

Pilgrimage to **Austria, Germany & Switzerland**

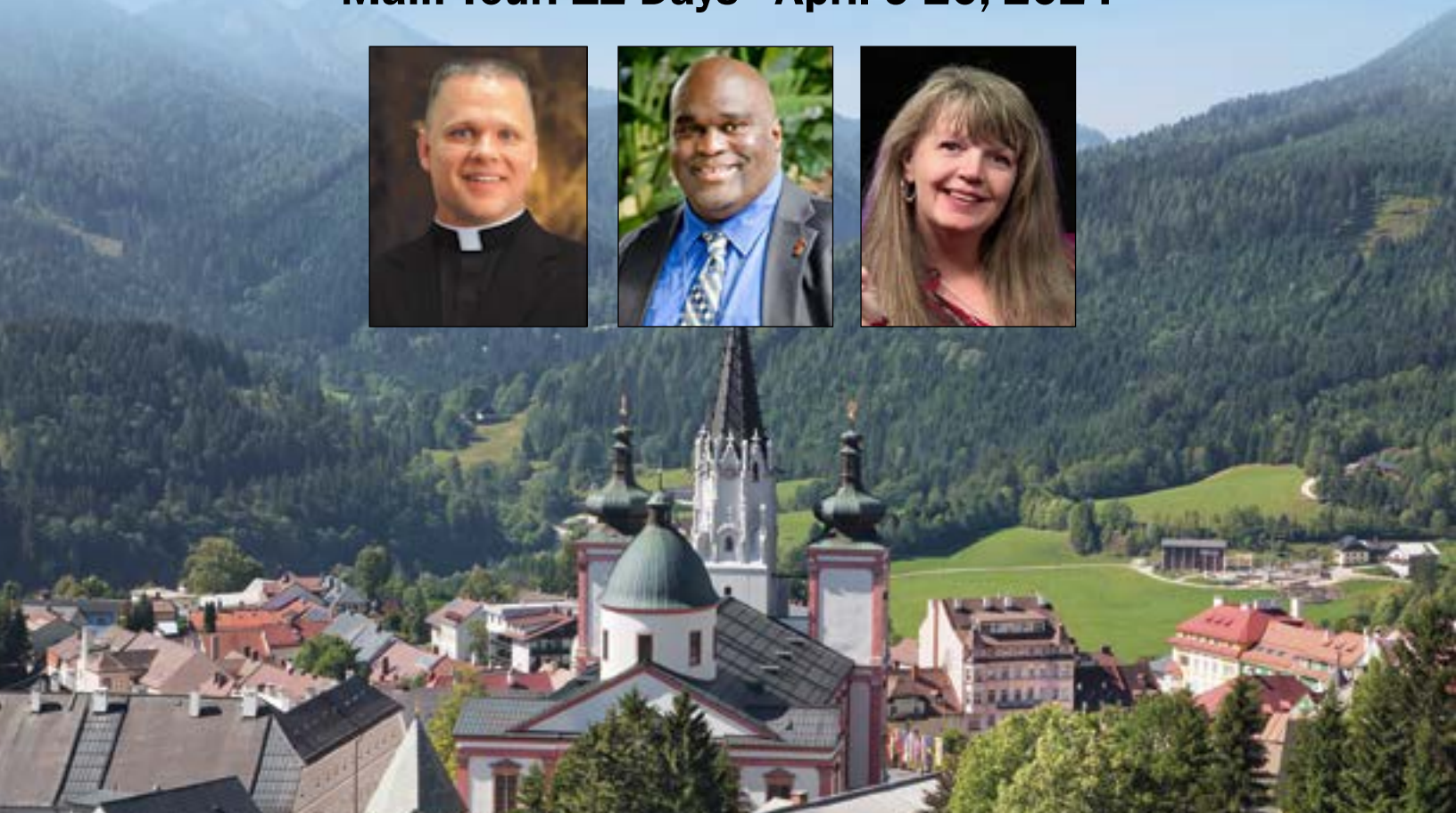
Plus a pre-tour to Poland

including Vienna, Salzburg, Munich, Einsiedeln, and Lucerne

***with Fr. Chris Alar, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers,
and Ellen Holmes Steeves-LeBlanc***

Pre-Tour to Poland: April 6-10, 2024

Main Tour: 12 Days - April 9-20, 2024



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WHAT'S THE COST?

