

Discovering Mary in the Heartland: Wisconsin, USA



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“Our *unique encounters* on pilgrimage
give us insights that *enlighten and*
strengthen us interiorly.”

-Dr. Robert Moynihan

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Why Choose Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages?

With almost 30 years of publishing *Inside the Vatican* magazine, we have colleagues and friends all over the world — and many of them have become part of our Pilgrimage family.

Designing an Inside the Vatican pilgrimage begins with a theme or a particular country; then we weave in encounters with real people who live and work there, as well as those with expert knowledge in its historical and spiritual perspectives. Our itineraries include both world-renowned and little-known places, and every detail has been arranged to create a truly unique experience; we do not have cookie-cutter pilgrimages!

Whether you choose one of our intimate-sized Signature Pilgrimages, or a Classic Pilgrimage with budget-friendly pricing, we work hard to ensure that every pilgrimage is a moving experience, an authentic spiritual journey for each pilgrim.





Welcome

WISCONSIN DELLS



A PERSONAL INVITATION FROM DEBORAH TOMLINSON

Dear Pilgrim,

Greetings!

I am excited to offer to you our first ever pilgrimage to Wisconsin, a journey that will take you into the heart of the Midwest, into the heart of the history of Catholicism in the United States, and most importantly into the heart of Christ – through an encounter with His Mother in the Marian Shrines of Wisconsin and with other encounters along the way.

We have carefully planned a journey that will open up a little-known world of pilgrimage in some of the most beautiful farm country in the Midwest. Wisconsin is a state rich in history, full of farmland and dairies, but what you may not know is that it is also home to a rich Catholic culture and history. Did you know we have our own Church-approved apparition, our own “Fatima” in Wisconsin?

This pilgrimage will culminate in Champion at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help, our own Church-approved apparition site. After which, we will celebrate the Feast of the Nativity of Our Lady at a local vineyard during the height of the grape harvest.

Join us during the height of autumn, as the days are cooling and the forests turning dark red and bright orange, from the Upper Dells to the Kettle Morain and even to the shores of Lake Michigan, as we fan the flames of pilgrimage in the heartland of the United States while discovering little-known treasures and encountering many along our way.

Looking forward to traveling with you!

Blessings,

Deborah B. Tomlinson

Deborah Tomlinson
Founder and President
Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages

Why Pilgrimage to Wisconsin, the Land of Mary?



In 1859, a woman appeared to a young Belgian immigrant near Champion, Wisconsin – in the heartland of America – and revealed herself as “The Queen of Heaven.” Her message: “Gather the children of this wild country and teach them what they need to know for salvation.” A small chapel built on this site began attracting the local immigrant population; they brought to Our Lady their concerns in times of sickness and uncertainty, or when drought threatened their crops...and in the ensuing years, blessings, even miracles, began to flow.

Known only to locals until relatively recently, the site of this apparition – the only Church-approved Marian apparition in the U.S. – is now a designated National Shrine. Europe has its Fatima, its Lourdes, its Czestochowa...and we in the United States have the National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help in Champion, Wisconsin.

The National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help is a bright star set in a gleaming constellation of Catholic shrines, monasteries, and chapels spanning the state of Wisconsin. Because of its Protestant roots, America has never had a strong tradition of pilgrimage, but along this route of 5 national shrines and sacred sites, you will find in Wisconsin a land of rich Catholic heritage, culturally and spiritually – a land where the tradition of pilgrimage is growing and beginning to flourish. Now is the time to experience these Catholic riches along the farm roads, forests, and Dells of Wisconsin...

Come with us on a journey to Discover Mary in the Heartland, and learn about Mary’s message to the souls in this country as she leads us to her son, Jesus.

Waukesha, Lacrosse, Manitowoc, Greenbay, Champion

-  Start/End Tour
-  # Optional Add-on Overnight
-  Pass Through



Green Bay
Briggsville
La Crosse
Wisconsin Dells
Waukesha
Champion
Manitowoc
Hubertus

Wisconsin Pilgrimage



Pilgrimage Overview

DISCOVERING MARY IN THE HEARTLAND | PILGRIMAGE IN WISCONSIN, USA

- Spend three (3) nights at the Schoenstatt Retreat Center in Waukesha, 18 miles west of Milwaukee, and four (4) nights in Manitowoc near Lake Michigan at the only Holiday Inn with a Divine Mercy chapel.
- Discover “America’s Fatima”: visit Our Lady of Good Help at Champion Shrine, the site of the only Church-approved Marian apparition in the United States.
- Attend daily Mass.
- Learn about the hidden treasures of Catholicism in Wisconsin while encountering this unique and vibrant culture of Catholic pilgrimaging in America’s heartland today.
- Meet Dr. Robert Moynihan, leading Vatican analyst and founder and editor of *Inside the Vatican* magazine and Deborah Tomlinson, President of Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages, and friends of *Inside the Vatican* magazine.
- Pilgrimage to 5 national shrines and 1 international shrine.

DAY 1: ARRIVAL – VISIT INTERNATIONAL SCHOENSTATT SHRINE

- Arrive at Schoenstatt Retreat Center in Waukesha, Wisconsin – transfer from Milwaukee airport (MKE) will be available.
- Receive a welcome tea with a greeting and reflection from Schoenstatt Sister of Mary, Sr. Maria Victoria, and learn about this remarkable center of Catholic renewal.
- Visit the **International Schoenstatt Shrine** near the Retreat Center.
- Enjoy a welcome dinner with Dr. Robert Moynihan, founder and editor of *Inside the Vatican* magazine, and Deborah Tomlinson, President of Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages.

