Path of Faith

Itinerary: 09 Days/ 08 Nights

Program in Brief	
Day 01	Arrival – Tel Aviv
Day 02	The Galilee
Day 03	Cana – Nazareth – Tel Megiddo – Caesarea
Day 04	Beit Shean – Jericho – Qumran
Day 05	Bethlehem – Jerusalem
Day 06	Jerusalem – the City of David
Day 07	Masada – Herodion
Day 08	Jerusalem
Day 09	Departure

Itinerary day by day

Day 01: Arrival – Tel Aviv

Your pilgrimage begins as you depart from your country on an overnight flight. You will be welcomed at the Tel Aviv airport by our representative and transferred to your hotel to enjoy dinner before retiring for the night.

Accommodation	Tel Aviv Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 02: The Galilee

Worship as you sail across the Sea of Galilee. Visit Capernaum, the center of Jesus' ministry in Galilee, and visit the synagogue built on the site where Jesus taught (Matthew 4:13, 23). On the Mount of Beatitudes, contemplate the text of the "Sermon on the Mount" (Matthew 5-7). Explore the Church of the Loaves and Fish at Tabgha, the traditional site of the feeding of the 5,000 (Luke 9:10-17). See the Chapel of the Primacy, where Peter professed his devotion three times to the risen Christ (John 21). In Magdala, once home to Mary Magdalene, visit a recently discovered first-century synagogue. Recall Jesus' baptism by John the Baptist at the Jordan River.

Accommodation	Your Comfortable Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

DAY 3: Cana – Nazareth – Tel Megiddo – Caesarea

Visit the Franciscan Wedding Chapel in Cana, the site of Jesus' first miracle, before continuing to Nazareth, Jesus' boyhood home (Matthew 2:23). Look out over Tel Megiddo (Armageddon) to view one of the most important archaeological sites in the Holy Land. Today's last stop is Caesarea, a center of the early Christians, where an angel visited Cornelius, the first Gentile believer (Acts 10), and where Paul was imprisoned for two years before appealing to Caesar.

Accommodation	Your Comfortable Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 04: Beit Shean – Jericho – Qumran

Start the day in Beit Shean, a city continuously inhabited for over 5,000 years. The uncovered ruins date back to the Greek/Roman city that was part of the Decapolis of Jesus' day. See colonnaded streets with marble sidewalks, Roman public baths, and a theater. As you stop in Jericho to view the ruins of the city conquered by Joshua (Joshua 6:1, 2, 20), in the distance, you can see the traditional site of the Temptation of Jesus (Matthew 4:1-11). Continue to Qumran, where the Dead Sea Scrolls were discovered in 1947.

Accommodation	Your Comfortable Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 05: Bethlehem – Jerusalem

In Bethlehem, visit the cave revered as Jesus' birthplace and see the Church of the Nativity constructed over the site (Matthew 1:18-25). Gaze out over Shepherd's Field before returning to Jerusalem.

Accommodation	Jerusalem Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 06: Jerusalem – the City of David

Begin your day with a group picture taken from the Mount of Olives, where Jesus ascended into heaven (Acts 1:9-12). Walk the Palm Sunday Road, pray in the Garden of Gethsemane, and envision the scenes of the night before Jesus' crucifixion (Matthew 26:36-44). Continue to Mount Zion to visit the House of Olives of the High Priest Caiaphas, where Jesus was questioned the night of His betrayal (Matthew 26:57). Meditate on the events of the Last Supper as you visit the traditional location of the Upper Room (Mark 14:12-26). After lunch, wander through the excavations of the City of David. Explore Hezekiah's Tunnel, an amazing engineering feat that was dug from both ends and met in the middle (those who are claustrophobic may want to meet the group at the other end of the tunnel)! Visit the Pool of Siloam, recently uncovered at the foot of the city.

Accommodation	Your Comfortable Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 07: Masada – Herodion

Explore one of the most exciting archaeological digs in the Holy Land: The Herodion, the palace-fortress and final resting place of Herod the Great. Ascend by cable car to Masada, Herod's legendary mountaintop fortress, which became the last desperate stronghold of the Jewish Zealots against the Romans. You can still look down on the remains of the Roman camps and the siege ramp below. End your day with a dip in the salt and mineral-laden waters of the Dead Sea.

Accommodation	Your Good Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 08: Jerusalem

Explore ancient Jerusalem at the Teaching Steps and the Western Wall. View the Pool of Bethesda, where Jesus performed the Sabbath miracle (John 5:1-18). Sing a hymn in the Church of St. Anne and experience its rich acoustics. Visit Herod's Antonia Fortress, where Jesus appeared before Pontius Pilate (Luke 23:1), and follow in Christ's steps on the Via Dolorosa ("the Way of the Cross"). At the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, take time to reflect on His sacrificial love. Visit the Garden Tomb for a time of reflection and communion.

Accommodation	Your Good Hotel	Meal Plan: Dinner & Overnight

Day 09: Departure

Breakfast at the hotel. Then, transfer to the airport for your departure, taking with you unforgettable memories of your journey.

End of Program

Services

Price Included:

- Airport Transfers (arrival and departure in Tel Aviv)
- Accommodation in handpicked hotels throughout the Holy Land
- Daily breakfast and dinner
- All Ground Transportation in a modern, private, air-conditioned vehicle
- Professional Local Guide for all tours and biblical explanations
- Entrance Fees to all mentioned sites

Price excluded:

- International Flights
- Gratuities to the local guides and driver