour Manager throughout tour  
Local English-speaking guides  
All scheduled sightseeing and entrance fees  
Modern motorcoach  
Arrangements for Daily Mass  
3-night Cruise (inside cabins)  
Ephesus, Patmos and Santorini shore excursions  
Port taxes and cruise gratuities  
Tips to Tour Manager, city guides and bus driver(s)

**Pilgrimage Does Not Include:**

Single supplement, inside cabins (private room): \$690  
Outside Cabins, porthole window (double occupancy): \$130  
Single supplement, outside cabins, porthole window  
(private room): \$870  
Outside Cabins, picture window (double occupancy): \$230  
Single supplement, outside cabins, picture window (private  
room): \$1,020  
U.S. government taxes, fees, and fuel surcharges  
exceeding \$600  
Personal services (including portage and drinks)  
Travel Insurance (optional)\*\*: \$259  
Shore excursions (payable on cruise):  
Crete, Knossos Palace: \$90  
Mykonos shuttle bus: \$14  
House of Virgin Mary in Ephesus: \$10

This offer is based on staying at the following accommodations, or similar:

Thessaloniki (2): [Holiday Inn](#)  
Kalambaka (1): [Amalia](#)  
Delphi (1): [Amalia](#)  
Athens (2): [Athens Metropolitan](#)  
Cruise (3): [Celestial Cruises \(3-days\)](#)

*\*\*We highly recommend travel insurance to cover trip cancellation/interruption, travel delay, emergency medical, baggage delay and accidental death coverage. Please read the insurance information included in this document. "&" If insurance is purchased at the time of a tour member's initial deposit for the trip, the travel insurance covers that tour member even if he/she must cancel or interrupt the trip due to a pre-existing condition*

# TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN

Sometimes it happens - an emergency at home or a sickness causes people to cancel their vacation or interrupt their trip. We hope this doesn't happen to you, but if it does, what about the financial costs involved? And what about losing your personal belongings or becoming ill while on your trip? Because these unfortunate events can occur, a travel protection plan offered and administered by Trip Mate, Inc. is available with all Faith Journeys International travel arrangements. This high-quality travel insurance plan covers your vacation investment, your belongings, and most importantly, you. This travel protection plan covers you even if you must cancel or interrupt your trip due to a pre-existing medical condition - if you purchase the plan within 7 days of your initial deposit/payment for your trip.

Outlined below are the major benefits of the plan. A "Travel Insurance Certificate" which provides complete details of the plan, including conditions, exclusions and limitations will be included with your initial invoice and is also available to you, upon request, at any time prior to your purchase of the plan

## **CANCELLATION/INTERRUPTION – TRIP COST**

If you cancel your Trip for a covered reason, you will be reimbursed up to the amount in the Schedule, for the amount of unused non-refundable prepaid expenses for Travel Arrangements, forfeited, non-refundable Payments or Deposits that you paid for your Trip. If you have to cancel or interrupt your Trip due to a covered injury, sickness or death - your own or that of a Traveling Companion or Family Member - or for Other Covered Reasons, as defined, you will be reimbursed up to the Trip cost for unused land or water travel arrangements, plus additional transport charges paid to return home or to rejoin your Trip.

## **TRAVEL DELAY - \$750**

Provides reimbursement up to \$150 per day (maximum \$750) for reasonable accommodation and traveling expenses until travel becomes possible if you are delayed for 12 hours or more due to a covered reason such as: any carrier delay; Injury, Sickness or death of you or your Traveling Companion; quarantine; loss of passport, travel documents or money; or natural disaster.

## **MISSED CONNECTION - \$750**

If your arrival at your trip destination is delayed for 3 hours or more due to a certified delay of a Common Carrier, inclement weather, unannounced strike, natural disaster or terrorism, you will be reimbursed for the cost of your unused land or water arrangements, plus the additional transportation expense incurred to join your trip.

## **ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT - \$25,000**

These benefits are paid if loss occurs within 180 days of a covered Injury that occurs while on your Faith Journeys Trip.