DAY 2: NATIONAL SHRINE OF SAINT PHILOMENA AND THE FAMOUS WISCONSIN DELLS

- Attend a morning spiritual reflection on the Marian roots of Schoenstatt Spirituality with Chilean-born and German-educated Sr. Maria Victoria.
- Visit the **National Shrine of St. Philomena** and learn the fascinating story of Father I. C. Wiltzius who devoted his frail energy to calling the world to venerate this Virgin-Martyr in Briggsville, Wisconsin.
- Hear from Susan, the local custodian of the Shrine, how St. Philomena inspired her as a young girl to take up her cause and petition for this shrine to be reopened after years of neglect.
- Enjoy lunch overlooking the Wisconsin River followed by an afternoon in the great outdoors on a historic boat tour through the majestic Wisconsin Dells.

DAY 3: SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE IN LACROSSE, WISCONSIN

- Attend Sunday Mass at the **Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe**.
- Receive a private tour of this magnificent shrine.
- Have time on your own to pray, reflect, or explore the grounds and light a candle in the Votive Chapel, walk the Stations of the Cross, or pause to offer a prayer at the Memorial to the Unborn.

DAY 4: BASILICA AND NATIONAL SHRINE OF MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS AT HOLY HILL.

- Morning spiritual reflection with Sr. Maria Victoria at the Schoenstatt Retreat Center.
- Attend morning Mass at the **Basilica and National Shrine of Mary Help of Christians**.
- Climb Holy Hill’s observation tower to enjoy breathtaking autumn views from the highest peak in southeastern Wisconsin.
- Learn about and encounter the custodians of Holy Hill, the discolored Carmelite Friars.
- Visit the shrine’s exhibit on the Shroud of Turin and learn about the significance of the Shroud from Jim Bertrand, friend of *Inside the Vatican* and one of the leading experts on the Shroud.

- Spend the evening in conversation with Fr. Andrew Kurz, the priest who started the walking pilgrimage called *The Wisconsin Way*. Learn from him about the rich history of Catholicism and Marian devotion in Wisconsin. This promises to be an amazing encounter.

DAY 5: HOLY RESURRECTION MONASTERY AND CHEESEMAKING MUSEUM

- Visit the Byzantine Catholic monks of Holy Resurrection Monastery in the historic town of St. Nazianz.
- Attend a private Divine Liturgy with the monks of Holy Resurrection Monastery.
- Enjoy a private lunch offered by the monks in their refectory followed by a spiritual reflection by one of the monks on monasticism in the Byzantine Catholic tradition.
- Visit a local cheese factory and shop offering fresh cheese curds and learn about the history of cheesemaking in Wisconsin while touring their interactive museum.
- View local roadside rogation chapels and learn how these important chapels were an integral part of the lives of Catholic immigrants in Wisconsin.
- Enjoy dinner overlooking Lake Michigan.

DAY 6: GREEN BAY

- Head to Green Bay to visit the seat of the Diocese where Bishop David L. Ricken oversaw the process of the first Marian apparition approval in the United States, and based on the Bishop’s availability, meet with him at the Diocesan Center.
- Enjoy lunch at a farm-to-table restaurant featuring local Wisconsin cheeses and produce.
- Visit St. Willebrord Church in downtown Green Bay where Vince Lombardi, of the Green Bay Packers, attended daily Mass.
- Visit the Norbertine Shrine in De Pere and the **National Shrine to St. Joseph**. Attend Vespers.

DAY 7: OUR LADY OF GOOD HELP AND VINEYARD HARVEST TOUR

- Arrive for the celebration of the Mass at the **National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help** for the feast of the Nativity of the Virgin Mary.
- Learn the story of Mary’s apparition to Adele Brise and the history of the building of the Shrine.
- Enrollment into the Confraternity of the Rosary will be offered to all pilgrims.
- Spend the afternoon enjoying a vineyard tour and tasting at the peak of the grape harvest.
- Enjoy a celebratory farewell dinner overlooking Lake Michigan.

DAY 8: DEPARTURE

- After breakfast, depart from the hotel by shuttle or bus to Milwaukee airport (MKE).



Pilgrimage Itinerary

Welcome to Wisconsin!

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SCHOENSTATT INTERNATIONAL SHRINE, WAUKESHA

ARRIVAL – FRIDAY

Waukesha – Arrival in Wisconsin: Welcome Mass and Dinner at the Schoenstatt Retreat Center

You will arrive at Milwaukee International Airport (MKE) and take a shuttle to the Schoenstatt Retreat Center in Waukesha, just 18 miles away.

On arriving in the afternoon, the Schoenstatt Sisters of Mary will welcome us to their Retreat Center with an afternoon tea. Sr. Maria Victoria, a Chilean nun who lived for many years in Schoenstatt, Germany, will bring us to visit and pray at the International Schoenstatt Shrine, an exact replica of the shrine in Germany where Fr. Joseph Kentenich, in 1914, started the Schoenstatt Movement. Sr. Maria Victoria will offer us a reflection on the Schoenstatt spirituality and its Marian emphasis which encourages all to see her as “a bridge leading to a deep, fervent love of God.”

The rest of the afternoon can be spent in silence walking the peaceful grounds.

After evening Mass, a welcome dinner will be enjoyed at the Schoenstatt Retreat Center with Dr. Robert Moynihan, leading Vatican analyst and founder and editor of Inside the Vatican magazine and Deborah Tomlinson, President of Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages, and friends of Inside the Vatican magazine. 🍷🍴

SATURDAY

Briggsville – Pilgrimage To The National Shrine Of St. Philomena And Experience The Beautiful Wisconsin Dells By Boat

After morning Mass at the Retreat Center, we will begin our pilgrimage by taking a journey off the beaten path to the National Shrine of St. Philomena in Briggsville, Wisconsin. Though the Shrine is small, it stands as a great testimony to the devotion that St. Philomena continues to nurture in the faithful and the power of her intercession. From Susan, the Shrine’s custodian, we will learn the unique story of how the first-class relics of St. Philomena were brought to Briggsville in the late 1940s and how this saint continues to make known her presence, in dreams and in miracles, to many who come to pray and seek her intercession.