Land Only

\$4,695.00

Group Air from NYC*

\$800.00

Total Trip Cost

\$5,495.00

Solo Traveler

(Additional Cost)

\$995.00

Pre-Tour to Poland

\$1,196.00

Pre-Tour Solo Traveler

(Additional Cost)

\$295.00

Prices are per person

*Group Air Price based on a minimum
of 10 passengers

Prices are valid only if the deposit is
received no later than December 1, 2023

Final payment due January 31, 2024

Trip Code: 24MI04ATEH



This active program

requires walking ten

to twelve thousand steps

daily, often on uneven

surfaces, cobblestones,

and some stairs.

DAILY ITINERARY

PRE-TOUR TO POLAND

✚ April 6, Saturday, DAY 1: DEPART U.S.A.

We depart on an overnight flight to Warsaw. Dinner and breakfast will be served on the plane.

✚ April 7, Sunday, DAY 2: DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY IN DIVINE MERCY SHRINE – HAVE NO FEAR CENTER – WELCOME TO POLAND

We are met by our tour director and transferred to the Divine Mercy Shrine. We start with the Divine Mercy Shrine, see St. Faustina's convent chapel and her tomb. Here, the message of the Divine Mercy originated, which Christ himself wished to pass on to our generation through the mediation of St. Faustina. The Sanctuary houses the grace-working image of the Merciful Jesus and the relics of St. Faustina. We celebrate Mass on Divine Mercy Sunday at the Shrine. Time permitting we visit the newly constructed Shrine of Divinity dedicated by Pope St. John Paul II on his last visit to Poland in 2002. We have free time for lunch and shopping before returning to Krakow. The afternoon is at our leisure for shopping in the city center. Dinner and overnight in Krakow. Dinner at the hotel with an overnight stay in Krakow. (D)

✚ April 8, Monday, DAY 3: KRAKOW – CZĘSTOCHOWA – AUSCHWITZ – KRAKOW

After breakfast we depart for a visit of the Jasna Gora Monastery, where we see the Treasury, the Knight's Hall, the Refectory, the Basilica of the Holy Cross, and the Nativity of the Virgin Mary. The highlight of our visit will be a viewing of the famous icon of the Black Madonna, to which miraculous powers are attributed. After free lunch, we continue to Auschwitz. This afternoon, we visit a Nazi concentration camp where St. Teresa Benedicta (Edith Stein) faced martyrdom. St. Maximilian Kolbe died in the Death Block from starvation after volunteering his life for that of a fellow prisoner. We depart to Krakow for check into our hotel. Dinner and overnight. (B, D)

✚ April 9, Tuesday, DAY 4: WADOWICE – KRAKOW

After breakfast we depart to Wadowice, the hometown of Pope St. John Paul II, and visit his childhood home, which is now a museum. We visit the Church of the Presentation of the Virgin Mary, where he was baptized. Lunch is on our own. After we continue to Krakow and to Wawel Hill to see Wawel Royal Castle (exterior view) and visit the Wawel Cathedral, one of the most beautiful Renaissance residences in central Europe. Old Town to see the main Market Square, St. Mary's Church, Cloth Hall, and City Hall Tower. Dinner is on our own tonight for an opportunity to taste local food. Overnight in Krakow. (B)

✚ April 10, Wednesday, DAY 5: KRAKOW – VIENNA

After breakfast we are transferred to Vienna to meet up with the rest of our pilgrimage group. Lunch stop will be planned but lunch is not included. (B) Follow the main itinerary starting with April 10- Day 2.

MAIN TOUR

✚ April 9, Tuesday, Day 1: DEPARTS NEWARK OR JFK FOR AUSTRIA

We depart the USA on an overnight flight to Vienna. Dinner and breakfast will be served on the plane. Add-on flights are available upon request from most US cities.

