

DAY 8 THURSDAY 18TH NOVEMBER

The Via Maris

South on the Mediterranean coast:

Megiddo

Into the great Jezreel Valley, site of the 'Armageddon' of Revelation, and stop at Solomon's chariot city that once controlled the ancient trade route.

Mount Carmel

Up to the eastern summit overlooking the Armageddon Valley and visit the church commemorating Elijah's encounter with the prophets of Baal.

Caesarea Maritima

South by the Mediterranean to visit Herod's massive sea port and capital visited by Peter, where Paul was imprisoned and Cornelius became the first Gentile convert. See the Roman aqueduct and walk the shoreline to the huge amphitheatre.

Return Flight

On to Ben Gurion airport for the evening return flight.



Projected Flights

OUTBOUND to TEL AVIV

Flight EZY1827

Departure 12.30

Arrival 19.40

RETURN TO MANCHESTER

Flight EZY1828

Departure 20.35

Arrival 00.20

Selected Hotels

JERUSALEM

The Ritz Hotel

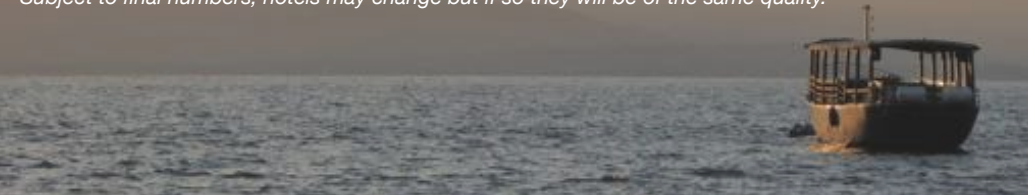
Close to the Old City with roof-top terrace

GALILEE

The Ron Beach Hotel

Lakeside setting with landscaped grounds and pool.

Subject to final numbers, hotels may change but if so they will be of the same quality.



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TOUR BROCHURE & ITINERARY

Thursday 11th - Thursday 18th
November 2021

Departure from
MANCHESTER AIRPORT



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DAY 1 THURSDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 2021

Manchester to Jerusalem

Meet at MANCHESTER airport for the direct flight to TEL AVIV in Israel.

On arrival, travel east by private coach to Jerusalem and the hotel for room allocation and the evening meal.

Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.



DAY 2 FRIDAY 12TH NOVEMBER

Bethlehem & Regions

The day part on foot and part by coach

Jerusalem Model

Start the day at the Israel Museum to view a helpful model of Jerusalem from the Gospel period, built on a scale of 1:50 with the Temple on view.

Herodium

On the edge of the desert to view Herod's Winter Palace which dwarfed Bethlehem in Gospel days and where Herod was buried.

Shepherd's Fields

Visit the slopes of Bethlehem to reflect on Ruth & Boaz, Samuel & David and the birth of Christ.

Manger Square

Into Bethlehem town to visit the Nativity Church, built over ancient cave dwellings.

Bethany

On to the eastern slopes of the Mount of Olives and village home of Mary, Martha and Lazarus to see Lazarus' tomb.

Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem.

DAY 7 WEDNESDAY 17TH NOVEMBER

Galilee Region

The best part of the day by boat and coach.

Sailing Blue Galilee

A leisurly sail across the sea from Tiberias to the northern shore associated with the life and ministry of Jesus. Sail in a wooden fishing boat of the kind that the disciples would have used, stopping the boat mid-way for a demonstration of old fishing techniques, and time for reflection.

Mount Arbel

Up to the summit of the western shores for an impressive panorama of the sea.

Magdala

Visit the fishing village of Mary Magdalene with its excavated synagogue and evidence of seaside life in antiquity.

Pre-paid lakeside St. Peter's fish lunch

Mount of Beatitudes

Ascend the Mount to the traditional location where Jesus taught the 'Sermon on the Mount'. For those who wish, there's a hillside walk down to the sea-shore.

Tabgha

By the shore where Jesus made breakfast for the disciples.

Capernaum

Call at the centre of Jesus' Galilean ministry with its 1st century Synagogue and excavated 'Peter's House'.