After lunch in the fresh air on huge timber decks overlooking the Upper Dells on the Wisconsin River, we will have the chance to travel by boat along the dramatic 155 foot bluffs carved out by the Wisconsin River, all against the backdrop of splendid autumn foliage. 🍷🍴



WISCONSIN DELLS

Look for these icons at the end of each itinerary day to see which meals are included in this pilgrimage.



BREAKFAST



LUNCH



DINNER

SUNDAY

Lacrosse – Pilgrimage To The Shrine Of Our Lady Of Guadalupe

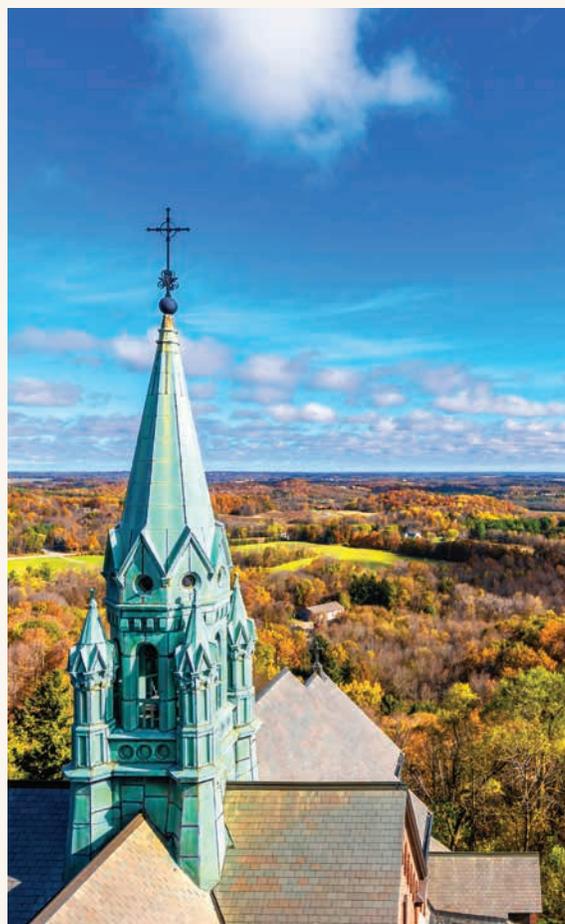
We will depart after an early breakfast for Lacrosse to visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, a place of worship and pilgrimage which, in the words of Cardinal Raymond Burke, “uncovers again for us the extraordinary nature of our ordinary life.”

After we participate in the Sunday liturgy, we will have a private tour of this beautiful shrine. There will be time for confessions, private prayer and reflection. Take time to walk the Stations of the Cross, pause to pray at the Memorial to the Unborn, or simply rest in the timeless beauty of the Shrine’s unique architectural design and the incarnational art adorning both the interior building and external grounds.

Enjoy lunch at the Shrine’s Culina Maria Cafe, and remember to pause to light a candle to Our Lady of Guadalupe in the Votive Chapel as you depart from the Shrine. 🕯️🏰



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SHRINE



HOLY HILL IN AUTUMN

MONDAY

Hubertus – Ascend Holy Hill Basilica And Meet The Priest Who Started “The Wisconsin Way”

Following breakfast and a morning reflection with Sr. Maria Victoria at the Schoenstatt Retreat Center, we will head off for Holy Hill where we will reach the Basilica and National Shrine of Mary Help of Christians for Mass with fellow pilgrims and the Discalced Carmelite Friars who are entrusted with the care of this sacred place.

After Mass, we will hear the rich history of this Basilica set atop a high hill overlooking 400 acres of forest. There will be a chance to explore the Basilica and walk the Stations of the Cross.

After lunch, we will have the opportunity, weather permitting, to climb the 178-step observation tower to take in the beauty of the hills and forest of the Kettle Moraine, enjoying breathtaking autumn views from the highest peak in southeastern Wisconsin.

We will also have a special viewing of the Basilica’s exhibit on the Shroud of Turin and learn from our long-time friend and Shroud expert, Jim Bertrand, the history and significance of this holy relic.

From Holy Hill we will travel to our hotel in the city of Manitowoc on the shore of Lake Michigan where we will meet Fr. Andrew Kurz, the priest who started The Wisconsin Way. Fr. Kurz will tell us how his dream of starting a pilgrimage route through Wisconsin, comparable to that of the Camino de Santiago in Spain, became a reality. He will share stories about the graces pilgrims have received on their journey along the Wisconsin Way and offer insights into the rich history of Catholicism and the deep roots of Marian Devotion in this beautiful state. 🕯️🏰



TUESDAY

St. Nazianz – Meet the Monks at Holy Resurrection Monastery, Taste Wisconsin Cheese Curds, and Visit Belgian Rogation Shrines

After breakfast in the morning, we will leave Manitowoc for the historic town of St. Nazianz, arriving at the Holy Resurrection Monastery where we will join the monks for Divine Liturgy and then enjoy lunch in their guest refectory. After lunch, one of the monks will offer a reflection on monasticism and Byzantine Catholic spirituality.

In the afternoon, we will visit an authentic Wisconsin cheese shop and museum to sample fresh curds and discover the traditional art of cheesemaking. On the way home, we will visit roadside “rogation shrines” in the local area and learn how these important chapels were an integral part of the lives of Catholic immigrants in Wisconsin.