✚ April 10, Wednesday, Day 2: ARRIVE VIENNA

We arrive in Vienna and are greeted by our English-speaking tour manager, who will be with us the entire time. We are transferred to the city center for a panoramic tour of the Imperial City followed by a walking tour which includes the Imperial Palaces and St. Stephen Cathedral. Mass will be celebrated. Dinner and overnight in Vienna. (D)

✚ April 11, Thursday, Day 3: VIENNA: MELK MONASTERY

This morning, we enjoy a cruise through the Wachau wine region of the Danube River to the picturesque Melk Monastery, where we disembark to visit the Monastery and celebrate Mass. (TBC) We return to Vienna for an afternoon at leisure, with an opportunity to visit one of the city's many museums or the Imperial Palace of Schonbrunn. Tonight we visit Grinzing wine village, for dinner. Overnight Vienna. (B, Special dinner)

✚ April 12, Friday, Day 4: MARIAZELL SHRINE

Today we have a full-day excursion to the main Marian Shrine of Mariazell, where we celebrate Mass. The Shrine is the most important pilgrimage destination in Austria and one of the most visited in Europe known for the miraculous image of Our Lady. The miraculous image receives an elaborately designed merciful dress every year. The more than 150 dresses can be viewed

in the treasury or carefully conserved. Many clothes were donated as offerings of gratitude to Our Lady. The design of a mercy dress is still considered a great honor today. Dinner and overnight in Vienna. (B. D)

✚ April 13, Saturday, Day 5: MARIA PLAIN – SALZBURG

Depart Vienna for a visit to the beautiful Shrine of Maria Plain, where we celebrate Mass. We visit Salzburg for a short walking city tour and to visit the basilica. We also visit the church where Maria and the Baron from the famous Sound of Music film were married. Dinner and overnight in the Salzburg area. (B. D)

✚ April 14, Sunday, Day 6: SALZBURG – ALTÖTTING

Following breakfast, we depart for Germany and the pilgrimage site of Altötting. We visit the Main Marian Shrine in Germany and celebrate Mass at The Shrine of Our Lady of Altötting, also known as the Chapel of Grace, where the Black Madonna statue is housed. This chapel is the oldest Marian Shrine in Germany, dating back to 660 A.D. We will spend our day touring the town of Altötting, frequently referred to as the “German Lourdes,” since the miracles of the Black Madonna statue draw many Marian Pilgrims from around the world. We also will visit the St. Conrad Monastery and the resting place of St. Conrad Parzham, the doorkeeper for the Capuchin friars in the 1800s. Following lunch, we depart for Munich. Overnight in Munich. (B. D)

✚ April 15, Monday, Day 7: FREISING – MUNICH

This morning we visit Freising, where Pope Benedict and his brother Georg Ratzinger were ordained on June 29, 1951. Mass will be celebrated. We arrive in Munich in the afternoon and settle into our hotel. We will enjoy a typical German dinner with local food and music at the Chinesischer Turm Beer Garden tonight. Dinner and overnight in Munich. (B. Special dinner)

✚ April 16, Tuesday, Day 8: MUNICH – DACHAU

Our walking tour of Munich includes Frauenkirche (Church of Our Lady), the symbol of Munich with its towering twin onion-domed steeples. We also see Asamkirche, the most famous church in Munich, and the Marienplatz with its whimsical clock. We also visit the Citizen’s Hall Church, which houses the tomb of Blessed Rupert Mayer, a Jesuit who preached against Nazis and was executed in 1945. This holy man was an inspiration to and a special patron of the Ratzinger family, and they kept a copy of his portrait in their house. In the afternoon, we visit the concentration camp of Dachau, where Nazis committed atrocities and killed thousands of people, including many Catholic priests. Mass will be celebrated at Dachau. Tonight, dinner is at leisure to explore Munich on your own. Overnight in Munich. (B)

✚ April 17, Wednesday, Day 9: ST. GALLEN – LUCERNE

After breakfast, which is included each morning, we board the motorcoach to drive to Switzerland. Our scenic drive takes us along the beautiful Lake Constance to St. Gallen. We are arriving around lunch to taste the renowned St. Gallen sausages. We will visit the famous Abbey of St. Gall and its incredible library in the afternoon. The entire abbey precinct was declared a World Heritage Site in 1983. Mass will be celebrated. Dinner and overnight in Lucerne. (B.D)

