

**05-2023 OCA Pilgrimage to the Holyland and Jordan led by
Bishop Daniel
May 14 - May 24, 2023**



Sunday, May 14

-Depart the USA on our way to the Holyland - Tel Aviv - Israel.

Monday, May 15

- Meet our Israeli staff
- Drive to our home in the Galilee.
- Dinner and overnight in Galilee.

Tuesday, May 16

- Sea of Galilee region
- Mt of the Beatitudes
- Capernaum (Monastery of the Holy Apostles)
- Tiberias (Monastery of the 12 Apostles) - Fishes and Loaves
- Magdala -Ancient Boat
- Boat Ride -Dinner and overnight in Galilee.

Wednesday, May 17

- Nazareth - Annunciation
- Cana of Galilee
- Transfiguration
- Mt Tabor
- Caesarea Maritima
- Dinner and overnight in Galilee

Thursday, May 18

- Jordan Valley - Wilderness:
- Jordan River - Baptism

- St Gerassimos
- Jericho:
- Mt of Temptation
- Zacheus's Tree
- St George of Coziba
- Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem

Friday, May 19

- Bethlehem:
- Shepherds' Fields
- Manger Square - Church of Nativity -
- Monastery of the Holy Cross
- Upper Room - Tomb of David
- Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem

Saturday, May 20

- Church of the Resurrection
- Prison of Christ
- St Anne
- Lydda - St George
- Jaffa - St Michael
- Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem

Sunday, May 21

Mt of Olives:

- Ascension
- Palm Sunday Road
- St Mary Magdalene - Liturgy
- Gethsemane
- Church of St Steven
- Church of the Resurrection
- Audience with His Beatitude
Patriarch Theophilos III
- Church of Alexander Nevsky,
- Dinner and overnight in Jerusalem

Monday, May 22

- Cross into Jordan via Allenby Bridge
- Mt Nebo
- Madaba
- Drive to Petra
- Dinner and overnight in Petra

Tuesday, May 23

☐ Full-day visit and explore Petra - following dinner at the hotel transfer to Amman airport for our journey back home.

Wednesday, May 24

- Morning arrival at O'hare.