

Corporate Travel Service

Cordially Invites You On A Pilgrimage to

AFFORDABLE ITALY

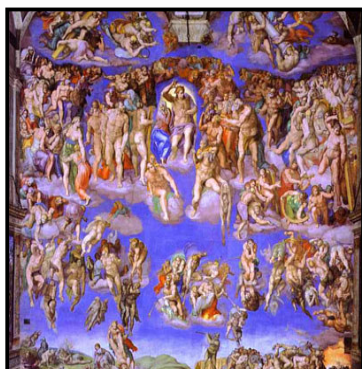
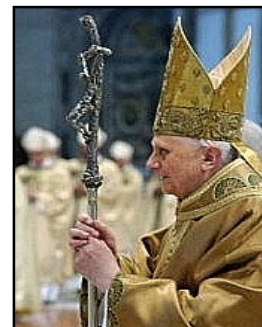
Rome - Siena - Assisi



Your 8 Day Pilgrimage Includes:

November 12 - 19, 2009

- Round trip air transportation via scheduled airline, New York / Rome / New York
- Three (3) nights accommodations at Religious House in Assisi
- Three (3) nights accommodations at Religious House in Rome
- Daily continental breakfasts
- Two (2) Dinners, including a Welcome and Farewell dinner
- Arrangements for daily celebration of Mass and attendance at public Papal Audience (subject to The Holy Father's final schedule)
- Italian Tour Escort while in Italy
- Deluxe coach for airport transfers in Italy and for specified sightseeing
- Sightseeing per the attached itinerary
- Hotel taxes and portorage for 1 piece of luggage



Sistine Chapel



St. Francis of Assisi



Vittorio Emmanuel Monument

Rome Itinerary*

Day 1 Overnight flight to Italy

Overnight flight on scheduled air to Rome. Air departure is from New York (JFK or EWR) to be announced about 60 days prior to departure.)

Day 2 Arrive Rome/Assisi (D)

Arrive Rome and meet your Italian tour escort, transfer by private motor coach to Assisi. First stop in Assisi is St. Mary of the Angels, which is built over the small Porzincola Church where St. Francis died in 1226.

Celebrate Mass this evening at St. Francis of Assisi Basilica. Welcome Dinner hosted by your escort.

Accommodation tonight in Assisi.

Day 3 Assisi (CB)

Start the day with Mass at Eremo delle Carceri, a monastery situated on the face of Monte Subasio where St. Francis and his followers established their first home. One of the most beautiful vistas of the Umbrian countryside may be viewed from a prized vantage point in the monastery. Afterward, a guided visit to San Damiano. Stop at Domus Laetitiae for a guided tour of the fields of Pian d'Arca, where, according to legend, St. Francis delivered his sermon to the birds. After lunch on your own, take a guided tour St. Francis Basilica, then St. Clare to see the cross that spoke to St. Francis and led him to a life of piety. Accommodation tonight in Assisi.

Day 4 Assisi/La Verna/Assisi (CB)

Take an excursion to La Verna, Italy. ***Celebrate Mass at the Shrine of the Church of the Stigmata of St. Francis.*** Count Orlando di Chiusi donated il monte della Verna in Casentino, Tuscany, to St. Francis when he met the saint in Montefeltro. Francis and his brothers visited the mountain annually for a retreat during the lent of St. Michael (August 15-29 September.) Count Orlando constructed a small chapel on the mountain dedicated to St. Mary of the Angels. Francis received the gift of the stigmata on a morning close to September 14, 1224 when, during a vision, the Crucified Seraph imprinted the wounds of the Passion upon his flesh. La Verna is also the site where Francis composed the "Praises to the Almighty" and bestowed a special blessing upon Brother Leo. St Bonaventure was inspired to write the great mystical entreaties "The Journey of the Soul to God" on this holy ground. A local Franciscan will speak about St. Francis and his time at La Verna. Precious relics of Francis may be venerated here at the shrine. A holy silence descends upon pilgrims as they kneel and pray at site of the stigmatization. Lunch (cost on your own) at the refectory is a convivial time of delicious food and wine, followed by time for reflection or a visit to the bookstore. Return to Assisi for evening at leisure; dinner on your own. Accommodation tonight in Assisi.

Day 5 Assisi/Siena/Rome (CB)

Leaving Assisi, travel to Rome via Siena. ***Celebrate Mass at the Sanctuary of Catherine.*** Afterward see the well-preserved city of Siena and visit the Piazza del Campo, the center of the city, and the Palazzo Pubblico, famous for its gothic architecture. Also visit St. Dominic Basilica and see the incorrupt head of St. Catherine. Then travel to Rome with evening arrival. Overnight in Rome.