✚ April 18, Thursday, Day 10: EINSIEDELN – LUCERNE

Today, we travel to Einsiedeln Marian Shrine. We explore the magnificent Monastery with its elaborately decorated pastel ceilings, marble side altars, and a large high altar. The most important part of the Basilica is the Lady Chapel, which is reminiscent of Christ’s tomb in Jerusalem’s Church of the Holy Sepulcher. Above the chapel’s altar is the Black Madonna, resplendent in rich robes and surrounded by gold clouds. We visit the Monastery and celebrate Mass. A short walk from the Abbey is the world’s largest nativity scene, the Diorama Bethlehem, with more than 500 carved wooden figures. The Panorama, a circular painting more than 300 feet long and 30 feet high, depicting Jerusalem and the Crucifixion, is a sight to behold. We have time to explore and shop in the little town before we return to our hotel near Lucerne. In the evening, we sit at a rustic table for dinner of cheese fondue, sizzling Bratwurst, and crisp Roesti potatoes. Overnight in Lucerne. (B. Special dinner)

✚ April 19, Friday, Day 11: OUR LADY OF THE ROCK

Today we travel to Orselina, located on the border between Italy and Switzerland, to see the pilgrimage church of Our Lady of the Rock (Madonna del Sasso), which can be reached only by foot (about a 30-minute hike to the top of the mountain walk) or by a funicular in Locarno. We visit the Shrine and celebrate Mass before returning to our hotel for an overnight. (B. D)

✚ April 20, Saturday, Day 12: DEPART TO THE USA

Early this morning, we are transferred to Zurich Airport for our flight home. (B)

YOUR COMPREHENSIVE TOUR INCLUDES

- Round trip airfare Newark and JFK to Vienna x Zurich to Newark and JFK
- Airport Taxes and fuel surcharges (Subject to change at the time of final payment)
- Accommodation in four-star hotels for 10 nights
- Breakfast daily
- Five hotel dinners
- Three special dinners with beverages (up to two glasses of wine or beer)
- Air-conditioned deluxe motor coach
- English speaking guide
- All Entrance fees are as per the itinerary.
- Select International Tours Travel Portfolio
- Daily Private Mass
- We recommend you consider purchasing CFAR Travel Protection

RATES DO NOT INCLUDE

- Personal expenses
- Medical insurance
- Anything not mentioned in the above inclusions
- Beverages at meals unless otherwise noted
- Church donations
- Tips for the guide, driver, baggage handling, and restaurants

BAGGAGE CHARGES NOT INCLUDED

IN TRIP COST:

- Any airline baggage charges
- Baggage handling at train stations, airports, and hotels in excess of one suitcase per person
- Any charges incurred due to excessive luggage including the cost of an additional baggage vehicle or portage charges

Enroll online to guarantee your spot

immediately. You can manage your trip,

see your documents and itinerary, and view

or pay your invoice, from any computer or

mobile device.



Important information regarding your trip:

Group Air:

Select International Tours is a tour company that specializes in group travel. A group is ten or more people traveling together. For each group we negotiate and secure group air contracts with all major airlines departing from the designated airport. This enables us to keep all passengers within a group traveling together, in most cases utilizing best air rates.

Group air contracts differ from individually purchased airline tickets in many ways. When group air contracts are negotiated, we deposit a certain number of seats to hold the space and GTD the rate. Unused seats must be released at least 90 days prior to departure to avoid a \$ 100.00 per unused seat penalty.

It is important to receive your registration by the deadline stated on the flyer. Once the seats are released back to the airlines, we may be able to accommodate passengers at a different air rate or on a different airline.

Group air contracts limit types of deviations allowed and in some cases issuing tickets at individual rates may be necessary. Individual rates & reservations are not GTD until the tickets are issued. In order to issue an individual ticket we must receive full payment. Taxes and fuel costs are subject to change until the tickets are issued.

Domestic add-on tickets:

We can assist you with domestic air to connect with our international group air if you wish. Indicate on the registration form which airport you wish us to research air from. We are not responsible for fees or charges incurred in case dates change or the trip is cancelled. However, when buying a domestic add-on ticket through Select we may be able to assist in case of changes.