In the evening, we will enjoy traditional Wisconsin cuisine at an historic dining spot in downtown Manitowoc. 🍷🍴

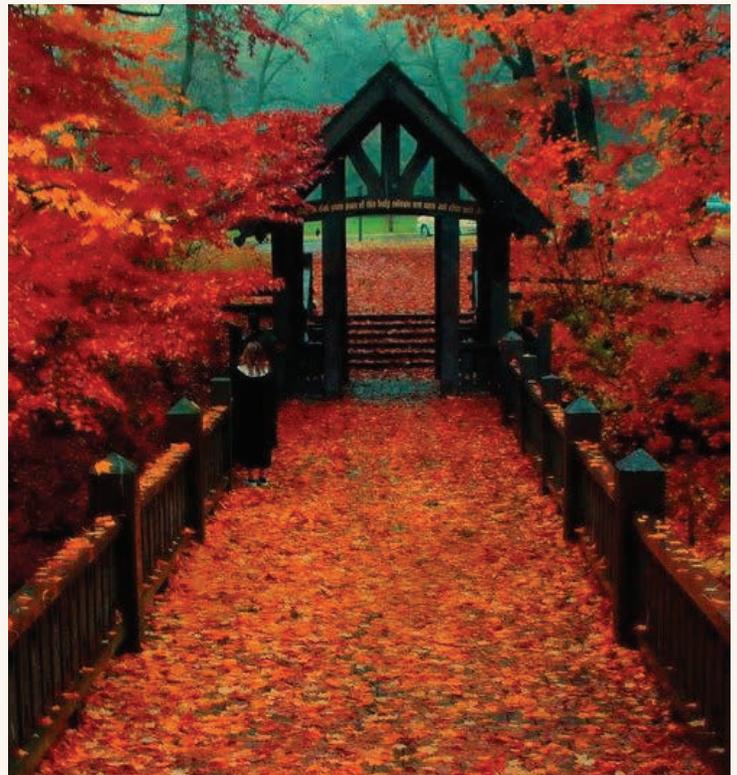
WEDNESDAY

Green Bay – Visit the Bishop of Green Bay, Enjoy local food, and Pray with the Norbertines

After breakfast, our pilgrimage continues onward to the city of Green Bay into the heart of the Catholic Diocese in which the apparition of Our Lady of Good Help was deemed “worthy of belief” by Rome, making it the first and only Church-approved Marian apparition in North America. Schedule permitting, we will have an encounter with Bishop David L. Ricken of the Diocese of Green Bay, under whose auspices the Marian apparition received Vatican approval.

After a morning in the hometown of the Green Bay Packers – a professional football team – we will enjoy lunch with local fare at a farm-to-table restaurant just outside of Green Bay. From there, we will stop at the famous chapel where Vince Lombardi went to daily Mass. Our pilgrimage to Green Bay will conclude with a visit to the National Shrine to St. Joseph which will be followed by Vespers with the Norbertine monks in De Pere.

On our way back, we will visit the Carmelite Monastery in Denmark. 🍷🏰



GREEN BAY, WISCONSIN

THURSDAY

Champion – Celebrate The Feast Of The Nativity Of Mary At The Shrine Of Our Lady Of Good Help In Champion And Enjoy The Autumn Harvest At A Local Vineyard

We will reach the culmination of our pilgrimage on September 8, the feast of the Nativity of Our Lady. After breakfast, we will head north toward Champion to attend Mass and celebrate the feast of the Nativity of Mary at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help, at the site of the first and only Church-approved Marian apparition in the United States.

After Mass at the Shrine, we will have the opportunity to hear the story of Our Lady's visitation to Adele Brise and to better appreciate the historic roots of Catholicism brought to Wisconsin by early immigrants. There will be time for silent prayer and reflection followed by lunch at the Shrine's cafe.

After lunch, pilgrims can participate in enrollment in the Confraternity of the Holy Rosary at the Shrine in a brief ceremony. We hope that this will provide each person with a tangible way of entrusting themselves to Mary on their journey towards Christ. Anyone who enrolls will receive a certificate after the ceremony.

From the Shrine, we will head down the road to a local vineyard and winery that supplies grapes for the annual blessing of the wine at the Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help. We will tour the vineyard at the height of the grape harvest and partake of tastings in the winery accompanied with seasonal charcuterie and local cheese.

To mark the end of the pilgrimage, we will share a farewell dinner overlooking Lake Michigan, while dining on authentic German food, taking time to share the insights and experiences of our journey and looking forward to a new beginning on our path towards Christ through his Mother.

Overnight in Manitowoc. 🍷 🏠



OUR LADY OF GOOD HELP

FRIDAY

Farewell

After breakfast and last goodbyes, transfers will be scheduled to the airport for your return home. Farewell to all our fellow pilgrims and friends until we meet again... 🍷



LAKE MICHIGAN SHORES

A scenic photograph of a red lighthouse situated on a rocky coastline. The lighthouse is a multi-story structure with a red-painted exterior and a white lantern room at the top. A long, dark metal truss bridge extends from the lighthouse across the water. In the foreground, a concrete pier with wooden planks runs along the shore, bordered by large, grey, mossy rocks. The water is a deep blue, and the sky is filled with soft, white clouds. A semi-transparent blue banner is overlaid across the middle of the image, containing the text "Registration Information" in white serif font.

Registration Information

Pricing



This pilgrimage is part of our boutique line of *Classic Pilgrimages* – carefully budgeted for pilgrims so that they can experience the unique qualities of Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages at our most affordable price, without sacrificing Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages integrity and style. *Classic Pilgrimages* are limited to 30 pilgrims.