Day 6 Christian Rome Tour & Vatican Museums/Sistine Chapel (CB)

Celebrate Mass at St. Peter's Basilica in a private chapel. After Mass, take a Christian Rome tour including St. Peter's, St. Mary Major, the Holy Steps climbed by Christ in Jerusalem: and the Basilica of the Holy Cross, where some of Christianity's most important relics, including a piece of the True Cross, thorn, and nails are housed. After lunch on your own, tour the Vatican Museum with a visit to the Sistine Chapel to view Michelangelo's famous work. Overnight Rome

Day 7 Papal Audience/Ancient Rome Tour (CB, D)

Celebrate Mass at the Church of St. Spirito in Sassia. Then, the group will attend the Papal Audience (pending the Pope's final schedule.) After lunch on your own, take a tour of Ancient Rome, the Coliseum (inside visit), Capitol Hill, the Vittorio Emmanuel Monument (wedding cake,) the Roman Forum. Tonight there will be a celebratory farewell dinner. Overnight Rome

Day 8 Return flight to USA

This morning, check out and depart for the airport for your return flight home.

Per person; double occupancy. **Price reflects an Early Booking Savings of \$100 per person for deposits received before May 1, 2009. Price reflects a \$50 discount for those paying the total cost of the tour by cash or check.** Please see TERMS & CONDITIONS for additional applicable pricing specifications. Rates based on January 2009 exchange rate. Exchange rates, taxes, tariffs and fuel surcharges are subject to increase prior to tour departure.

**Early Booking
Special:
\$1,999***

The tour does not include:

- Air taxes estimates to be \$400 per person
- Meals not specifically identified
- Gratuities payable to guides, drivers and local services personnel
- Other personal expenses

Reservation Form:

Affordable Rome

November 12 – 19, 2009

Please fill out one reservation form per person. Photo copies of form are permitted.

Name _____
(As it appears on your passport) If Under 18: Age _____ (see back)

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip Code: _____ Home Phone (____) _____

Other Phone (____) _____ Email address _____

(Roommate) _____

Passenger Legal Passport Name: _____

Date of Issue _____ Expiration Date: _____

Passport Number _____ Passport Place of Issue _____

Date & Place of Birth _____

____ I would like land only; I will be responsible for my own air and will sign a Land Only Waiver

____ I would like a roommate; please put me in touch with other passengers looking for a roommate

____ I prefer a single room and will pay an additional \$500, which is due with my balance.

Preferred Name for Name Badge _____ (Your Name)

Preferred Name for Name Badge _____ (Roommate)

Payment Schedule: Deposit \$350 to book. Additional \$1,250 due on June 15, 2009. Balance due on August 14, 2009.

Note: Price reflects a cash discount of \$50 for tours paid entirely by cash or check. Price reflects an Early Booking Savings of \$100.00 per person for deposits received before May 1, 2009.

Make check payable to Corporate Travel Service or use Credit Card. Visa or MasterCard (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 & CONDITIONS on the backside of this form and the Liability clause and payment terms outlined on this side of the form. I also understand that Corporate Travel Service highly recommends the purchase of travel insurance and that the cancellation terms and penalties cannot be waived for any reason. If I decline to purchase travel insurance, I understand that there is no monetary recourse for any flight cancellations or delays by the airlines and I agree to the cancellation terms and penalties:

Signature _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian if Under 18 _____

Liability: In making arrangements for accommodations, meals, transportation, transfers, excursions, sightseeing and other services included in the tour, Corporate Travel Service, Inc., is acting only as an agent for the following suppliers of travel services, i.e. all airlines, all hotels, all ground handlers, all transfer companies, all restaurants, all sightseeing attractions, all entertainment, all bus companies, all museums and all cruise lines and is not liable for any accident, injury, damage, loss, illicit act, delay or other irregularity which may be caused by the defect of any vehicle or the negligence or default of any company or person engaged in conveying the passenger or carrying out the arrangements of this tour. Should the group leader/priest be unable to participate in this event, every effort will be made to secure a substitute. Regardless of the group leader/priest participating, the tour will proceed as scheduled on that date. By signing this form to participate in this tour, you agree that the terms of the cancellation penalty will be binding upon you regardless of whether the group leader/priest is able to participate. Corporate Travel Service will not be responsible for any loss incurred by traveller, including lost days of the scheduled tour, due to a cancelled flight or other means and modes of transportation. Please investigate purchasing travel insurance as recommended, to cover any type of loss associated with cancelled air or other transportation.

**CANCELLATION INSURANCE IS
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED**

***For optimum insurance coverage,
purchase travel insurance within 14
days of deposit.
Call us at 313-565-8888
ext. 151 or 152.***

Corporate Travel Service, Inc.,

23420 Ford Rd., Dearborn Heights, MI 48127
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Website: www.ctscentral.net

Hours of Reservations Department:

Monday: 9:00am – 7:00pm EST
Tuesday through Friday: 9:00am – 5:00pm EST

TERMS & CONDITIONS

PAYMENT: In order to meet deposit schedules with suppliers for this tour, Corporate Travel Service asks for prompt payment on the requested dates. Please see the reservation form for the payment schedule. The advertised price is based on 44 passengers, tariffs, exchange rates, air line fuel surcharges and taxes in effect when the tour was organized and are subject to increase before tour departure. Price of the tour may have to be adjusted before final payment to reflect any increase in tariffs, fluctuation in exchange rates and/or fuel surcharges.