## **MEDICAL EXPENSE/EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE - \$25,000**

Provides reimbursement for reasonable and customary medical expenses incurred within 52 weeks of a covered Injury or Sickness that occurs while on your Faith Journeys Trip, or for emergency dental treatment received during your Trip not to exceed \$750; the cost of emergency transport to Home or an appropriate Hospital, including escort expense (both, if deemed necessary by the attending Physician), for a covered Injury or Sickness that occurs while on your Trip, or the cost of homeward carriage if deceased.

## **BAGGAGE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS - \$1,500**

Coverage for direct physical loss or damage to your Baggage, passports or visas while on your Trip. A \$600 maximum limit applies to jewelry, watches, cameras and camera equipment, and furs — a \$300 per article limit applies to all other items. If, while on your Trip, your Baggage is delayed for 24 hours or more, we will pay up to \$100 for the purchase of necessary additional clothing and personal articles.

## **Conditions & Limitations**

Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the "Travel Insurance Certificate". For example, coverage does not apply to: any sickness or condition of you, a Traveling Companion or Family Member traveling with you that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective date of the coverages (this exclusion is waived if your premium is received within 7 days of your initial deposit/payment for your Trip), suicide, normal pregnancy, war or any act of war. Other Covered Reasons, as defined, includes the following events or their consequences: Cancellation or Interruption of your Trip due to: Inclement Weather, unannounced Strike, mechanical breakdown that causes complete cessation of services of Your Common Carrier for at least 12 consecutive hours; a documented traffic accident while en route to departure; being hijacked or quarantined; jury duty; destruction of your home or destination by fire, flood, burglary or natural disaster; being called to the emergency service of government to provide aid or relief in the event of a natural disaster; a documented theft of passports or visas; a transfer of employment of 250 miles or more; involuntary job termination (must be employed with same employer for 1 year) ; a Terrorist Incident which occurs in a city listed on your itinerary for the trip and occurs within 30 days prior to Your Scheduled Departure Date or revocation of military leave due to war.

The Travel Protection Plan is underwritten by: United States Fire Insurance Company, Eatontown, NJ. Benefits are administered by: Trip Mate, Inc. \*, 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, Missouri, 64114, 800-888-7292 (\*In CA, dba Trip Mate Insurance Agency)

## Terms & Conditions

### 1. PAYMENT TERMS

- 1.1. **Payment.** Client shall strictly comply with the Payment Schedule on or before the due date. Faith Journeys ("FJ") accepts payment by check or, with a 3% surcharge, Visa and MasterCard. Checks should be made payable to Faith Journeys LLC.
- 1.2. **Additional Deposits.** From time to time, FJ may request one or more deposits over and above those set forth in the Payment Schedule (the "Additional Deposits"). Additional Deposits may be required because of travel during peak periods, the unique nature of the facilities, or any other matter which, in FJ's sole opinion, requires an additional deposit. FJ will consult with Client's tour organizer before making a request for an Additional Deposit, but FJ's decision whether and Additional Deposit is necessary is final. Client shall pay an Additional Deposit within thirty (30) days of the request by FJ.

### 2. DUTIES AND OBLIGATIONS OF FJ

- 2.1. **Scope and Exclusivity.** FJ shall have the duties and obligations set forth in this Section 2 and no others.
- 2.2. **Services Supplied by FJ.** FJ will provide the transportation, transfers, airfare, lodging and services specified in the attached tour brochure on the terms provided herein. FJ reserves the right to vary itineraries and/or destinations and to substitute hotels if circumstances beyond its control necessitate such change(s).
- 2.3. **Services Excluded by FJ.** All transportation, charges, services or other items not specifically identified in the tour brochure for this trip are not covered and must be paid by Client separately. Excluded services and items include, but are not limited to, tips to local guides; meals and beverages other than those noted in the tour brochure; expenses of a personal nature such as laundry, telephone, valet, etc.; portage for hand-carried luggage; passport and visa fees; free time activities; optional excursions and coach driver and guide/escort gratuities.
- 2.4. **Special Equipment and Excess Luggage Needs.** Special technical equipment (including musical instruments), excess or oversize luggage and the transportation for such are not included. Any piece of luggage/equipment over 50 pounds or exceeding 62 inches (length+ width + height) is subject to additional charges.