We will make every effort to adhere to the printed program and itinerary. On rare occasions, it may be necessary to adjust arrangements due to unforeseen circumstances beyond our control (including such circumstances as the weather, acts of God, airline schedule changes, hotel requisitions, political disturbances or transportation mechanical problems). Should such adjustment be necessary, a substitution will be made to the best of our abilities.

INCLUDES

- Meals — Some meals are included: seven (7) breakfasts daily; one (1) lunches and six (6) dinners, 6 lunches are on your own.
- Bus — Private, first-class motor coach bus and all group transfers are included.
- Taxes and Fees — All local taxes are included.
- Entrance Fees — All entrance fees are included.
- Arrival/Departure Transfers — There will be a group transfer from MKE to Waukesha and from Manitowoc to MKE. Please see Instructions Page for more details.

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COSTS

Total Land Package Cost:	\$2,999.00
Early Booking Discount: Book by May 13, 2022	\$250.00

Total Land Cost with Early Booking Discount: \$2,749.00

Final Payment Due: July 5, 2022
Due 60 days before departure

- Discounts – Other discounts may be available. Call our U.S. Office for more information. All discounts applied to the final payment.
- Deposit — A non-refundable Evergreen Deposit of \$500.00 is due at the time of booking. An Evergreen Deposit will not expire and can be transferred to another pilgrimage even if you choose to cancel, regardless of the reason. This Evergreen Deposit is transferable to another person. The transfer of the deposit must be communicated in writing.
- For installment payments made by cash or check, the cash discount will be applied to the final payment.
- **Single Room Supplement - \$400.00.** Please note: there is a limited number of single rooms available. If you are traveling alone, the single supplement rate applies.

DOES NOT INCLUDE

This Pilgrimage does not include:

- Land Only Package does not include airfare to and from Wisconsin.
- Airport transfers for those not arriving within specified time frames to participate in the group transfers. See Instructions page.
- Meals not specifically identified.
- Gratuities payable to bus drivers.
- Other personal expenses, included but not limited to laundry services, minibar in hotel rooms, et cetera.
- Items not specifically mentioned in the pilgrimage description literature.

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Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages, Inside the Vatican, Inc., its employees, shareholders, officers and directors are collectively referred to herein as "ITVP."

Household: ITVP defines household as those participants who dwell under the same roof and have the same address for at least 6 months per year.

Rates and Payments: Rates are based on applicable rates as of April 2022 and could change due to fluctuation in currency exchange rates or failure to have a minimum number of 15 pilgrims. If they change, we will invoice participants accordingly. **Land Package:** \$2,999.00 per participant. Does not include airfare.

1st Payment: \$500.00 non-refundable deposit – Due at time of booking.

2nd Payment: Balance due Tuesday, July 5, 2022, 60 days from departure.

Single Supplement fee: \$400.00 for single occupancy room, if applicable. Due with 2nd payment.

Early Booking Discount: \$250.00 discount – register by May 13, 2022.

Fees: Applicable Credit Card fees are to be paid by the participant. These fees will be added to your invoice.

Reservations and Payment Schedule: A \$500.00 per participant, non-refundable deposit is due at the time of booking. Balance is due 60 days prior to departure. If your reservation is received less than 60 days prior to departure, then full payment is due at the time of booking. Receipt of your non-refundable deposit shall act as your agreement to and understanding of these terms and conditions. Fax, internet, e-mail or phone reservations are welcome. The non-refundable deposit and/or payment in full must be received within 7 days of booking or reservation will cancel.

Disputes: A contract is made when your reservation and payment are accepted by ITVP and any dispute shall be governed by Virginia law and must be litigated in Warren County, Virginia circuit or Virginia courts. In the event that an attorney is hired to enforce any part of these Terms and Conditions, participants are liable for all attorney fees and costs incurred by ITVP for enforcing or defending these Terms and Conditions.

Form of Payment: Bank/Certified Checks, Money Orders, ACH or Wire Transfers (please fax a copy of bank confirmation when wiring funds) are accepted forms of payment at any time. Personal checks are acceptable if received more than 30 days prior to departure date. You may also make Direct Credit Card Payments to ITVP (Discover, Visa and Master Card). Every reservation must be accompanied by a signed Registration Form. Returned checks will incur a \$50.00 service fee. If there is a returned check, then we will only accept certified checks thereafter.

In case of computer or human billing error, we reserve the right to re-invoice participants with corrected billing.

Transfers: Two (2) group transfers to and from Milwaukee airport (MKE) are included. Only participants whose flights arrive into MKE before 2:00 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 2, 2022 and depart MKE no earlier than 10:00 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 9, 2022 will be included in the group transfers. It is the responsibility of participant to notify ITVP of any flight delays. If the participant's flight is delayed and this delay causes the participant to miss the scheduled group transfer, the cost and arrangement of transfer from the airport to the hotel or location of the tour bus becomes the participant's responsibility.

Individual transfers to and from the airport are not included in this package. Although ITVP can book an individual transfer to the airport upon request, the participant is financially responsible for that transfer.

Flight Schedule: Land Package participants are responsible for purchasing their own tickets to arrive into Milwaukee General Mitchell International Airport (MKE) on Friday, September 2, before 2:00 p.m.

only after they receive written notification from our office that this pilgrimage will travel due to meeting the minimum number of participants required to travel. Land Package participants should schedule their departure from Milwaukee (MKE) for Saturday, September 9, 2022 after 10:00 a.m. Should a participant encounter a flight delay/cancellation, it is the participant's responsibility to notify ITVP.

Insurance: Travel insurance is not included in the Land Package; however, we strongly recommend that you purchase it.

