

YOUR INVITATION!



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Deposit - \$500 (upon booking)

2nd Payment Due: FEBRUARY 9, 2025 Full Payment Due: APRIL 25, 2025

Each tour member must hold a passport that is valid until at least March 20, 2026

Application forms are available at your local Passport Office. Any required visas will be processed for US citizens only. **Non-US citizens are solely responsible for obtaining any required visas.**

Rates based on double-occupancy and currency exchange rate(s) at the date the tour was arranged. Subject to change up to 45-days prior to departure. For more information please contact Sil Gomez sil.gomez@yahoo.com

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Departing: SEPTEMBER 7, 2025 Dallas, TX (DFW)

> \$6,148.00 All Inclusive (Except Lunches)







10DAYS CULINARY PILGRIMAGE OF ITALY







DAY 1: SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 7 - BEGIN OUR Pilgrimage

Today enjoy a transatlantic flight to Milan

DAY 2: MONDAY SEPTEMBER 8 - MILAN / ARRIVAL

Arrival at Milan airport and meeting with our Englishspeaking Assistant. Transfer to the hotel for dinner and overnight

DAY 3:TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 9 - MILAN / BARDOLINO / VERONA

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. After breakfast we continue on to Verona with a stop in Bardolino, famous for the production of wine and visit to a winery with tasting (included in the price). Arrival in Verona where we'll visit (with local guide) the city of Romeo and Juliet, including Juliet's balcony and the famous Arena (external visit). Dinner and overnight in Verona.

DAY 4: WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 10 - VERONA / REGGIO EMILIA / BOLOGNA

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. On to Reggio Emilia where we'll visit the Consorzio of Parmigiano Reggiano and we will have some tasting (included in the price) of the most famous and prestigious Italian cheese in the world. On to Bologna where we'll visit the Gelato Museum





THE PILGRIM ITINERARY

Roundtrip Air Transportation from Dallas, TX (DFW)

Hotels 3*

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• Land Transportation via deluxe, private motor coach

Professional • English-Speaking Local Guides

Entrance fees to all sites on itinerary

Breakfast and Dinner Daily are included

Entrace to: Gelato Museum in Bologna, Siena Cathedral, Museum of Perugina Chocalate in Perugia

Full-Time tour escort included

Headphones for the city tours are included.

for a wonderful artisan ice cream experience. Dinner and overnight in Bologna

DAY 5: THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 11 - BOLOGNA / FLORENCE

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. In the morning we drive to Florence, where we will visit a "frantoio" (oil mill), where we will learn everything about the extra virgin olive oil production process and we will have some tasting. Then we'll explore the city during a half-day panoramic city tour (with local guide) including the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, Piazza della Signoria, Ponte Vecchio etc. (all external visits). Dinner and overnight in hotel.

DAY 6: FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 12- FLORENCE / Montepulciano / Siena

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. In the morning we head to Montepulciano. Here we will visit a vineyard and we taste the famous Tuscan wines, including Brunello. On to Siena. Dinner and overnight in Siena.

DAY 7: SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 13- SIENA / PERUGIA

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. In the morning we have a half-day city tour (with local guide) in Siena, visiting Piazza del Campo and the Cathedral. On to Perugia, where we will visit the Museum of Perugina Chocolate, with the possibility to visit the Perugina factory and to taste the famous Perugina chocolates. Dinner and overnight in Perugia.

DAY 8:SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 14 - PERUGIA / SPOLETO / ROME

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. On to Spoleto to visit another oil mill, this time in Umbria Region, to learn about the production of olive oil and to have some tasting. In the afternoon we drive to Rome. Arrival and dinner at the hotel. Panoramic city-tour by night (with local guide) passing by Navona Square, Trevi Fountain, Spanish Steps and the Pantheon. Overnight in Rome.

DAY 9: MONDAY SEPTEMBER 15 - ROME

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. Half-day city tour (with local guide) seeing Colosseum, Roman Forum, Arch of Titus and Venice Square (all external visits). In the afternoon, we will take a pasta cooking class to learn how to make delicious homemade pasta. Dinner at a local restaurant with live music. Overnight in Rome.

DAY 10: TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 16 - ROME / DEPARTURE

Buffet breakfast at the hotel. After breakfast, according to your flight departure time, transfer to the airport.

***Itinerary may be altered due to air schedule changes ***

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION VISIT: WWW.CATHOLICPILGRIMOFFICE.COM/GOMEZ2025