### 3. LIMITATIONS ON LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION

- 3.1. **Limitation on Liability of FJ.** FJ, its agents and cooperating organizations expressly disclaim all responsibility and/or liability of any nature for loss, damage or injury to property or person due to any cause whatsoever occurring during a tour under its management, except damaged caused by the gross negligence of FJ.
- 3.2. **Client's Indemnification.** Client shall hold FJ, its agents, employees, contractors and affiliated organizations harmless from, and indemnify and defend same against, any and all claims or liability for any injury (including death) or damage to any person or property whatsoever occurring during the tour, or any part thereof, when such injury or damage has been caused in part or in whole by the act, neglect, fault, or omission of Client, its agents, servants, employees, or invitees. The provisions of this Paragraph 3.2 shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement with respect to any claims or liability occurring prior to such expiration or termination.

### 4. CANCELLATION

- 4.1. **Right to Cancel.** Client shall be entitled to cancel this Agreement only upon the terms set forth in this Section 4.
- 4.2. **Cancellation Schedule.** Subject to the terms of the remainder of this Section 4, and provided that Client has made all payments required under the Payment Schedule, Client may cancel this Agreement by providing written notice of the cancellation to FJ. Upon providing such notice, Client is entitled to return of deposits, if any, in accordance with the Cancellation Schedule set forth in the attached tour brochure. The balance of any deposits made by Client, including any Additional Deposits, shall be retained by FJ.
- 4.3. **Limitations on Cancellation.** Notwithstanding the provisions of the preceding Section 4.2, upon providing notice of cancellation to FJ, Client shall not be entitled to refund of any deposits which have been used by FJ to reserve space or fares if the deposits for space or fares are non-refundable to FJ from the providers. Further, in the event that the payments or deposits made by Client are less than the amounts paid by FJ to reserve space or fares which are non-refundable, Client shall not receive any funds pursuant to the Cancellation Schedule and shall remain liable to FJ for any shortfall. Client shall remain liable to FJ for any actual damages to FJ resulting from Client's cancellation of the Agreement.

### 5. RULES AND REGULATIONS

Client agrees to abide by all Rules and Regulations of FJ, a copy of which has been furnished to Client. Failure of Client to comply with the Rules and Regulations shall constitute a breach of this Agreement.

### 6. CLIENT'S BREACH AND DEFAULT

- 6.1. **Breach.** Upon the breach of any term of this Agreement, including but limited to failure to strictly comply with the payment terms, failure to timely make Additional Deposits, or violation of any of the rules and regulations of FJ, FJ may, at its option, declare the Client in default and terminate its obligation to perform further under this Agreement. Upon any breach of this Agreement, by failure to make payments or otherwise, FJ may, in its sole and absolute discretion, allow the Client to remedy the breach by making the required payments or deposits, or by otherwise performing as required. However, all late payments, if accepted by FJ, will be charged a late fee of one and one-half percent (1 1/2 %) of the unpaid balance per month.
- 6.2. **FJ's Remedies.** Upon any breach this Agreement, by failure to make a payment, or otherwise, Client forfeits its entire deposit and FJ may attempt to reschedule, resell or reuse any goods or services previously purchase or reserved for Client's benefit including, but not limited to, air or other transportation and hotel accommodations.

### 7. JURISDICTION AND GOVERNING LAW

Any dispute of any kind arising out of or from a claimed breach of this Agreement shall be resolved in the Superior Court of Maricopa County, Arizona, and Client consents to venue and jurisdiction in that Court. Client further agrees that all disputes arising from this Agreement shall be resolved in accordance with Arizona law.

### 8. ATTORNEY'S FEES

In the event of any legal action or proceeding arising out of this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its reasonable attorneys' fees and related costs incurred in such action and such amount shall be included in any judgment rendered in such proceeding.

### 9. WAIVER

No waiver by FJ of any provision of this Agreement or of any breach by Client hereunder shall be deemed to be a waiver of any other provision hereof, or of any subsequent breach by Client of the same or any other provision. FJ's consent to or approval of any act by Client requiring FJ's consent or approval shall not be deemed to render unnecessary the obtaining of FJ's consent to or approval of any subsequent act of Client.