Corporate Travel Service accepts cash, check, money orders and Visa and MasterCard for payment. In order to qualify for the advertised price, traveler must pay entire tour (deposit and final payment) by cash or check. The discount for payment by cash or check will be made after final payments are received.

CANCELLATION POLICY: All cancellations must be received in writing. Forfeit \$100 per person for cancellation received before June 15, 2009. Forfeit \$350 for cancellations received between June 15, 2009 and August 4, 2009. Forfeit \$1,600 for cancellation received between August 4, 2009 and August 29, 2009. After August 29, 2009, no refund. **Penalties will be according to the fax or postmark date.**

STATE DEPARTMENT & OTHER AGENCIES: From time to time the State Department (www.state.gov) and the Centers 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 tour. We encourage you to contact these agencies directly to obtain the most current information. Corporate Travel Service cannot change the cancellation terms or conditions based on the issuance of any such warning or advisory or the occurrence of any terror, health or other incident in one or more of the places this tour is scheduled to visit. All cancellation penalties must remain in full force and effect as outlined on the reservation form.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: Unless otherwise notified, Corporate Travel Service will mail to you or your group leader a more detailed itinerary and General Information Sheet approximately 2 weeks or 10 days before departure.

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ROOMS: Tour prices are per person according to a room type: a "Single" room is one person in a room and a "Double" is two persons in one room. "Triple" rooms are discouraged because of cramped quarters. Triples are one double bed with two persons sharing the bed and one single bed. Triples are not always available. Single rooms are limited and are available first come-first served until the supply is exhausted.

CHECKED LUGGAGE: Checked baggage is limited to one bag per person. There can be no exceptions. For most airlines, the one checked bag is limited to **50 pounds and 62 inches** (length + width + height). If these specifications are exceeded, excess charges may be collected by the airline at the airport. Do not lock baggage you intend to check in at the airport. Please confirm these specifications when you receive your final travel documents, as they can and do change.

CARRY ON LUGGAGE: You may also bring a small carry-on bag that will fit under an airline seat and on the small parcel racks of the motor coach, which average about 8 inches high by 18 inches deep. It is best if your carry-on bag is soft sided, as the parcel racks on the motor coaches are small. Currently, travellers are allowed to transport only small amounts of liquids, gels, lotions, aerosols or similar items on their person or in their carry-on luggage. Details will be in your final travel documents.

GRATUITIES: Gratuities for your escort, driver and guides are not included. In Europe it is customary to tip the escort (3) Euros and the driver two (2) Euros per person per day. The tip for the local guides is usually about one (1) Euro for half-day tours and two (2) Euros for full day tours.

PASSPORT: A valid U.S. Passport is required of all passengers. Please apply for your passport immediately as passports are taking a long time to process. Make sure to have it in your possession at all times while on tour. **It must be valid for 6 months following the return date of the trip or boarding may be denied or entry into the destination may be forbidden. Please provide Corporate Travel Service with a copy of the inside page of your passport (showing your name and photo) at the time of reservation.** A color copy is preferred.

GROUP AIR: Due to the airlines' reduced capacity and restrictive group reservation terms, group air reservations are often difficult to coordinate. The number of connections, length of layovers, and all conditions surrounding air travel cannot be guaranteed and may change before departure. Accordingly, if you require specific air travel needs and are not flexible concerning group air travel, **you may wish to consider purchasing a Land-Only package** and secure your own preferred air arrangements. In this case, you must notify Corporate Travel Service no less than 120 days before departure, be responsible for meeting the group at a specified location and time on the tour, and sign a Corporate Travel Service Land Only Waiver. Land only passengers are responsible for arranging and the cost of transfers to and from the airport. Corporate Travel Service will not be responsible for any loss incurred by traveller due to a cancelled flight or other means of transportation. Please investigate purchasing travel insurance to cover any type of loss associated with cancelled air or other transportation.

Seat Requests: Corporate Travel Service will request specific seating, but there is no guarantee that the airline will honour our request.

DOMESTIC AIR TO NEW YORK: You are responsible for your own air arrangements to New York. You will be notified of the international gateway airport (JFK or EWR) about 60 days prior to departure. **Do not buy domestic air before hand.**

ITINERARY: The Itinerary as presented in this brochure is tentative and represents what we are planning for you, however it is subject to confirmations from many organizations. Because of changes in local schedules, we may need to alter specified events, dates and/or venues to better fit the overall plan.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS: Travellers must be medically and physically fit for this tour. This tour requires significant walking, as motor coaches are not permitted to pick up and drop off in front of major attractions. The tour is not wheelchair accessible. Should any special assistance be required, traveller agrees to bring a companion capable and willing to assist traveller.

CHILDREN UNDER 18: For a minor under the age of 18 to travel out of the United States without both parents or legal guardians, a notarised affidavit must be obtained and presented to immigration official upon departure and return to the United States. You may request a form from our office. *Children must be at least 6 years old to travel.*



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