

Join Fr. Juan Mendez & Fr. Nathan Libaire
on a pilgrimage to
**Mexico City
& Guadalajara**

Mexico City - Puebla - Guanajuato - Guadalajara



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December
9-16, 2023



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Day by Day Itinerary

December 9 Day 1: Departure: Today we board our flight to Mexico City. Upon arrival, we transfer to our hotel in Mexico City for dinner and overnight.

Overnight: Mexico City (D)

December 10 Day 2: Ocotlan: We depart Mexico City to head to Puebla. En Route we stop in the nearby town of Ocotlan for Mass at the Shrine of Our Lady of Ocotlan, site where Our Lady burnt her image in an oak tree. Time for a visit to the beautiful Church of San Francisco nearby. Upon arrival in Puebla, we take a short tour to view the Rosary Chapel and other points of interest. Lunch is at a local restaurant.

Overnight: Mexico City (B, L)

December 11 Day 3: Mexico City: This morning, we stop to visit the Plaza of the 3 Cultures (Tlaltelolco) to see the Church of St. James where San Juan Diego was baptized. Here we celebrate Mass. Afterwards, a delightful gondola ride along the flower laden canals of Xochimilco – the floating gardens of Mexico. A box lunch will be provided on board the bus enroute to Xochimilco. We then return to our hotel for overnight.

Overnight: Mexico City (B, L)

December 12 Day 4: Mexico City – Zócalo, Metropolitan Cathedral – Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe: After breakfast, we will make our way to visit Our Lady of Guadalupe with time for prayer and reflection. It is the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, and so we will join in the festivities and celebrate this beautiful Feast with tens of thousands of other faithful Catholics, joining the main Mass at noon. We then continue to the famous main plaza of Mexico City, the Zócalo formally named the Plaza de la Constitución. We will visit the Metropolitan Cathedral and see the tomb of Bishop Zumarraga, the first Bishop of Mexico, known as the Protector of Indians. Finally returning to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

Overnight: Mexico City (B, D)

December 13 Day 5: Guanajuato: This morning we depart to the City of Guanajuato. En route out of the city, Mass will be celebrated at the Sanctuary/Basilica of Our Lady of the Remedies, with its large and interesting collection of “Milagros” and “retablos” from people grateful for favors received from Our Lady of the Remedies. Continue to Queretaro (about 2 hours) for a brief city tour of the historic center, seat of Mexico’s Independence from Spain. On to the picturesque town of San Miguel Allende with its spectacular mountain scenery. After lunch in town, depart for Guanajuato for overnight.

Overnight: Guanajuato (B)

December 14 Day 6: Guadalajara: Mass this morning will be at the Church of San Cayetano followed by city tour of the most popular sights in Guanajuato – the University, Teatro Juarez, the local market, the underground streets and the quaintness of this colonial city. Depart for Guadalajara, passing by San Juan de los Lagos, famous for its fascinating Shrine. Stop for a visit to the Shrine and continue to Guadalajara.

Overnight: Guadalajara (B, L)

December 15 Day 7: Guadalajara: This morning, we walk to Mass at the Cathedral, continuing along the Plaza Tapatio touristic area of Guadalajara. Other visits include the Libertad Market and Teatro Degollado. Then head for the suburb of Tlaquepaque for lunch on your own and time for shopping for local arts & crafts for which this town is famous. Farewell dinner at the hotel.

Overnight: Guadalajara (B, D)

December 16 Day 8: Return Home: Today we board our flight home, carrying with us memories and keepsakes that will last a lifetime.



PRICING

BASE PRICE PER PERSON

\$2699.00*

Double occupancy with base airfare

*Discount cash/check price

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OPTIONS

- For a single room*: add \$549

*Subject to availability

- Travel Insurance: add \$187

*Available only for travelers with primary residence in USA or Canada

BASE PRICE INCLUDES:

- Roundtrip airfare from Albuquerque (ABQ)
- Excursions per itinerary
- 4 Overnights Mexico City
- 1 Overnight Guanajuato
- 2 Overnights Guadalajara
- Meals per Itinerary
- Professional Catholic tour guides
- Spiritual director

FIRST PAYMENT	\$500.00	DUE: NOW
SECOND PAYMENT	\$1249.00	DUE: JULY 12, 2023
THIRD PAYMENT	\$1000.00	DUE: SEPT 10, 2023
FINAL PAYMENT	REMAINING	DUE: OCT 25, 2023

Why Travel with Us?