Travel Documents: All travel documents are the responsibility of the participant. A valid passport is required for travel to the United States and must remain valid for at least 6 months after your departure date from the United States. For passport holders from countries other than the United States, you are responsible for determining the required travel documents. ITVP will not be responsible for any delays, damages and/or losses, including missed portions of the pilgrimage, due to improper travel documentation. Cancellations due to lack of appropriate documents will incur the usual penalties.

U.S. State Department & Other Agencies: From time to time the U.S. State Department (www.state.gov) and the Center for Disease Control (www.cdc.gov) and other government agencies and departments issue travel advisories or warnings for one or more of the destinations that you may be visiting on pilgrimage. We encourage you to contact these agencies directly to obtain the most current information. ITVP cannot change the cancellation terms or conditions based on the issuance of any such warning or advisory or the occurrence of any terror, problems or ill health, or other incident in one or more of the places this pilgrimage is scheduled to visit. All cancellation penalties must remain in full force and effect as outlined on this form. Travel insurance may or may not cover these possible causes for cancellations.

Photography: Agents of ITVP may take photographs or videos of its pilgrimages and pilgrimage participants. Participants grant ITVP permission to do so and allow ITVP to use such photos and videos for promotional or commercial use without payment of any fees or royalties. These photos will be available on our photo website InsideTheVaticanPhotos.com following the pilgrimage. A code is required to download these photos from Inside the Vatican's photo gallery. The code will be provided after the pilgrimage.

Private Rooms and Single Supplement: A limited number of single rooms are available at the single supplement rate. If the allotted number of single rooms is booked, any additional single rooms that we may be able to book, if available, incur a fee in addition to the Single Supplement fee.

Cancellations and Refunds: Cancellations must be received in writing in order for any refunds to be issued, and will be processed according to the date the written notice is received. Although a verbal cancellation is also appreciated, it will not be accepted as official notice. Please mail the cancellation notice to **14 W Main St. Front Royal VA 22630**. In the event of cancellation, monies will be refunded minus the cancellation fee. The cancellation fee will be calculated as follows:

- 60 days or more prior to departure: \$500.00 per participant deposit
- 59 to 30 days prior to departure: \$500 per participant deposit and 50% of total cost*
- 29 days or less prior to departure: 100% of total cost* (no refund)

* Cost includes: Land Package and single supplement, if applicable.

If you purchase travel insurance, it may cover the amount remaining after refund, depending on the circumstances of the cancellation and the conditions of the policy. Check with your travel insurance provider, if applicable.

Tour/Pilgrimage Cancellation by ITVP: On rare occasions a pilgrimage may have to be canceled due to lack of participation.

In such a case, ITVP's sole responsibility is to provide a full refund. ITVP is not responsible and does not assume responsibility for any additional costs or any fees relating to the issuance and/or cancellation of air tickets or other arrangements not made through ITVP.

Cancellations due to state advisories and/or state warnings, acts of war, terrorism, acts of God, natural disaster or any other circumstance outside the control of ITVP, are not the fault of ITVP. Great effort will be made to accommodate transfers to another pilgrimage or to revise the itinerary; however, cancellation for any of these reasons will not be eligible for a refund.

Room Service and Other Extraneous Charges: Room Service and extraneous charges not expressly listed as part of the Pilgrimage Package are not included. Should a participant request room service, or any other extraneous charge, including, but not limited to, mini bar, laundry services, internet charges or pay-per-view, the participant will be financially responsible for those charges to be paid at the time of check-out. If these charges are not paid at check-out, ITVP will bill the participant accordingly. Payment due upon receipt. Any unpaid bills will bear interest at 1.5% monthly (18% annually).

Luggage: Baggage is at owner's risk throughout the tour.

Airfare: No airfare is included in the cost of the Land Package. To obtain assistance purchasing airfare, please contact our office.

Gratuities: Gratuities are not included.

Health Requirements: This pilgrimage requires significant walking. Any medical conditions or special equipment needs must be listed on the registration form. ITVP is not responsible for any medical condition that occurs prior to, during or after the pilgrimage.

Final Package: A final package containing documents, applicable airline ticket information, local contact information, a pilgrim book, and travel tips will be mailed to each participant approximately one (1) to two (2) weeks prior to departure. Upon receipt of your documents, you are responsible to check your itinerary, spelling of your name, dates, times and other important information to ensure their validity. Should your final documents have any errors, it is the participant's responsibility to contact ITVP immediately. Documents, including tickets, are not guaranteed if final payment and booking forms are not received by the deadline.

Unused Services: There will be no refund for any unused portions of the pilgrimage. Refunds will not be made to participants who miss any part of the pilgrimage for any cause whatsoever.

Itinerary: Although ITVP and its agents and representatives will make every effort to adhere to the printed program and itinerary, on rare occasions it may be necessary to adjust arrangements due to unforeseen circumstances beyond our control (including, but not limited to, such circumstances as weather, acts of God, airline schedule change, hotel requisitions, political disturbances, or transportation mechanical problems).

Should such adjustments be necessary, substitutions will be made to the best of our abilities. A refund will not be given. Any additional costs necessitated by such changes are the full responsibility of the participant. We do not guarantee preferred seating at events.

Printing Disclaimer: ITVP is not responsible for typographical or printing errors including errors in trip cost. We reserve the right to re-invoice or correct billing at any time.

Registration Form



DISCOVERING MARY IN THE HEARTLAND PILGRIMAGE IN WISCONSIN, USA | SEPT 2 - 9, 2022

PRICING TERMS: Price stated is as of April 2022 and could change due to fluctuation in currency exchange rates or failure to have a minimum of 15 pilgrims. If the price increases, an invoice will be issued before the final payment is due, which is 60 days prior to departure. Payment of the initial deposit for this pilgrimage indicates you have accepted these pricing terms and all terms specified in the Terms and Conditions.

