

Israel: Holyland Tour

2026-2027



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CHRISTIAN HOLYLAND TOUR 2026-2027

8 DAYS | 7 NIGHTS | 6 GUIDED DAYS

Join us on a Christian Tour in Israel to explore a country that is rich in culture and history, the foundation of three major religions, and one of the most modern and tech-savvy countries.

TOUR OVERVIEW

Multiple Departures	All-year-round.
Highlights	Caesarea, Megiddo, Acre, Sea of Galilee, Capernaum, Tabgha, Mount of the Beatitudes, Golan Heights, Nazareth, Jordan River, Jerusalem
Duration	8 days, 7 nights
Activity Level	Moderate
Private Tour Guide Option	Want your tailor-made tour? We can do it too.
Notes	Land Only Package. Airfare is not included in the price. We will be glad to book your flights.

ITINERARY

DEPARTURE, SATURDAY



- Depart from the USA for your Christian Holyland Tour

DAY 1, SUNDAY



- Upon arrival at **Ben Gurion Airport**, proceed to the arrival hall.
- Transfer to your hotel in Tel Aviv.

Overnight Tel Aviv

DAY 2, MONDAY



- Depart **Tel Aviv** and drive along the coastal plain to **Caesarea**, once the Roman capital of the region. Visit the excavations of the ancient city, the Roman Theater, and the aqueduct.
- Proceed to **Muhraka**, the site of confrontation between Elijah and the prophets of Baal;
- Continue to **Megiddo**, identified as the site of Armageddon. Learn the impressive history of this battlefield as you visit the archaeological excavations, including the well-preserved water supply system. Onto Acre to visit the remarkable underground Crusader City and crypt; walk through the Old City, recognized by UNESCO as a world heritage site, and visit the local market and harbor.
- Our final stop is **Acre**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and former Crusader capital. Walk through the Old City, visit the local market, and enjoy the historic harbor. Explore the underground Crusader City and crypt offering insights into this era.

Overnight Kibbutz Lavi guesthouse

DAY 3, TUESDAY



- After a short tour of **Tiberias**, enjoy a boat ride on the **Sea of Galilee**.
- Visit the Yigal Allon Center where the "**Jesus Boat**," an ancient fishing boat from the 1st century, is displayed.
- Continue to **Capernaum** to visit the remains of the 2nd-century synagogue.
- Stop at **Tabgha**, the site of the Miracle of Fish and Loaves, and visit the **Church of Multiplication** with its 4th-century mosaic floor. Proceed to **Mount of Beatitudes**, the place where Jesus delivered the Sermon on the Mount.

- Finally, visit **Yardenit**, a baptismal site on the Jordan River where pilgrims from around the world gather to be baptized following the tradition of Jesus' baptism by John the Baptist.

Overnight Kibbutz Lavi guesthouse

DAY 4, WEDNESDAY



- Drive to **Cana** to visit the **Wedding Church**, where Jesus performed his first miracle turning water into wine.
- Continue to **Nazareth** to visit the **Church of Annunciation**, Joseph's workshop, and Mary's well.
- Followed by a stop at **Beit Shean** to visit the newly excavated Roman city and amphitheater.
- Drive along the **Jordan Valley** towards Jerusalem.

Overnight Jerusalem

DAY 5, THURSDAY



- Drive to **Mount of Olives** for a panoramic view of the city.
- Visit the **Church of All Nations**, **King David's Tomb**, and Room of Last Supper on **Mt. Zion**.
- Enter the **Old City**; walk through the **Cardo**, the ancient Roman road.
- Visit the Jewish and Christian quarters; see the Jewish Wailing Wall; view the **Temple Mount**.
- walk along the **Via Dolorosa** and the oriental Bazaar to visit the **Church of Holy Sepulcher**.