Holy Land Travel Center is a family-run business that prides itself on providing pilgrims with an unmatched religious travel experience. Operated by the Qumsieh family, one of the oldest Christian families of the Bethlehem suburb of Beit Sahour; the Center has helped thousands of people deepen their faith and enrich their lives through pilgrimage.

Our trips feature superb food, accommodations, and Christian guides to ensure a comfortable and informative experience for all our guests. Whether you're an experienced traveler or someone looking to take that "once in a lifetime" trip, we are eager to show you why so many have trusted Holy Land Travel Center to deliver an unforgettable travel experience!

Terms & Conditions

By making any payments (cash, credit card or otherwise) towards any tour constitutes your unconditional acceptance of all the terms and conditions stated in this brochure. Holy Land Travel Center shall be referred to as HLTC within this document.

DOCUMENTS: US citizens require a valid passport. Other nationalities please inquire with the appropriate embassies.

REGISTRATION AND DEPOSIT: Deposit of \$500 per person is required upon registration along with a signed copy of the registration form on or before 90 days prior to departure. Registrations are processed in the order received by HLTC. A second payment of \$1249 is required on or before 150 days prior to departure. A third payment of \$1000 is due 90 days prior to departure. Final payment is due 45 days prior to departure. Late payments are subject to \$50 late fee. HLTC reserves the right to cancel reservations whose payments are 30 days late and to apply applicable cancellation/penalties indicated below. No registrations can be made over the telephone.

INDIVIDUAL CANCELLATION FEES & REFUNDS: Upon cancellation of participation of tour by you, the registrant, for any reason, and only after HLTC receives your signed cancellation, HLTC will then refund your payment for services not received by you, minus applicable cancellation fees per person, according to the following schedule:

In addition to any cancellation fees specific to your tour, the following fees apply.

- 1) Minimum cancellation fee is \$500 from time of registration up to 120 days prior to the tour's departure date.
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- 4) From 30 days prior to departure day onward, no refund is possible.

TRAVEL PROTECTION: Travel insurance is recommended to help protect you and your trip investment against the unexpected. For your convenience, we offer travel protection. If you do not wish to purchase now, the plan can be purchased any time before submitting your final payment. Coverage takes affect once payment is received. If you chose to purchase outside of the time sensitive period outlined in the plan, you will not be eligible for time sensitive benefits. All plan premiums are non-refundable. To view/download the plan, which provides the full coverage terms and details, including limitations and exclusion please visit our website: www.holylandtc.com/travel-protection/

MEDICAL CONDITION: We endeavor to provide the highest level of service to all our passengers. Participants who require special assistance must be accompanied by a qualified helper who assumes total responsibility for the participants' well-being. This pilgrimage demands a lot of walking and can be strenuous. HLTC is not responsible for any medical conditions that occur prior to, during, or after the tour.

LAND TRANSPORTATION AND TRANSFERS: By private deluxe motor coach.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Tour prices are per person, based on two persons sharing double or twin-bedded rooms with private bathroom with tub or shower. In the event that one does not sign up with a roommate and is not able to be paired with another traveler, there will be a single supplement charge to the account. Single rooms subject to availability and an additional cost indicated on the brochure.

MEALS: Meals in accordance with the itinerary. All beverages are extra.

TIPPING: Unless it is specified in the tour brochure, the price of the tour does not include tips and gratuities. Tipping is recommended to the tour guide and motor coach driver approximately \$6 and \$4 per person, respectively, per day to each: Hotel tips are approximately \$2 per day per person. Tips may be pre-collected before the pilgrimage for your convenience.

