

Central Europe Pilgrimage with a Priest Host

May 7-16, 2023 - 10 Days \$3,999 from Toronto

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Sunday, May 7 - Day 1 - DEPART

USA - Today, we depart our home city to connect with our overnight flight to Warsaw from Toronto Airport. We enjoy in-flight movies, dinner, and breakfast while aloft.

Monday, May 8 - Day 2 - WARSAW -We arrive early this morning at Okecie International Airport, Warsaw. Upon arrival we are greeted by our Tour Manager and board our motor coach to begin our orientation sightseeing tour of Warsaw, including a drive through the city center, passing the Warsaw Uprising Museum, the former Ghetto area with the Memorial of the Ghetto Heroes, the Memorial of the Warsaw Uprising, the Royal Route, and the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Pending arrival time, we stop along our route for a quick lunch on our own. Afterwards we transfer to our hotel for check in and some relaxed time before we enjoy our "welcome" dinner and overnight at our hotel.

Tuesday, May 9 - Day 3 - WARSAW - Today, we start our day with Mass at St. Jacob's Church. This is where Jesus said to St. Faustina: "It's here I called you, and not elsewhere." We visit Old Town, where each historic building has been painstaking and lovingly reconstructed after the destruction during WWII, we also visit St. John the Baptist Cathedral, and the Royal Castle, reconstructed after the destruction during WWII, a royal residence that formerly served throughout the centuries as the official home of Polish monarchs. We have break for lunch on

our own and then continue the city tour heading to Lazienki Park to view Chopin's Monument. Dinner is on our own at one of the many great restaurants that populate Warsaw and overnight at our hotel.

Wednesday, May 10 - Day 4 - WARSAW/CZESTOCHOWA/ AUSCHWITZ/KRAKOW - This

morning, we board our motor coach for a two-hour ride to Czestochowa, where we make our way to the monastery complex of Jasna Gora to visit this famous Marian Shrine. Jasna Gora consists of a Gothic/Baroque church, a Baroque monastery and fortress. This is where the miraculous icon of Our Lady of Czestochowa, "The Black Madonna", has been preserved. We tour this shrine and celebrate Mass while there. We break for lunch on our own before continuing with our visit to Auschwitz/Birkenau, site of one of the most infamous death camps, where a million and a half Jews died at the hands of the Nazis during WWII. We will continue to Krakow for dinner and overnight.

Thursday, May 11 - Day 5 - KRAKOW

- Today we visit Wawel Hill and its famous Wawel Castle. Built in the 13th century, it is one of the largest remaining castles in all of Poland. As a home to numerous kings, it has been rebuilt many times over the past seven centuries and now houses significant artifacts to

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Poland's past as it is now a national museum recognized by UNESCO. We enjoy a walking tour of Old Town, visiting some of the architectural and historic treasures that make up this wonderful old city. We view the Town Hall Tower, erected during the 13th century, Cloth Hall, located on the same site since the 14th century, St. Mary's Church, where one of the towers serves as a platform for Krakow's bugle call, the Hejnal, and Jagellonian University, one of Europe's oldest schools, which has a room devoted to Copernicus. We break for lunch on our own with time for shopping in the Market area. In the afternoon we continue to Kazimierz the historic Jewish district of the city. We enjoy diner on our own at one of Krakow's great restaurants and overnight at our hotel.

Friday, May 12 - Day 6 -KRAKOW/LAGIEWNIKI/NOWA **HUTA/WIELICZKA** - This morning, we board our motor coach for Mass at the Convent of the Divine Mercy at Lagiewniki. Following Mass, we proceed to Nowa Huta, the site where St. John Paul II opposed communism. The cornerstone of this church is from St. Peter's Basilica! Afterwards, we proceed to Wieliczka, famous for its salt mine, and a UNESCO heritage site. After a break for lunch on own, we visit the upper levels of the mine, where we view chapels with altar pieces and statues all hand carved from salt by the Polish miners. This is an experience you will never forget. We return to the hotel for dinner and overnight

Saturday, May 13 - Our Lady of Fatima - Day 7 - KRAKOW/ WADOWICE/PRAGUE - Today, we depart for Wadowice, the birthplace of Pope St. John Paul II. Here we celebrate Mass at the parish church of the Holy Father. Afterwards, we continue our journey west into the Czech Republic and the beautiful city of Prague, with a stop along the way for lunch on our own. We arrive in beautiful Prague in time for dinner and overnight at our hotel. Sunday, May 14 – Mother's Day - Day 8 - PRAGUE - This morning, we begin our tour of Prague and view the Basilica of St. George and its adjacent convent, Wladislav Hall, Golden Lane, Loreto Church, with remarkable treasury and Carillon playing every hour. We visit the famous Infant Jesus of Prague at the Church of Our Lady of Victory, where we celebrate Mass. After lunch on our own, our afternoon starts with a tour of Prague, to include the Old Town with Astronomical clock, Jewish Quarter and Charles Bridge. We conclude our day with dinner on our own at one of Prague's great restaurants and overnight at our hotel.

Monday, May 15 - Day 9 - PRAGUE - Today, following Mass, we have a free day to explore Prague, enjoy the beautiful architecture, shopping or simply relax in the beauty that makes Prague such a popular destination. We enjoy lunch on own on and return to our hotel in time for our "farewell" dinner and overnight at our hotel.

