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## **14 Days** – Marian Pilgrimage and Journey with the Saints

**Aug. 24, 2026 - Sep. 06, 2026: Italy, France, & Spain**



### **Day 1 Aug. 24, 2026 (Monday) – DEPART EDMONTON (Canada):**

Afternoon departure from Edmonton to Rome FCO.

### **Day 2 Aug. 25, 2026 (Tuesday) – Rome (Italy)**

Noon arrival in Rome. Check-in hotel, refresh, then visit Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls, Basilica of St. John Lateran, and Papal Basilica of St. Mary Major. Celebrate Holy Mass in one of the Basilicas if scheduled. Overnight in Rome Hotel. D.

### **Day 3 Aug. 26, 2026 (Wednesday) – Vatican City / Rome (Italy)**

Attend **Papal Audience**, visit St. Peter's Basilica, attend scheduled Holy Mass, visit Sistine Chapel, Colosseum from outside and Trevi Fountain. Overnight in Rome hotel. B/D.

### **Day 4 Aug. 27, 2026 (Thursday) – Rome / San Giovanni Rotondo (Italy)**

Early morning hotel check-out and coach bus ride 7:00am to San Giovanni Rotondo: **The Shrine of Saint Padre Pio** (4.25 hrs drive). Have lunch, check-in hotel, then visit Sanctuary of Santa Maria delle Grazie. Explore and celebrate Holy Mass if scheduled. Overnight in SGR hotel. B/D.

### **Day 5 Aug. 28, 2026 (Friday) – San Giovanni Rotondo / Lanciano / Assisi (Italy)**

SGR hotel check-out then coach bus ride to Lanciano (1.8 hrs drive) for a short visit to the **Church of Eucharistic Miracle** and Lanciano Cathedral. Continue travel to Assisi (3.1 hrs drive) and visit St. Francis Basilica. Celebrate Holy Mass if scheduled. Check-in hotel for overnight stay. (B/D)

### **Day 6 Aug. 29, 2026 (Saturday) – Assisi / Florence (Italy)**

Assisi hotel check-out. Continue visit the Basilica di Santa Chiara and **Chiesa di Santa Maria Maggiore where St. Carlo Acutis is buried**. Around 11 am, coach bus ride to Florence (2 hrs drive). Have lunch, check-in Florence hotel, then visit Cathedral of Sta Maria del Fiore, celebrate Holy Mass if scheduled. Visit Piazza della Signoria and Ponte Vecchio. Self explore in the evening. B/D.

### **Day 7 Aug. 30, 2026 (Sunday) – Florence (Italy) / La Salette-Fallavaux (France)**

Early morning hotel check-out and bus cross border travel to La Salette-Fallavaux, France (8 hrs drive). Visit the Shrine of **Our lady of La Salette** situated in the French Alps. Celebrate Holy Mass if scheduled. Sanctuary has a hotel for pilgrims or can stay at hotels in the town of Corps (23 minutes drive). B/D.

### **Day 8 Aug. 31, 2026 (Monday) – La Salette-Fallavaux / Montpellier (France)**

Hotel check-out then continue visit and exploration the Sanctuary of Notre-Dame de La Salette in the morning. Celebrate Holy Mass. Around 12:30 pm, coach bus ride to Montpellier (4.3 hrs drive). Check-in hotel for overnight stay. Self explore of the city in the evening (Saint-Pierre Cathedral, Place de la Comedie, Promenade du Peyrou, etc.). B/D.

### **Day 9 Sep. 01, 2026 (Tuesday) – Montpellier / Carcassonne / Lourdes (France)**

Montpellier hotel check-out then coach bus ride to Carcassonne (1.5 hrs drive). Visit medieval citadel **La Cite, a UNESCO World Heritage Site**. Around 1:00 pm, continue travel to Lourdes (2.7 hrs drive). Check-in hotel, visit the **Sanctuary Notre-Dame de Lourdes**, attend Holy Mass and the evening rosary procession with candles. B/D.

### **Day 10 Sep. 02, 2026 (Wednesday) – Lourdes (France)**

Full day in Lourdes. Time to visit the Grotto and the Basilicas. Celebrate Holy Mass and Way of the Cross. Time for individual prayer, self reflection, bath. In the evening, attend the rosary procession with candles. Overnight in Lourdes hotel. B/D.