AIRLINE TICKETS AND ITINERARY LENGTH: Air transportation to/from your destination will be economy class aboard carriers utilizing non-refundable, non-amenable tickets. Preliminary international flight schedules are available 60 days prior to departure and may change before they are finalized. Therefore, if you book

the domestic flight on your own, you will be responsible for changing your domestic flights and incurring any change fees that would be generated by this adjustment. We are not responsible for changes and delays in airline schedules and do not reimburse passengers for expenses resulting from such occurrences. Travelers making their own flight arrangements should not purchase non-refundable, non-changeable tickets. We cannot guarantee the most direct routing to your final destination. If flight schedules change, we reserve the right to lengthen or shorten the itinerary accordingly, and if changes or flight schedules necessitate extra overnights, you will be charged at normal hotel rates. Land Only packages do not include airport-hotel transfers.

SEAT ASSIGNMENT: THERE IS NO ADVANCE SEAT SELECTION FOR TOUR DEPARTURES. HLTC cannot guarantee specific seats, which are at the discretion of the airline and are pending availability. When HLTC disperses travel packages, you will receive your record locator. You can use this locator to do online seating arrangements, if permitted by the airline.

BAGGAGE: Transatlantic and transpacific flights to and from the USA allow the passenger to bring one (1) checked bag, which may have a maximum weight of 50 lbs., and maximum combined dimensions of 62 inches. Also, one (1) "carry-on" with maximum dimensions of 8"x12"x20" is permitted. Luggage on domestic flights will cost extra. Luggage is the passenger's responsibility and that of the airlines. For lost luggage, the passenger is responsible for notifying the airline directly. Check with your carrier regarding carry-on luggage rules and regulations.

PRICES: All prices are based on exchange rates and fares applicable at time of quotation and based on minimum number of paying passengers stated in the brochure and are therefore subject to change if fares change (including fuel surcharges increase), if group does not reach minimum or if exchange rates fluctuate. Minimum number of paying passengers is 20.

NOT INCLUDED: Passport and Visas, meals not mentioned, beverages with meals, extra beyond standard menu, excess baggage, luggage on domestic flights, telephone calls, fuel surcharges increase.

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Note: While no changes are anticipated, there may be unforeseen occasions when certain alterations become necessary, either due to changes to the airline schedule, government regulations, travel restrictions, or any other reason. Holy Land Travel Center reserves the right to change the itinerary or name alternate dates due to such unforeseen circumstances or emergencies

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8 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO MEXICO CITY & GUADALAJARA

REGISTRATION FORM

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Clearly print your full name as it appears on your passport

Last Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

First Name: _____

Birth Date ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YYYY)

Sex: ☐ M ☐ F Country of Citizenship _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

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Cell Phone (____) _____

Passport # _____

Expiration Date ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YYYY)

(Must be valid for 6 months post return)

Emergency Contact: _____ Relation: _____ Phone: _____

Name for Badge (Nickname) _____

FIRST DEPOSIT (DUE NOW): \$500.00

☐ Check Discount/Check Price: \$2699 per traveler

☐ Travel Insurance: \$187 per traveler

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: Holy Land Travel Center

Mail Check to:

**2800 San Mateo BLVD NE, Suit 108
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Passenger #2:

Clearly print your full name as it appears on your passport

Last Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

First Name: _____

Birth Date ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YYYY)

Sex: ☐ M ☐ F Country of Citizenship _____

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Passport # _____

Expiration Date ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YYYY)

(Must be valid for 6 months post return)

Emergency Contact: _____ Relation: _____ Phone: _____

Name for Badge (Nickname) _____

Accommodation Desired:

☐ Double room sharing with _____

☐ Single Room (\$549 extra per person)

☐ Random Roommate (I understand if no roommate is found, the single supplement charge will be added to my account)

For Credit Card or Bank Payment:

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This registration form serves as your acceptance of the policies, terms and conditions as outlined in this brochure. I acknowledge that airline tickets are non-refundable, non-transferable, and are subject to airline cancellation fees and policies. No registrations will be accepted without signed acknowledgement. **For Pre-Existing Medical Conditions Exclusion Waiver, insurance plan must be purchased within 15 days of Initial Trip Payment.**

Signature

Passenger 1: _____

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