Overnight Jerusalem

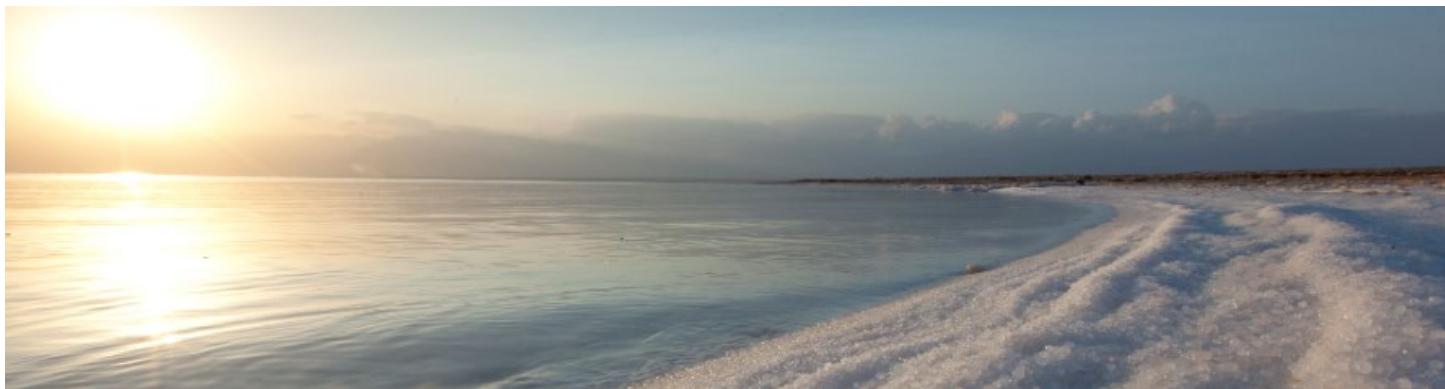
DAY 6, FRIDAY



- Drive to **Ein Karem** to visit the **Church of Visitation**.
- Visit the **Israel Museum** and the Shrine of the Book, where the Dead Sea scrolls are housed, and the miniature model of Jerusalem as it was during the Second Temple period.
- Proceed to ***Bethlehem**, the birthplace of Jesus; visit Shepherds' Field; walk through Manger Square to visit the remarkable **Church of Nativity**. Return to Jerusalem. * Visit subject to security conditions.

Overnight Jerusalem

DAY 7, SATURDAY



- Drive through the **Judean desert** to the **Dead Sea**-the lowest point on earth. Then, visit **Qumran**, where the Dead Sea scrolls were found.
- Drive along the shores of the Dead Sea to Masada. Ascend **Masada** by cable car and tour the mountain fortress built by King Herod, where the Zealots made their last stand against the Romans. Visit the remains of the walls, palaces, synagogue, and bathhouse. Descend by cable car.
- Continue to the **Dead Sea**; Cover yourself with the mineral-rich mud and experience a swim in the Dead Sea*which many believe will offer therapeutic effects.

Overnight Jerusalem.

DAY 8, SUNDAY



Transfer to Ben-Gurion airport for departure.

Program sequence is subject to change without advanced notice.

USEFUL INFORMATION

- ✓ **All Tours are subject to availability and should be confirmed within 72 business hours.**
- ✓ **Departure from origin should be 1 day before the tour start date**
- ✓ **Please note there is NO credit for unused services or joint transfers**

Included services in our tour rates:

- ✓ Shared transfer from Ben-Gurion Airport to your hotel & from the hotel to the Airport (Private transfer available for \$260 for up to 3 people)
- ✓ 6 Full day touring with all entrance fees and attractions as per the above itinerary
- ✓ 7-night accommodation including buffet breakfast and dinner daily at the hotels in the dates and rates chart below. **Similar hotels may be substituted based on availability**
- ✓ Boat ride at the sea of Galilee

Not included in our tour rates:

- ✓ Tips to guide/driver and hotel staff. Optional tips for Israel are suggested as follows:
 - Bellman \$2 per piece of luggage
 - Waiter/Waitress 15% +
 - Tour Bus Driver \$8 per person per day
 - Tour Guide \$10 per person per day
 - Private Transfer 15% +
- ✓ Lunches en-route on sightseeing days
- ✓ Treatments at the Dead Sea spa
- ✓ Items of a personal nature (laundry, souvenirs, film, toiletries)
- ✓ Travel Insurance. For more details [Click Here.](#)

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TOUR DATES & RATES PRICE IS PER PERSON/ PER ROOM TYPE

HOTEL PLAN	Plan A			Plan B			Plan C			Plan D		
TEL AVIV	Dan Panorama			Grand Beach			Grand Beach			Grand Beach		
GALILEE	Lavi - Eden room											
JERUSALEM	Dan Panorama			Grand Court			Prima Park			Jerusalem Gate		
Tours starting on	Per person in Double	Per person in Single	3rd pax adult	Per person in Double	Per person in Single	3rd pax adult	Per person in Double	Per person in Single	3rd pax adult	Per person in Double	Per person in Single	3rd pax adult
2026												
Mar 1 8 15 22	2,936	4,320	2,270	2,205	3,124	1,872	2,080	3,027	1,850	1,938	2,719	1,702
Apr 19 26	3,045	4,516	2,270	2,205	3,124	1,872	2,080	3,027	1,850	1,938	2,719	1,702
May 3 10 24 31												
Jun 7 14 21 28	2,976	4,393	2,288	2,245	3,198	1,894	2,120	3,101	1,879	1,927	2,698	1,697
Jul 5 12 19 26												
Aug 2 9 16 23 30	3,045	4,516	2,288	2,205	3,124	1,872	2,080	3,027	1,850	2,046	2,918	1,793
Oct 4 11 18 25												
Nov 1 8 15	2,927	4,308	2,230	2,174	3,043	1,857	2,049	2,976	1,830	2,015	2,858	1,773
Nov 22												
Nov 29	2,616	3,718	2,230	2,174	3,043	1,857	1,975	2,829	1,768	1,856	2,574	1,649
Dec 6 13												
Dec 20	3,069	4,576	2,523	2,174	3,043	1,857	1,975	2,829	1,768	1,856	2,574	1,649
Dec 27	3,171	4,714	2,523	2,174	3,043	1,857	1,975	2,829	1,768	1,856	2,574	1,649
2027												
Jan 10 24	2,544	3,580	2,230	2,174	3,043	1,857	2,049	2,976	1,820	1,856	2,574	1,649
Feb 7 21 28												

NOTE: Tours are being operated on the dates mentioned above.

Child sharing room with parents, Half Board basis

Departure Dates	Plan A under 12 years	Plan B under 12 years	Plan C under 12 years	Plan D under 12 years
All departures	1,870	1,479	1,437	1,391