River Jordan

Circumnavigate the lake along the eastern shores to close the day by the river banks where baptisms often take place.

Dinner and overnight in Galilee



DAY 4 SUNDAY 14TH NOVEMBER

Jerusalem Regions

Within the Old City mainly on foot

Mount Moriah

Ascend the Temple Mount where the Jewish Temples stood and Jesus taught; see the sealed Eastern Gates and the Dome of the Rock.

Pools of Bethesda

Enter St. Stephen's Gate and see where the crippled man was healed by Jesus, with St Anne's Crusader Church commemorating that event.

Judgement Hall

Under the Ecce Homo convent, see the stone pavement and judgement hall where Pilate tried Christ.

The Way of the Cross

Follow the traditional route through the markets and bazaars to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre by the Jaffa Gate.

The Western Wall

Through the Old City Jewish Quarter with opportunity to witness Jewish prayers and traditions.

Temple Walls

At the southern walls of the Temple Mount, often visited by Jesus, see the Ancient Temple Gates, Rabbinical Teaching steps, Mikveh Baths and the location of the Pinnacle of the Temple where Jesus was tempted.

City of David

See the latest ongoing excavations in Jerusalem, including, King David's Palace, Joab's Shaft, and King Hezekiah's tunnels leading to the Pool of Siloam. For those who wish - a walk through the tunnels to the Siloam Pool.

Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem



DAY 5 MONDAY 15TH NOVEMBER

The Dead Sea Region

By coach via the Rift Valley to Galilee

A stop in the Judean Wilderness to see the Old Jerusalem to Jericho road on which Jesus based the 'Good Samaritan' story and view St. George's Monastery perched into the rocks commemorating Jesus' fast in the wilderness.

Jericho Oasis

View the 'fallen walls' or the city conquered by Josha and the town that Jesus often passed through.

Herod's Masada

Travel along the shores of the Dead Sea and scend by cable-car to the summit of this famous Mountain-top Fortress built by King Herod. View the excavations that tell of the dramatic 'Madada Story' of the Jewish Zealots' last stand against the Roman Army after the fall of Jerusalem and take in the stunning view.

The Scrolls

Call at the Caves of Qumran where the famous Dead Sea Scrolls were found by the shepherd boy in 1947.

The Dead Sea

Spend time to allow those who wish to bathe (float) in the medicinal water and relax at this unique location.

Sea of Galilee

Head north passing by Mounts Gilboa and Gilead to Galilee's shores.

Dinner and overnight in Galilee



DAY 6 TUESDAY 16TH NOVEMBER

Galilee Region

By coach in and around lower Galilee

Ascend the hills to the home town of Mary, Joseph and Jesus and call at the Church of the Annunciation, built over the original village of Gospel days.

The Nazareth Village

Spend time at this nearby authentic reconstruction of rural farming and village life as it may have been in ancient days. Enjoy a guided tour of the site and media presentation.

Mount Precipitation

To the summit just outside Nazareth with its commanding panorama of the great Jezreel valley and location of four biblical battles.

Beth Shean

Descend into the Jezreel valley and head east to the city where Saul and his sons ended their days, to view the Old & New Testament sites.

Dinner and overnight in Galilee



DAY 3 SATURDAY 13TH NOVEMBER

Jerusalem Regions

Most of the day on foot

The Upper Room

Start the day on Mount Zion and the traditional location of the 'Room of the Last Supper'

Bethphage

On to the village chapel where the Palm Sunday journey began

The Mount of Olives

Stand on the summit for the unique view of Jerusalem Old City and hear something of its great history.

Palm Sunday Path

Amble down the hillside and see the Chapel of the Teardrop, commemorating Jesus weeping over Jerusalem.

Gethsemane

Arrive at the foot of Olivet and the region where Jesus prayed and was arrested.

Caiaphas' Palace

Under St. Peter's Church - see the location where Jesus was tried and the underground cave prisons where He may have been held.

Garden Tomb

Close the day in the tranquil gardens with its 1st century rolling-stone tomb and 'Gordon's Calvary' nearby.

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