



PILGRIMAGE TO MARIAN SANCTUARIES OF PORTUGAL / SPAIN / FRANCE



APR 23 TO MAY 06 - 2025



**Escorted by:
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23 APRIL - CANADA TO PORTUGAL

Depart from Canada, to Lisbon, Portugal with Air Canada.

**Join us on a Fantastic
SPIRITUAL JOURNEY!**

24 APRIL - LISBON / FATIMA

Arrival, transfer from Lisbon Airport to Fatima. Stop in the town of Santarem to visit St. Stephens Church, and to venerate the 13th century Eucharistic Miracle. Continue to Fatima, visit the Sanctuary, mass at the chapel of apparition's, candle light procession. Dinner and overnight.

25 APRIL - FATIMA / LISBON

Today will surely be a memorable experience, as you pray and meditate upon the site where our Lady appeared to three shepherd children; Lucia (age 10), Jacinta (age 7), and Francisco (age 9). These apparitions occurred monthly from May until October of 1917. Afternoon, visit the tiny hamlet of Aljustrel, the home of the three child seers and their families. Depart to Lisbon via Obidos. Dinner and overnight.

26 APRIL - LISBON

Full day in Lisbon, enjoy the Panoramic tour of Lisbon, including St. Jerome's Monastery, and St. Anthony's Church, where we will celebrate mass. The Patron Saint of lost things is best known as St. Anthony of Padua (Italy), but born and baptized in Lisbon. Visit the Cathedral and landmarks including Padrão dos Descobrimentos, Belem Tower, Central of Lisbon, Praca do Comercio, Rossio. Dinner and overnight.

27 APRIL - LISBON / BARCELONA

Early departure to the airport for a morning flight to Barcelona. Enjoy a tour of this beautiful port city upon arrival. Enjoy the stunning panoramic views of the Port of Barcelona, visit the Basilica de Santa Maria Del Mar, which served as background for the best-selling novel "Cathedral of the Sea" subsequently adapted into a Netflix series in 2018. We will continue to the Eixample quarter to visit Antoni Gaudi's stunning, Basilica, La Sagrada Familia, a truly architectural wonder. Dinner and overnight.

28 APRIL - BARCELONA / MONTSERRAT / ZARAGOZA

After breakfast depart from Barcelona to visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Montserrat, located on a rugged mountainside. According to Catholic tradition, St. Luke carved the statue of the Black Madonna around 50 A.D. and brought it to Spain. While in Spain, it was hidden from the Moors and then, was later rediscovered by shepherds. In 880 A.D., after visit depart to Zaragoza for dinner and overnight.

29 APRIL - ZARAGOZA / LOURDES

Visit to the magnificent Basilica del Pilar that was built upon the site of where Our Lady appeared to St. James the Greater. In 44 A.D. St. James was spreading the Gospel in Spain but, making very little progress and questioning his mission. According to Catholic Tradition, the Virgin Mary, who was still living in Ephesus, bi-located and appeared to encourage him on his mission. Depart to Lourdes to attend the candlelight procession, dinner and overnight.

30 APRIL - LOURDES

Full day in Lourdes, where our Lady first appeared to St. Bernadette in 1858, and announced herself as "The Immaculate Conception". During the apparitions, Our Lady emphasized God's love for us, and the necessity of performing acts of penance for sinners. [An unforgettable day, Mass at the Grotto to complete the optional Marian Consecration Program](#); drink water from the miraculous spring that has healed many; Additionally, meditate upon the "life size" Stations of the Cross that overlook the Grotto of Massabielle. Candle light procession, dinner and overnight.

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01 MAY - LOURDES / TOULOUSE

After breakfast depart to Toulouse, the city where the Dominican order was founded in 1215 by St. Dominic. Visit the Convent of the Jacobins, mass celebration, where the remains of St. Thomas of Aquinas are buried, visit the Basilica of Saint-Sernin and the cathedral, panoramic drive through the city, continue to Montauban for dinner and overnight.

02 MAY - ROCAMADOUR / ORLEANS

Visit Rocamadour the town home to early Christian hermit, Zaccheus of Jericho, his wife and St. Veronica, the woman who wiped the face of Jesus as He climbed to Calvary. Visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Rocamadour, a place of miraculous conversion. After the visit depart to Orleans for dinner and overnight.

03 MAY - ORLEANS / PARIS

Orleans is a city on the banks of the Loire River (longest river in France) in north-central France. St Joan of Arc famously saved the city from English siege in 1429. Visit the Cathedrale Ste-Croix to celebrate mass, where St Joan used to go and pray. Depart to Paris, one of the most iconic cities of Europe and the world. Dinner and overnight.

04 - 05 MAY - PARIS

We begin our tour of Paris with a visit to the Shrine or Chapel of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal, where we will view the incorrupt body of St. Catherine Laboure. The Saint's guardian angel led her to the Chapel where the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to her. During apparitions, Our Lady repeatedly instructed the making and purpose of the Miraculous Medal. Visit to Saint Vincent de Paul Church where we will find Saint Paul's incorrupt body. Visit to Notre Dame Cathedral and Sainte Chapelle.

Mass and visit to Saint-Sulpice Church and to the Basilica of the Sacré-Coeur, erected at the end of the 19th century, built as a reaction to the exactions committed during the Paris Commune. Panoramic visit drive by the Eiffel Tower, Arc de Triomphe, Avenue des Champs-Élysées, Place de la Concord, the Pantheon a former Church of Saint-Geneviève, Opera House or Palais Garnier, also known as Opéra Garnier, and the madelaine. Visit to the Church of Saint Peter, the oldest in Paris where on August 15, 1534, Saint Ignatius of Loyola and six other young men, including Saint Francis Xavier and Saint Peter Faber, gathered and professed vows of poverty, chastity and obedience founding the Company of Jesus. Dinner and overnight at the hotel (Dinner not included on May 4)

06 MAY - PARIS / CANADA

After breakfast depart to the airport for the flight home.

PRICE DETAILS:

p/person in double room: CAD \$5432 + Airport tax, approx. \$975 + Tips \$120

Minimum # of passengers 40 - Single supplement CAD \$1,200

Payment by cheque, cash or credit card (Add 4% if paying by CC)

Deposit of \$450 at time of booking (non refundable)

Final payment 15 JAN 2025

PRICES FROM OTHER CANADIAN CITIES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST



► PACKAGE INCLUDES

- × Round trip Air Winnipeg / Lisbon, return Paris / Winnipeg with Air Canada + Airfare Lisbon / Barcelona
- × Accommodation in first class hotels, Breakfast daily and 11 Dinners
- × All sightseeing as per itinerary and all transfers in a deluxe motor coach bus.
- × All entrance fees, including **inside** of Sagrada Familia and Montserrat.
- × 33 Day Guide for Optional Marian Consecration Program (Consecration to take place in Lourdes)
- × Whisper headphones, Professional guides, Catholic Priest, and tour directors.
- × Taxes and service charges.

► **NOT INCLUDED:** Airport taxes approx. \$975 /Tips for drivers and guides \$120/ Insurance; Cancellation & Medical.

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