We will provide you with best schedule to connect with the flight (we are not able to help you with tickets that do not connect directly to the international flight) and the best price we can offer. Our information will be sent to you by e-mail. We require an acceptance within 24 hours of our offer along with full payment otherwise the rate is subject to change based on availability. We cannot quote any domestic air requests more than twice.

Business Class and Economy Plus Seats:

We are happy to assist you with business class and economy plus seats. Passengers must be registered on one of our trips to receive a quote. We will quote the available rate which is subject to change until we receive payment to purchase the seats. Usually Economy Plus Seats require the group tickets to be issued before the ability to upgrade.

Passport and Visa information:

All airlines require us to submit valid passport information including full name (first, middle and last), date of birth, gender, country, in which your passport has been issued and passport expiration date. To ensure that we can provide this information accurately, we require a photo copy of each person's passport traveling on each tour. Your passport must be valid 6 months from the trip return date. It is the passenger's responsibility to check if visas are required for the destinations visited and to obtain any necessary travel documents. Select International Tours does not provide information or assistance about passports or visa requirements.

Frequent Flyer Numbers:

Select International cannot assist if you wish to reserve air using FF miles. We can update your record with Frequent Flyer #'s only if you note the number on the registration form. Otherwise please call the airline directly.

Seat Requests & Seat Changes

Select International Tours DOES NOT provide assistance with passenger's seating preferences or specific seat requests. Due to the large number of passengers we work with, we are unable to provide this service unless the request is due to a medical issue. In this case, we will request a seat with the airline but cannot guarantee that the seat will be confirmed. Please understand that although requests are being made directly with the airline, not every request is guaranteed or granted by the airline. If you would like to have a seat number assigned, it is best to contact the airline directly upon receipt of your ticket confirmation # or change your seats at the time of check-in at the airport prior to departure.

“Land Only” (not purchasing group air with Select International Tour Package:

We understand that some passengers may wish to purchase their own air transportation. Arranging transportation on your own may give you the ability to use flight miles for your ticket, secure the seat you desire/require, or deviate from the group. We offer land only prices on all our tours.

Airport transfers are not provided for passengers purchasing land only (not purchasing air with us) if arriving or departing at any time different from the group. If you wish to enjoy the benefit of the group transfer, please be sure you are at the airport at the same time as the group. On certain itineraries airport transfers, may be very costly as the group may be traveling a far distance from the airport on the first or last day.

If the flight schedule you purchase arrives or departs at a time different from the group, it is your responsibility to join the group either at the airport or at the first hotel.

If you register for the air and land package and convert to land only, a \$ 100.00 service charge will be assessed should the change be made within 90 days of departure.

Flight cancellations or delays:

In case your flight is cancelled or delayed please work with the airline directly at the airport to be rebooked on the first available flight out. Once you know your new flight and time of arrival contact the emergency number provided in your travel documents to notify your guide of the delay. Your travel documents will contain an emergency number and the guide's phone. Any incurred costs are out of pocket and not included in the trip cost. The cost of private transfers in case of delays are not covered as part of your trip cost. You may file a claim with your Travel Protection Insurance company or with the airlines upon your return. Receipts will be required.

Single rooms:

A limited number of single rooms are available on each trip. If you wish to share a room let us know at the time of registration. We will attempt to connect you with another person looking to share. The cost of Travel Protection insurance will be adjusted to reflect the single supplement as insurance cost depends on total trip cost. Should we not be able to accommodate all single room requests and you are not able or willing to share, a complete refund will be provided.

If your roommate cancels, and the room is converted into single usage, a single supplement will be charged.

How much walking will there be on this trip?

This active program covers a good amount of ground each day. The days are busy, usually starting with a wake-up call around 7AM and departure by 9AM or earlier. We aim to be back at the hotel between 5PM and 6PM. Times may vary depending on destination and program.

Expect from three to four hours walking on some touring days. The pace is moderate, however you will encounter some uneven surfaces, stairs, steps, cobblestones, and significant slopes. Some tours require walking in the open air with no shade and no seating available.