Tuesday, May 16 - Day 10 - PRAGUE/USA - This morning we transfer to the airport for our flight to Toronto and then the U.S. arriving the same day with memories of a lifetime.

\$50 Early Booking Discount if Reserved by March 20, 2022

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Please reserve ____ seats on this Central Europe Pilgrimage - May 7-16, 2023

Enclosed please find deposit of \$500 per person (Payable to Unitours, Inc.)

PLEASE ENCLOSE A COPY OF YOUR PASSPORT (Passport MUST be valid until November 16, 2023, or later.)

Name(s) as appears on passport)	My Roommate:
Address:	Please assign a roommate (if available)
	I prefer a single room - \$603 supplement and
City, State & Zip	limited in number.
Daytime Telephone:	I/we wish to purchase optional travel insurance starting at \$206 now in order to cover preexisting conditions. (See "Travel Insurance" on pilgrimage
Email Address:	terms for price and details.) Apply \$50 if booked by March 20, 2022
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nd I agree to pay such costs should adjustments be necess	ary. I have read and understand the Deposit and Cancellation Fees.
	Signature

TOTAL TOUR PRICE: The tour price is based on airfare, cruise, land rates and rates of exchange in effect February 14, 2022. All rates are subject to change without prior notice. Should the rates go up or down, an adjustment would be made prior to departure. Refunds CANNOT be granted for any accommodations, services or events that are not used nor if you deviate from the tour. If fewer than 40 pilgrims participate a price adjustment may be necessary.

PASSPORT AND VISA REQUIREMENTS: A valid passport is required. At the time of printing, U.S. citizens holding valid passports DO NOT REQUIRE visas but may require COVID vaccination for the country or countries being visited. Passport MUST be valid until November 16, 2023, or later. Citizens of countries other than U.S. - please contact the consulate of the country or countries being visited to determine visa requirements.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: International flight reservations are being held on Lufthansa. No stopovers are permitted. Any changes after ticket is issued, carries a mandatory charge of \$200. Once the tickets are issued, they are NON-

TRANSFERABLE AND NON-REFUNDABLE. Any requests to change a ticket once issued will incur a reissue fee of \$200 plus any fare differential will apply. Cancellation of air seat within 90 days of departure will incur a \$200 penalty.

DOMESTIC AIRFARE: For those who make domestic air arrangements to the originating city of this tour, your tour host and Unitours strongly recommend the purchase of tickets that can be changed without heavy fees and penalties as international flight schedules are always <u>subject to change</u>.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS: Specially selected hotels based on twin occupancy with private bath. Single Room supplement of \$603 will be charged where requested and available. If you do not have a roommate and Unitours is unable to arrange one, you will be billed for the single room supplement. All singles are subject to availability.

MEALS: Breakfast and Table D' Hote dinners are provided daily except where noted in the itinerary. An extra charge will be made when coffee, tea or other beverages are not included in the menu of the day with the dinner meal.

TIPS AND TAXES: Tips and taxes normally appearing on hotel and restaurant bills as service are included, as are all government and local taxes on hotels and meals, porterage of one suitcase per person. International departure taxes of \$143 plus current fuel surcharges of \$474 are included (subject to change). TIPS TO TOUR MANAGER/GUIDES, DRIVERS OR DINING ROOMS STAFF OF \$97 ARE NOT INCLUDED. One average sized suitcase not exceeding 50 lbs total weight and 62 linear inches (height plus width plus depth) is permitted throughout the trip.

NOT INCLUDED: Expenses and items not specifically mentioned in this brochure are NOT covered, including but not limited to passport and visa fees, meals not listed and items of a personal nature such as laundry, wines, liquors, mineral waters, after dinner coffee or tea, sightseeing or services other than those specifically mentioned, tips and taxes mentioned above, excess baggage and insurance, etc.

DEPOSITS AND CANCELLATIONS: A deposit of \$500 is required to secure reservations. Any balance is to be paid in full no later than 60 days before departure of tour. Final payments received **by** Unitours after 45 days before departure must include a \$25 late payment fee. (This does not apply for new reservations made within

45 days of departure.) Reservations made within 60 days of departure must include full payment. Amex, Discover, Visa and MasterCard are accepted with signed reservation form. Final payments will be applied to same credit card on final payment due date including insurance. Cancellations made from time of reservation to within 61 days prior to departure - \$400 administration fee (charged to deposit) plus any air penalties noted above. In the event of a cancellation from 60 to 31 days prior to departure - \$400 administration fee plus up to 50% of the land cost, plus any air penalties noted above. No refund for cancellations received within 30 days of departure. All cancellation and refund claims must be in writing to Unitours, Inc. BANK FEE: A fee of \$50 will be charged for any check that is returned to us for insufficient or unavailable funds.

DEVIATIONS: A service charge of \$50 pp will be applied for any deviations made in tour, (where possible), PLUS any additional air or land charges incurred.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: Optional Travel Insurance is strongly recommended for your trip. See www.Unitours.com/TravelInsurance for full details including optional Cancel for any reason coverage. (NOT AVAILABLE FOR NEW YORK RESIDENTS.) Cost of travel insurance for this trip starts at \$206. To cover preexisting conditions, insurance must be purchased with your reservation. (See reservation form). If paying by check, add insurance cost to your deposit. Insurance can also be purchased at the time of your final payment. LAND ARRANGEMENTS: The tour operator reserves the right to change the itinerary due to unforeseen emergencies.

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