### 10. NOTICES

All notices, demands or other communications in this Agreement provided to be given, made or sent by either party to the other shall be deemed to have been duly given, made or sent when made in writing and deposited in the United States mail, certified or registered, postage prepaid, and addressed to the respective party at the appropriate address set forth in the Initial Terms.

### 11. INTEGRATION AND AMENDMENTS

The provision of this Agreement, including these Terms and Conditions and any Rules and Regulations of FJ, supersede any oral or written agreement between the parties, and any such oral or written agreement is hereby integrated into this Agreement. To the extent it conflicts with this Agreement, any information found in any advertising material, brochure, or web site is hereby superseded by this Agreement. Any amendment to or revision of this Agreement must be in writing and signed by both parties.

## 12. ACTS OF GOD

Client shall have the option of (1) taking a refund pursuant to the provisions for cancellation above, or (2) selecting an alternate program through FJ if the tour is canceled by reason of any Act of God, such as war, labor dispute, martial law, state of emergency, earthquake, or the like..

## 13. TRAVEL CONDITIONS

13.1. **Hotels.** Hotels utilized are doubles/twins. Each room will have private facilities, including shower or bath. A supplement surcharge is applicable to participants in single accommodations.

13.2. **Fluctuations, Substitutions with Group.** Client may, under certain circumstances, substitute another person in their stead. Substitutions on flights are allowed subject to the terms of the airline contract. The addition of a new person is charged at the best price available. FJ will use its best efforts to keep the new person at the group rate.

The following fees apply for substitutions:

On or after 180 days before departure the substitution fee is \$50

On or after 120 days before departure the substitution fee is \$100

On or after 90 days before departure the substitution fee is \$150

On or after 60 days before departure the substitution fee is \$350

On or after 45 days before departure the substitution fee is \$1000

Substitutions are not possible less than 5 days before departure

\*FJ must receive the substitution deposit/payments before making a refund to the Client.

13.3. **Rooming List and Late Changes.** FJ must receive the rooming lists no later than 45 days prior to departure from Client's tour organizer. Late changes in the rooming list, including name changes, additions and deletions are subject to a late change/penalty of \$25.00 per person. This charge covers the costs of administrative expenses, long distance telephone calls, over-night mail charges, etc.

13.4. **Flight Arrangements:** All flights will be by scheduled I.A.T.A. carriers with the routing and scheduling at the discretion of FJ. Tour price is based on mid-week travel and air fare flying round trip from the location stated in the tour brochure. Any increase in air fare shall be borne by the participant. Airline taxes and fuel surcharges are not included in price. The operators providing transportation are not responsible for any act, omission or event during the time that passengers are not on board their aircraft or conveyances. FJ has no responsibility or liability of any nature whatsoever for loss, damage, or injury to property or person resulting from the provision of air or motorcoach transportation. The price of a vacant seat and the cost of segments of the program lost due to missing scheduled departure or absences during the tour cannot be refunded. If Client misses any included transportation segment (e.g. flight, transfer, bus or train departure), Client is responsible to make arrangements for and to pay the cost of rejoining the group.

13.5. **Deviations:** Late return deviations are sometimes permitted from the original city of departure, for a minimum fee of \$150, if the class of service is still available at time of booking and if the carrier's fare rules permit the change. All deviations must be applied for by writing, faxing or emailing your request to Faith Journeys. When a deviation is confirmed by the airline, passengers will be notified and invoiced for all charges incurred for their deviation. Each subsequent change is subject to an additional \$50 processing fee, plus airline fees once confirmed. Deviations are difficult, especially during high season, so requests must be made as early as possible. Clients who deviate must arrange for their own ground transportation to and from the airport.

## 14. FREQUENT FLYER PROGRAM MEMBERS

If Client desires to use frequent flyer miles for free tickets, Client will need to book its flights directly with the airline and purchase a "Land Only" package from Faith Journeys. Faith Journeys is unable to provide ticket copies after departure for mileage credits. Client should check with their preferred carrier to determine if Client qualifies for any mileage accrual.