**Scroll to the end of the
document for
registration form**



Select Protect

Travel Protection Plan

Plan Highlights

- Comprehensive coverage for trip cancellation, trip interruption, emergency medical and post-departure travel coverage up to \$100,000
- Up to \$150,000 in Emergency Evacuation and Repatriation of Remains coverage available
- 100% of Trip Cancellation coverage up to \$25,000
- 150% of Trip Interruption coverage up to \$37,500
- Optional Cancel For Any Reason
- Pre-Existing medical condition waiver available

10-Day Free Look Period

If you are not satisfied within 10 days of purchasing this plan, Trawick International will refund your premium cost if you have not departed on your trip or filed a claim.

Trip Cancellation Covered Reasons

This is a list of some covered reasons for Trip Cancellation. Please refer to the plan document for a full list.

- Sickness, Accidental Injury, or Death of You, a Family Member, Traveling Companion, or Business Partner
- Sickness, Injury, or Death of Non-Traveling Family Member
- Hijacked, Quarantined, required to serve on a jury, or subpoenaed
- Employment Terminated or Laid-Off
- Approved Military Leave Revoked or Military Re-Assignment
- Terrorist Incident
- Your Home made Uninhabitable by Natural Disaster or Burglary
- Inclement Weather Causing Complete Cessation of Air/Common Carrier Services
- Mechanical breakdown Causing Complete Cessation of Air/Common Carrier Services

Underwritten by:

Benefits listed describe all of the travel insurance benefits, underwritten by Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company. In WA coverage is underwritten by Nationwide Life Insurance Company, Columbus, Ohio and Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, Columbus, Ohio. There are certain restrictions, exclusions and limitations that apply to all services and coverages. Plan benefits, limits, and provisions may vary by state. To review full plan details online, visit www.trawickinternational.com. You will receive your State specific Plan Document which describes the benefits and limitations in detail including available 24-hour non-insurance emergency assistance services. NSM-0365AO (12/23)

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Benefits of Coverage

Benefits	Maximum Benefit Amount
Trip Coverage	
Trip Cancellation	100% of Trip Cost up to \$25,000
Trip Interruption	150% of Trip Cost up to \$37,500
Trip Delay (6 hours)	\$1,500 (\$150/day)
Missed Connection (3 hours)	\$500
Personal Items Coverage	
Baggage Coverage	\$1,500
Per item	\$250
Limited Valuables	\$500
Baggage Delay Coverage (24 hours)	\$400
Medical & Evacuation Coverage	
Emergency Accident & Sickness Medical Expense	\$100,000
Emergency Dental Expenses	\$750
Emergency Evacuation	\$150,000
Repatriation of Remains	\$25,000
Hospital Companion Transportation	\$10,000
Hospital Companion Expenses	\$200/day, 10 days maximum
Non-Medical Evacuation	\$100,000
Pre-Existing Condition Waiver	If purchased on or before Final Payment
Pre-Existing Condition lookback period	60 days
Non-insurance 24-hour standard emergency travel assistance	Included
Optional Upgrade	
	75% of Insured Trip Cost
Trip Cancellation for Any Reason (CFAR) Optional	Must be purchased within 14 days of deposit
	Must Cancel 2 days or more prior to departure date
	Not available to residents of NY or WA

Not all Benefits are available in all states, please see the Plan Document for all details.

Plan Rates

Trip Cost Bands	Base rate	Base & CFAR rate*
\$1-\$500	\$66	\$112
\$501-\$1,000	\$70	\$118
\$1,001-\$1,500	\$96	\$162
\$1,501-\$2,000	\$128	\$217
\$2,001-\$2,500	\$156	\$264
\$2,501-\$3,000	\$185	\$313
\$3,001-\$3,500	\$212	\$360
\$3,501-\$4,000	\$241	\$410
\$4,001-\$4,500	\$269	\$456
\$4,501-\$5,000	\$307	\$521
\$5,001-\$5,500	\$328	\$558
\$5,501-\$6,000	\$361	\$613
\$6,001-\$6,500	\$420	\$714
\$6,501-\$7,000	\$447	\$760
\$7,001-\$7,500	\$483	\$821
\$7,501-\$8,000	\$513	\$872
\$8,001-\$8,500	\$552	\$939
\$8,501-\$9,000	\$627	\$1,066
\$9,001-\$9,500	\$713	\$1,211
\$9,501-\$10,000	\$748	\$1,272
\$10,001-\$11,000	\$801	\$1,362
\$11,001-\$12,000	\$872	\$1,482
\$12,001-\$13,000	\$939	\$1,596
\$13,001-\$14,000	\$1,010	\$1,716
\$14,001-\$15,000	\$1,081	\$1,837
\$15,001-\$16,000	\$1,151	\$1,957
\$16,001-\$17,000	\$1,222	\$2,077
\$17,001-\$18,000	\$1,293	\$2,198
\$18,001-\$19,000	\$1,364	\$2,318
\$19,001-\$20,000	\$1,435	\$2,438
\$20,001-\$21,000	\$1,505	\$2,559
\$21,001-\$22,000	\$1,576	\$2,679
\$22,001-\$23,000	\$1,651	\$2,806
\$23,001-\$24,000	\$1,722	\$2,927
\$24,001-\$25,000	\$1,792	\$3,047