Name as it appears on your passport:
(Enclose a copy of the picture page of your passport with this form.)

Name you prefer _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Country _____

Home Number () _____ Office () _____

Cell () _____ Will you be traveling with this cell phone? _____

Email _____

Passport Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Date and Place of birth: _____

Emergency Contact _____ Relationship _____

Contact Numbers _____

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Double Occupancy: Two Beds One Bed

Name of Roommate _____

Single Occupancy:

I would like a single room. I must pay the \$400.00 Single Supplement fee.
The Single Supplement fee is due with the final payment.

I would like a roommate; please put me in touch with other pilgrims who would like a roommate. If a roommate cannot be found, I must pay the \$400.00 Single Supplement fee.

PAYMENTS:

Check(s) payable to: **Inside the Vatican** Credit Card: Visa or Mastercard

Booked Online (circle one)

Name as it appears on Card _____ Amount \$ _____

Card Number: _____

Security code (back of card) _____ Expiration _____

Card Billing Address _____

I have received, read and agree to the Terms and Conditions for Discovering Mary in the Heartland Pilgrimage in Wisconsin, USA | Sept 2 - 9, 2022, as well as the Pricing Terms, Payment Terms, and the "Release" outlined on the right side of this form. I also agree that Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages cannot be held liable for any injury or loss sustained during the pilgrimage. I agree to the cancellation terms and penalties.

Signature _____

Date _____

Print Name _____

Witness (a non-family member) Signature _____

Witness (print name) _____

PRICE

\$2,999 Land Package

-\$250 Book by May 13, 2022

Total: \$2,749.00 (Land)

Release: Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages, Inside the Vatican, Inc., its employees, shareholders, officers and directors (collectively "ITVP") does not own or operate any entity which is to or does provide goods or services for your trip/pilgrimage, including, for example, lodging facilities, transportation companies, local ground operators, including, without limitation, various entities, which may utilize the ITVP name, guides, sightseeing companies, entertainment, food or drink service providers, equipment suppliers, etc. As a result, ITVP is not responsible for any negligent or willful act or failure to act of any person or entity it does not own or control. Without limitations ITVP is not liable for any direct, indirect, consequential, or incidental damage, injury, death, loss, accident, delay, inconvenience or irregularity of any kind which may be occasioned by reason of any act or omission beyond its control, including, without limitation any willfully or negligent act, failure to act, breach of contract or violation of local law or regulation of any third party such as a cruise line, airline, train, hotel, bus, taxi, van, local ground handler or guide, whether or not it uses the ITVP name, financial default or insolvency of any supplier which is to, or does supply any goods or services for this trip. Similarly, ITVP is not responsible for any loss, injury, death or inconvenience due to delay or changes in schedule, overbooking of accommodation, default or any third party, attacks or bites by animals, insects or pests, injury or death while on activities sponsored by lodging facilities or by other third parties, sickness, the lack of appropriate medical care, evacuation to same, if necessary, weather, strikes, acts of God or government, acts of terrorism, or the threat thereof, force majeure, war, quarantine, epidemics, or the threat thereof, criminal activity or any other cause beyond its control. Participant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless ITVP and its employees, owners, officers, directors, shareholders and agents from any and all claims, damages, losses, or actions resulting from or arising out of the Inside the Vatican Pilgrimage.

Should Dr. Robert Moynihan or Deborah Tomlinson be unable to participate in this event, reasonable efforts will be made to secure a substitute. Regardless of the participation of Dr. Robert Moynihan or Deborah Tomlinson, the tour will proceed as scheduled on the dates listed. By signing this form to participate on this trip, you agree that the terms of the cancellation penalty will be binding upon you regardless of whether Dr. Robert Moynihan or Deborah Tomlinson is able to participate. ITVP is not responsible for any loss incurred by participant including lost days of the scheduled cruise/tour, due to a canceled flight or other means and modes of transportation. We will have daily Mass and strive to be in places as indicated. However, sometimes this is not possible as the site may not be available for Mass or itinerary changes are forced upon us. In this case, an alternative site for Mass will be arranged, if possible.

ALL THAT APPLY Do You Use: walker cane

Dietary Restrictions

Physical Limitations: (Please check all that apply)

difficulty walking long distances

difficulty standing difficulty climbing stairs

medical conditions other none

Please Explain:

For more information or to reserve your spot, contact our US Office at +1.202.536.4555 or email us at Pilgrimages@InsideTheVatican.com. Revised: December 2021

Instructions



Dear Sir or Madame,

Thank you for taking the time to read about the **Discovering Mary in the Heartland: Wisconsin, USA** pilgrimage being offered by Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages.

To reserve your space on this pilgrimage, contact us as soon as possible, either by email at Pilgrimages@InsideTheVatican.com or by phone at +1.202.536.4555 extension 3. Space is limited. We will hold your space for seven (7) days until we receive your registration information and payment.

IMPORTANT NOTE: *PLEASE DO NOT BOOK YOUR FLIGHT UNTIL YOU RECEIVE WRITTEN NOTIFICATION FROM OUR OFFICE THAT THIS PILGRIMAGE HAS MET THE MINIMUM REQUIRED NUMBER OF 15 PILGRIMS TO OPERATE THE PILGRIMAGE. *****

When booking your flight to Milwaukee Airport, we recommend that you arrive on **Friday, September 2** before 2:00 pm. We will transport you to the Schoenstatt Retreat Center, a half hour drive from the airport. For your return home, you need to book your return for **Friday, September 9**, after 10:00 am.