### **Day 11 Sep. 03, 2026 (Thursday) – Lourdes (France) / Zaragoza (Spain)**

Attend the morning Holy Mass at Lourdes Sanctuary. Hotel check-out. Around 9:30 am, bus cross border travel to Zaragoza, Spain (3.7 hrs drive). Visit the **Cathedral-Basilica of Our lady of The Pillar** and the adjacent Plaza. Visit also the Cathedral of the Savior of Zaragoza. Check-in hotel for overnight stay. B/D.



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**Day 12 Sep. 04, 2026 (Friday) – Zaragoza / Manresa / Montserrat / Barcelona (Spain)**

Early morning hotel check-out and coach bus ride 7:00 am to Manresa (2.5 hrs drive). Visit **St. Ignatius Holy Cave**. Around 11:30 am, travel to Montserrat (0.5 hrs drive) and visit **Santa Maria de Monserrat Abbey / Black Madonna**. Celebrate Holy Mass. Around 4:30 pm, continue travel to Barcelona (1.0 hr drive). Check-in hotel. Self explore of the city in the evening (Placa de Catalunya, La Rambla, etc. B/D.



**Day 13 Sep. 05, 2026 (Saturday) – Barcelona (Spain)**

Full day in Barcelona, Visit the famous **Church of Sagrada Familia** and celebrate Holy Mass. Then visit the Catedral de Barcelona, Columbus Monument, have a city tour. Rest of the day is free time for exploration and shopping. Farewell dinner in restaurant. B/D.

**Day 14 Sep. 06, 2026 (Sunday) – Barcelona (Spain) / DEPART**

Hotel check-out and then transfer to Barcelona International Airport for our flight back home (Edmonton, Canada). Approximate flight departure time is 1:15 pm. Same day evening arrival.



**Note:** This planned itinerary may be subject to change depending on flight availability and confirmation at time of booking.



**Dates: Aug. 24, 2026 – Sep. 06, 2026 (14 Days)**

**Price A: CAD \$5,495.00 – without Airfare**

**Price B: CAD \$6,995.00 – with Airfare**

**Price is per pilgrim on double occupancy**

**Deposit of CAD \$700.00 is due by Jan. 15, 2026**



**Early bird discount of \$150 for deposits made on or before 08 Jan 2026.**

**ACRONYM:**

ES2S – Explore Sea 2 Sky Travel Ltd.

**PRICE INCLUDES:**

- Round trip airfare from Edmonton (For Price A).
- Land Tour as per program including motor coach transportation.
- Accommodation on H.B. (daily breakfast and dinner) 12 nights – on double occupancy.
- Services of English-speaking licensed guides where applicable.
- Exciting spiritual journey as per program.
- Mass Services.
- Vatican Museum's tickets including Sistine Chapel.
- Whispers audio system for the group.
- Tips to guides and drivers.

**NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:**

- Daily lunch, alcoholic drinks, insurance, luggage fees.
- Entrance tickets to other museums and attractions.
- Any visa fees and personal documentation.
- Any personal expenses (laundry, telephone, etc.)
- Any covid test/vaccination required.
- Any tips or gratuities not mentioned above.

**REGISTRATION DETAILS:**

Reservation can be made by phone call, online registration, or fill up and send the registration form printed below. A **non-refundable deposit** of \$700 per pilgrim is required at time of registration. Insurance must be purchased at least before second payment.

**FINAL PAYMENT:**

Final payment is due 75 days prior to departure or see payment schedule in the Registration Form below.

**CANCELLATION:**

For necessary cancellations, please advise ES2S immediately in writing. Cancellation charges are as follows:

Between 110 days to 75 days before departure	50 % of the total cost
75 days or less	100% of the total cost

**CHANGE BOOKING BY PILGRIMS:**

**Deposits are non-refundable** unless there is a participant replacement. Please note that the name changes are not allowed after tickets are issued and such will be treated as cancellations and charges will apply.

**CHANGE BOOKING BY ES2S:**

ES2S will advise you if any change we feel significantly alters the pilgrimage tour which you have purchased from us. Occasionally, changes might occur close to departure time. In such cases, you will be notified as soon as possible.

Due to circumstances beyond our control, the local tour operator may have to make last minute changes in hotel or schedule. We reserve the right to substitute any of the hotels with similar or better category.