## 15. LAND ONLY

Any Client choosing the 'Land Only' package after their initial full-tour reservation has been made in writing, faxing or emailing, is subject to a \$50 change fee up to 60 days prior to departure. Anyone changing to a 'Land Only' option 60 to 0 days prior to departure will be subject to a \$1,000 change fee. If Client chooses the 'Land Only' option must arrange for their own ground transportation to and from the airports and any mid-tour flights.

## 16. TOUR PRICES

The services specified are based on a minimum of number of passengers. If this quota is not reached, the price of the tour will be increased proportionately. All tour prices quoted for transportation and land arrangements are based on rates (including foreign exchange rates) and taxes in effect at time of publication and are subject to change. Adjustments will be made when the exchange rate varies more than 5% at 120 days prior to departure. Confirmation of final air and land prices and taxes will be advised at that time.

## 17. TRAVEL INSURANCE

Travel insurance is highly recommended. Faith Journeys offers TRIP MATE travel insurance. Coverage includes Accidental Death & Dismemberment, Medical Expense/Emergency Assistance, Pre-Departure Trip Cancellation due to illness, Post-Departure Trip Interruption, Travel and Baggage Delay and loss of Baggage and Personal Effects. The non-refundable premium must be paid at the time of the initial deposit to include any pre-existing medical conditions that do not disable you from travel at the time the premium payment is made. A detailed copy of the Faith Journeys Travel Protection Plan Summary is provided with the tour brochure. All cancellations are subject to the terms and conditions stated therein unless the U.S. State Department bans travel to the countries included in the itinerary. Claims for refunds will be handled expeditiously and will be made within 60 days following the termination of the tour program.

## Flight contracts – Frequent Flyer numbers – Seat changes/requests – “Land Only” packages

### Group Air

Faith Journeys is a faith based tour company that specializes in exclusive group travel. We negotiate and secure **group air contracts** with all major airlines departing from the designated airport for each Faith Journeys group. This allows us to keep all passengers within the group traveling together, in most cases.

Group air contracts differ from individually purchased airline tickets in many ways. When group air contracts are negotiated, we are able to hold a large number of seats at the same rate until we ticket the group approximately 45 days prior to departure. We are limited in what types of deviations are allowed from the group contract and in some cases need to look at published, individual tickets. Taxes and fuel costs are subject to change until the tickets are issued.

All airlines require valid passport information including full name (first, middle and last), date of birth, gender, country, in which your passport has been issued and passport expiration date. To ensure that we are able to provide this information accurately, we require a photo copy of each person’s passport traveling on each tour. Faith Journeys will apply each registered passenger’s name to the group air contract approximately 60 days prior to departure. Communication is made with the group tour host to review passenger information before group ticketing is finalized with the airline.

### Frequent Flyer Numbers

Frequent Flyer #'s are not always accepted in group air contracts at time of ticketing, however you may apply your FF# to your flight at the ticket counter on the day of your departure. Please make sure to have this information with you when you check-in upon arrival at the airport.

### Seat Requests & Seat Changes

Faith Journeys makes every effort to honor each request received by our passengers regarding seating preferences. Please understand that although requests are being made directly with the airline, not every request is guaranteed or granted by the airline. If you would like to make any changes to your seat, you are welcome to contact the airline directly or change your seats upon check-in at the airport prior to departure.

### “Land Only” Tour Package

Faith Journeys understands that some will wish to arrange their own air transportation for their tour. **Arranging transportation on your own gives you the ability to use your flight miles for your ticket, secure the seat you desire/require, or upgrade to business class or an extra leg room seat.** However, because our group air contracts allow us to hold space with the airline, we are able to limit cancelation penalties in the event of a group or passenger cancelation. Faith Journeys also reserves the right to search alternative flight schedules to better accommodate the group until shortly before ticketing. **If the flight schedule you purchase arrives or departs at a time different from the group, it is your responsibility to join the group either at the airport or at the first hotel.**



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Please photo copy or fill out this reservation application (2 pages) and complete and send with your deposit

Please include a copy of each passport. Passport MUST be valid 6 months after your return

***Holy Family Catholic Church  
 Reservation Application***

I have read and do accept the conditions as outlined in the Holy Family Catholic Church pilgrimage to Greece. I enclosed a check for my deposit.