Once you have booked your airline reservation, please forward a copy of the flight information to our office via email or U.S. mail. If you need assistance with your airline flight arrangements, just let us know and we will be happy to assist you. Again, do not purchase your independent airline tickets until you receive a written notification from our office that the minimum number of pilgrims has been met and this pilgrimage is a go.

Should you have any questions about the pilgrimage, please feel free to call us directly at +1.202.536.4555, extension 3. If you would like to reserve your space after business hours, simply send us an email or leave us a phone message and we will respond to you on the next business day.

Please let us know how we can assist you in joining this pilgrimage!

Gwyneth Owen
Pilgrimage Coordinator | Inside the Vatican Pilgrimages

To join us:



1. REGISTER:

BY PHONE - Call our U.S. Office at +1.202.536.4555

ONLINE - Go to our website at InsideTheVaticanPilgrimages.com

- Select Discovering Mary in the Heartland 2022
- And click the "Book Now" button

BY MAIL - print out the Terms and Conditions and the Registration Form

- Initial the Terms and Conditions
- Fill out the Registration Form
- Mail to the address below



2. EVERGREEN DEPOSIT:

A non-refundable Evergreen Deposit of \$500.00 per pilgrim is due at the time of booking. An Evergreen Deposit will not expire and can be transferred to another pilgrimage even if you choose to cancel, regardless of the reason. This Evergreen Deposit is transferable to another person. The transfer of the deposit must be communicated in writing. Please make checks payable to Inside the Vatican. If you prefer to wire funds, please contact our office.



3. QUESTIONS:

If you have any questions, please contact our U.S. Office at +1.202.536.4555



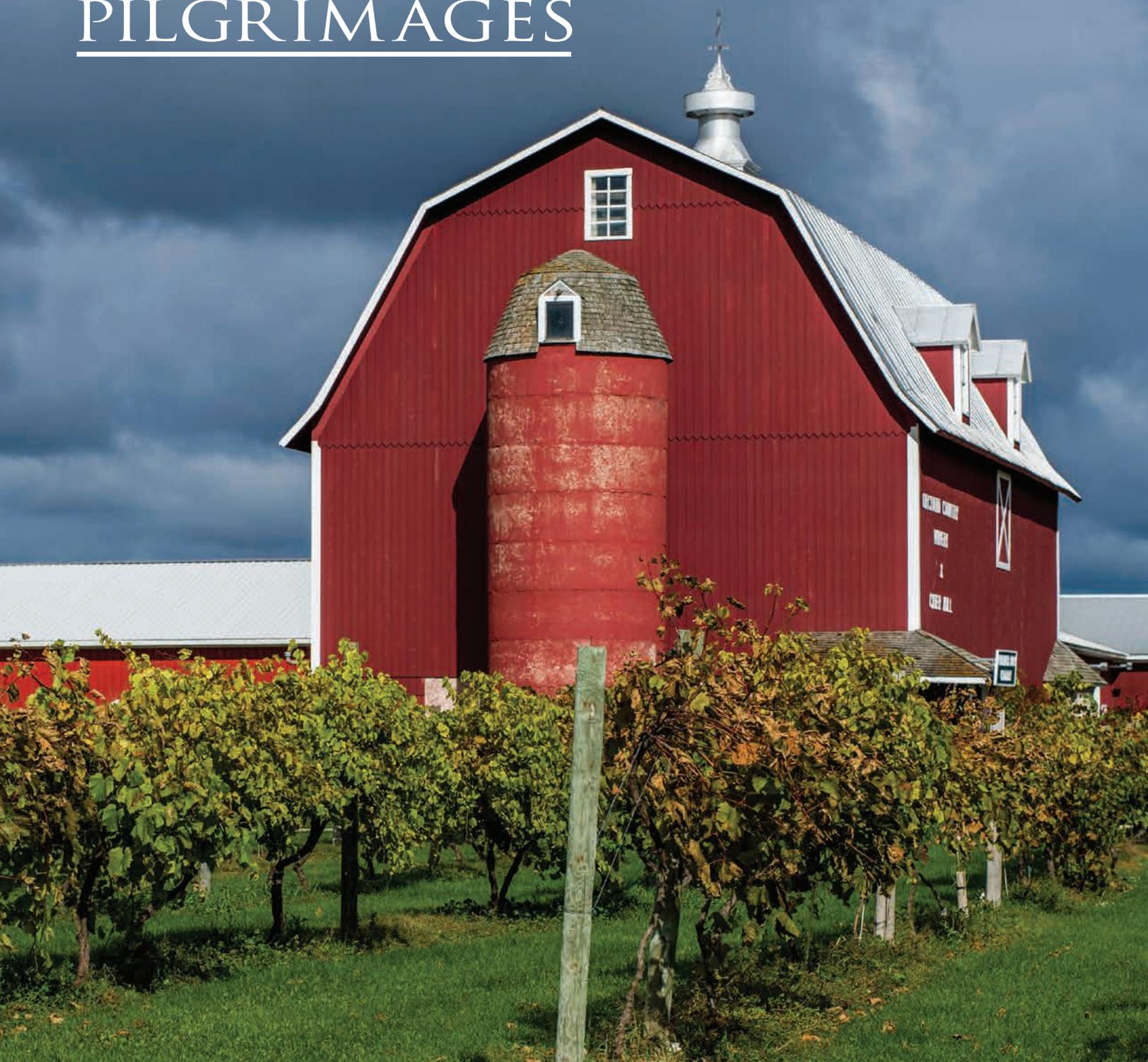
4. EARLY BOOKING DISCOUNT:

To take advantage of the Early Booking Discount of \$250.00, please complete all steps outlined herein to confirm your booking by May 13, 2022.

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“Jesus spoke to them again, saying, “I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.” John 8:12