*Note: CFAR is 1.7 x the base rates.

DEPOSITS AND FINAL PAYMENT: A deposit of \$500.00 per person by check should accompany the enrollment form and a copy of your passport picture page by **December 1, 2023. Final payment is due by January 31, 2024. A late payment fee of \$100 will be charged per person for all payments received after the final payment date. Please mail your payment to: Select International Tours, 85 Park Ave., Flemington, NJ 08822 Attn: Mirela Krstic, 800-842-4842, mirela@select-intl.com.**

Your passport must be valid through October 20, 2024. Reservations will not be processed until we have passport copies. Prices quoted are based on payments by check. Prices: \$4,695.00 for land only (air not included); \$800.00 for group air from NYC area; \$5,495.00 for land and air from NYC area; \$995.00 for solo traveler, additional cost, (in room by yourself); \$1,196.00 for pre-tour to Poland; \$295.00 for pre-tour solo traveler, additional cost, (in room by yourself). For credit card prices add 4%

PILGRIMAGE PRICES: Prices are based on minimum 40 passengers. Prices may be adjusted in the event of fewer than 40 passengers, changes in currency conversion rates, or amendments in local government taxes and/or fuel surcharges. Prices are in US dollars. For European travel an exchange rate of US \$1.15 per Euro is assumed.

SOLO TRAVEL: A limited number of single rooms are available. Prices are based on two people per room. We do not guarantee roommates but will do our best to connect you with a someone willing to share.

LAND ONLY OPTION: Land only services start and end at the hotels and do not include any airfare. You are welcome to transfer from the airport with the group if you arrive at the same time, otherwise, transfers are not included.

TOUR CANCELLATION POLICY: Individual deposits are refundable except for a \$350.00 per person handling fee for cancellations made 90 days or more before departure. A \$500.00 non-refundable fee will be assessed if the reservation is canceled between 90 and 60 days prior to departure. Within 60 days of departure all payments are non-refundable regardless of reason for cancellations. All airline tickets are non-refundable once issued. All cancellations must be in writing. Unused portions of the trip are not refundable. If a roommate cancels, the cost of a solo supplement will be added to your invoice. You may be eligible for a refund through your travel protection. Refer to the U.S. Policy by State on our website.

TRIP CANCELLATION PROTECTION: We strongly encourage you to purchase a **Travel Protection Plan**, for the protection of your travel investment. Please consider purchasing this plan at the time of initial deposit in order to be covered for pre-existing conditions.

Visit portal.trawickinternational.com/affiliate/home/18184 or call 888-681-6272 for details and costs for the Select International Travel Protection Plan with optional Cancel for any reason (CFAR). Please note that CFAR is not available in NY State. The plans contain insurance benefits underwritten by the United States Fire Insurance Company. The plans also contain non-insurance Travel Assistance Services that are provided by an independent organization.

AIRLINE, SEATING AND SPECIAL REQUESTS: To best accommodate our pilgrims, we often utilize Group Air Reservations. These allow more predictable

transfer and tour schedules. However, when booking Group Air, the airline (not Select International Tours) controls seating assignments. If you require very specific seats, we suggest that you book your own airfare and take advantage of our "Land Only" options. You may communicate directly with the airline to request seating changes, provide mileage program information, or change passenger contact information once you receive ticket numbers—approximately three (3) weeks prior to departure. We work with instant purchase airline tickets and or group rates. If you switch from air and land to land only within 90 days from departure you will be charged a \$100 service fee in addition to any airline charges. All special needs and requests due to medical or dietary restrictions must be requested in writing at least 60 days prior to departure. Business class and Premium Coach seats are available upon written request; as are add-ons from your hometown airport. If you require very specific airlines or schedules, we suggest that you book your own airfare and take advantage of our "Land Only" options.