Make all checks payable to *Faith Journeys*. Return COMPLETED form and deposit to:

Faith Journeys  
 1440 So. Priest Dr., Suite 102  
 Tempe, AZ 85281

**Deposit with reservation application constitutes acceptance of all terms & conditions in this brochure. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

NAME (as printed on passport): \_\_\_\_\_

Name as you would like to be addressed and on your Nametag: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YY) \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER:  Male  Female

PASSPORT NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ EXPIRATION DATE (MM/DD/YY) \_\_\_\_\_

Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_ (USA, Spain, etc) Profession: \_\_\_\_\_ (student, teacher, etc)

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

CITY / STATE / ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL (for information/updates on your pilgrimage): \_\_\_\_\_

I prefer contact by:  
 E-Mail (required above)  
 Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to room with \*: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_  
*\*I understand that it is my responsibility to select a roommate if no name is mentioned above. If no name is given to Faith Journeys I understand that I will be responsible for the Single Supplement for a private room*

I want an outside cabin with a porthole window on the cruise (add \$130.00/person outside cabin supplement based on double occupancy)

I want an outside cabin with a picture window on the cruise (add \$230.00/person outside cabin supplement based on double occupancy)

I want a private room (add \$690.00 single supplement; \$870.00 single supplement for outside porthole window; \$1,020.00 single supplement for outside picture window cabin on the cruise)

I want to arrange my own air (Land Only). I understand that it is my responsibility to meet up with the group.

EMERGENCY contact while you are abroad: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



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**TRAVEL INSURANCE**

We highly recommend travel insurance to cover trip cancellation/interruption, travel delay, emergency medical, baggage delay and accidental death coverage. Your tour host has been supplied travel insurance information, rates and coverage for this tour. Please read the information and decide on your policy now. **If you purchase the insurance at the time of your initial deposit for your trip, the travel insurance covers you even if you must cancel or interrupt your trip due to a pre-existing medical condition.** PLEASE REFER TO THE INSURANCE FLYER SUPPLIED TO YOUR TOUR HOST FOR LIMITATIONS AND FOR ANSWERS TO SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

- Yes, I would like to purchase the travel insurance package at this time. **Enclosed is a check for \$259.00** (may be added to the deposit check to Faith Journeys). \$219 covers up to \$4,000 and \$259 covers up to \$6,000.
- No, I do not want to purchase travel insurance, but do understand the risks involved with travel and will assume full responsibility.

**SPECIAL REQUESTS\*** (Not guaranteed but will be requested with the airline(s))

Dietary restrictions for airline (and restaurants when possible): \_\_\_\_\_

Special circumstance airline seating for medical reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Seat requests, upgrades, etc. cannot be guaranteed within a Group Air Contract.

**CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS**

- I wish to pay a one-time payment. Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Includes \$259.00 payment for travel insurance.

Visa or MasterCard # \_\_\_\_\_ CVV Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of credit card holder (if different than above): \_\_\_\_\_

Billing address (if different than above): \_\_\_\_\_

*These costs are based on payments made by check or cash-equivalent to qualify for our lowest discounted prices.  
 If I choose to have Faith Journeys handle the credit card processing, a 3% non-refundable accounting fee applies*

- I authorize and accept the terms of paying by credit card**

- I understand that the airline tickets or air tours I am purchasing are subject to supplemental price increases that may be imposed after the date of purchase. Post-purchase price increases may be applied due to additional costs imposed by a supplier or government. I acknowledge that I may be charged additional sums by Faith Journeys LLC to offset increased fees, fuel surcharges, taxes, and fluctuations in foreign exchange markets or any combination thereof. I hereby consent to any post-purchase price increases and authorize Faith Journeys LLC to charge me for such additional amounts.

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (All applicants must sign reservation application; if applicant is under 18, Parent/Guardian must sign)

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