**CONNECTING FLIGHTS (IF APPLIES):**

ES2S sells pilgrim tours with round trip airfare from Edmonton/Calgary, unless otherwise specified. In case of changes in our flight schedule, with or without notice, we are not responsible for any extra connecting fares which you might purchase and which cannot be changed without extra charges.

**TRAVEL DOCUMENTS REMINDERS:**

- It is the sole responsibility of the pilgrim to provide proper and valid travel documents.
- A valid Canadian passport is required for all visits outside of Canada.
- A copy of your valid Canadian passport is required upon registration for the tour.
- Failure to provide valid Canadian passport may result in denied boarding of the aircraft and cancellation of your flight arrangements without refund.
- If you are holding a non-Canadian passport, please contact ES2S to determine whether or not a visa is required for entry into the country you will be visiting.

**FLIGHT SCHEDULES (IF APPLIES):**

All flight schedules are subject to change by airlines with or without prior notice to the pilgrims. ES2S is not responsible for any losses incurred or additional costs for missed flights or any extra charges resulting from an off-schedule, rescheduled or late flight operations. In any case ES2S will provide the best possible assistance.

**CURRENCY:**

All prices and rates quoted herein are in Canadian dollars unless otherwise specified. Prices are subject to change without prior notice beyond ES2S control, including but not limited to increase in government taxes or levies, airport taxes or surcharges or significant changes in foreign exchange rates.

**LUGGAGE ALLOWANCE:**

One checked luggage per pilgrim (23 kg) plus a carry-on bag (weighing not more than 5 kg). Subject to change as per airline requirements.

**UNUSED SERVICES:**

Any portion of pilgrimage tour not used will not be refundable or adjusted.

**COVID RELATED REMINDERS (IF APPLIES):**

- Proof of Vaccination Passport
- Antigen, PCR Test prior departure as required,
- Supply of masks & sanitizers for the duration of pilgrimage.
- Pilgrim is responsible for the cost of above items.

**IMPORTANT REMINDERS:**

When you book with ES2S pilgrim tour, an agreement is made between you (pilgrim), ES2S, and others who will provide services. Please read carefully the information below, for it sets out the conditions governing the provisions of these pilgrim tour packages.

- ES2S is a tour operator and has made the advertised pilgrim tour arrangements with the airlines, hotels, cruise ships and other tour operators. Each of these organizations has its own specific terms and conditions for doing business and registered pilgrims will be bound by them.
- ES2S has no responsibility for:
  - the acts or omissions of any party other than ES2S employees
  - failure by the pilgrim to be properly documented
  - failure by the pilgrim to comply with departure or joining or baggage requirements
  - airline delays, government actions, acts of God, cancellation or delay to any tour, change to itinerary, or any factors beyond our direct control.
  - extra cost resulting from lost or damaged baggage.
- ES2S reserves the right to refuse any pilgrim as a member of these tours at its own discretion.
- ES2S reserves the right to cancel any or all departures with or without prior notice and ES2S sole responsibility shall be to refund all monies paid for such canceled departures.
- The laws and courts which govern this contract are those of the Province of Alberta.
- Canadians traveling abroad are advised by Ministry of Consumer Relations that they may encounter different living standards and practices than those in Canada.

**INSURANCE COVERAGE:**

Insurance coverage is mandatory for all pilgrims to cover any unforeseen travel and medical events/circumstances.

Please purchase an All-inclusive Insurance for a 14-day tour. Pilgrim is responsible for the cost of the insurance.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:**

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**REGISTRATION FORM - Reserve Now! *Early bird discount of \$150 for deposits made on or before 08 Jan 2026.***

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Price: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (to confirm registration): \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Copy of Passport to be included when submitting this Form** (Please indicate any allergies you may have)

**Deposit: \$700.00 Jan 15, 2026 2nd Payment: \$1,500.00 Feb 14, 2026 3rd Payment: \$2,000 Apr 30, 2026**

**Final Payment: \$1,295.00 Jun 10, 2026 (\$2,795.00 for Price B)**

**Late on Payment: \$150.00 penalty For credit card payments, 5% fee applies.**

Please make cheque payable to Explore Sea 2 Sky Travel Ltd., attach this Registration Form and mail to Explore Sea 2 Sky Travel Ltd., 8120 169B Street, Edmonton, AB, T5R 2X7.

For e-transfer payments, please send to our e-mail address: [sales@exploreseas2sky.ca](mailto:sales@exploreseas2sky.ca).

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