WALKING: Our trips require daily walking, sometimes up or down slopes, steps, and uneven terrain. We recommend preparing oneself, by walking before the trip. Anyone needing assistance is required to be accompanied by a qualified and physically-able travel companion. We are not responsible for any medical condition that occurs prior, during or after the trip.

SAFETY PROCEDURES: Select International Tours has undertaken a reasonable inquiry, with all the suppliers (including airlines, hotels, bus companies and other service providers) used on our trips to ensure they have instigated the best available procedures regarding the pandemic- protective policies advised by local government and health authorities. The client understands and agrees that the supplier(s) may not apply those policies as diligently as the policies suggest. In addition even if the supplier makes a good faith effort to enforce its good practices, some travelers may simply refuse to cooperate. Therefore the client agrees not to hold Select International Tours or group leaders responsible should they or anyone on the trip contract COVID-19 or any other illness during or after the trip

RESPONSIBILITY: By accepting this confirmation, you agree that the Group Leaders and Select International Tours, Inc. have no responsibility for any acts or omission of the travel suppliers in your itinerary and during your trip. We have no special knowledge regarding the financial conditions of the suppliers, unsafe travel conditions, health hazards, or weather hazards at locations traveled. We are not responsible for flight delays or cancellations or any charges incurred due to unforeseen circumstances. Unused portions of the trip are non-refundable. For information about destination climate, risks, and safety please consult the appropriate on-line resources. For health information consult the Center for Disease Control and Prevention. You are responsible for checking passport, visa, vaccination, or other entry requirements of your destinations. Itineraries are subject to change. We are not responsible for any damaged, lost, or stolen articles. We are not responsible for any sickness, injury, or death during or after the trip. Travel documents will be mailed out approximately three (3) weeks before departure. Please review them carefully for any errors.

SHIPPING & HANDLING: \$15.00—not included in package price—will be added to each invoice. Your invoice will confirm the trip registration.

Pilgrimage to Austria, Germany, and Switzerland plus a pre-tour to Poland with Fr. Chris Alar, Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers, and Ellen Holmes Steeves-LeBlanc

Trip Code: 24MI04ATEH

Main Tour: April 9-20, 2024 Pre-Tour to Poland: April 6-10, 2024

THE BENEFITS OF REGISTERING ONLINE FOR YOUR PILGRIMAGE:

Over the last several years, our clients have requested more control over the trip booking process, payments, and, most importantly, communication about the trips. Our response to these comments and requests had taken two years to implement, but we are happy with the results. Select has committed to a major financial and time investment in building an online reservation system that is easy to navigate using your home computer, tablet, or smartphone. We have addressed most of the requests and suggestions provided by clients. The benefits of the new system to you are a simplified registration process, the ability to access your information at your convenience, review your payment history and get trip information while easily communicating with your Account Manager and group leader.

When you register online, you will receive regular email updates about your trip and useful tips and tricks for making your international travel more comfortable and enjoyable. And best of all, you can register online even if you prefer to pay by check or wire transfer; just choose that option upon checkout.

We understand that some people are not comfortable with technology and prefer to register via mail-in paper registration, regardless of the many benefits of registering online. To make that easy, we have created a generic registration form on our website at <https://selectinternationaltours.com/register-online/>. You may download and print the form, fill it out and mail it with your check to Select International Tours. However, before you choose to register by mail, please know that we cannot communicate with people who do not register online as frequently and seamlessly. And you may miss some important communication regarding balances and trip preparation, as well as communication from your group leaders. We want you to be in charge and be comfortable with the registration process; our job is to inform you so you can choose the best system for you.

To learn how easy it is to register online, please view THIS SHORT 6-minute VIDEO that explains the process at <https://selectinternationaltours.com/register-online/>.

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