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# Lands of the Bible Cruise

September 6 - 19, 2021

12 Nights Aboard the *Odyssey of the Seas* • Round Trip from Rome, Italy



Guest Speaker:  
**Dr. Jim Harnish**



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### Guest Speaker Dr. Jim Harnish

**Jim Harnish** retired in 2014 after 43 years of pastoral ministry in the Florida Conference of the United Methodist Church including 22 years at Hyde Park United Methodist Church in Tampa. Known across the church as a leader and

preacher, he is a facilitator for the Institute of Preaching at Duke Divinity School. He is the author of more than 15 books and bible studies for Abingdon Press including A Disciple's Path and Strength for the Broken Places. He was a Consulting Editor for "The New Interpreter's Dictionary of the Bible" and a contributor to The Wesley Study Bible. He shares his "FaithMatters: Reflection on Life and Faith" at [www.jimharnish.org](http://www.jimharnish.org).

tentmakers Aquila and Priscilla and received a vision from the Lord. As Paul spoke, Crispus (chief ruler of the synagogue) and many others believed and were baptized, establishing the church at Corinth to whom Paul later wrote his two epistles. Discover the Archaeological Museum, Market Place and Temples. As you walk among the ruins, stand on the Bema, where the apostle Paul stood before Gallio to face charges brought against him by the Jews. Stop briefly at the port town of Cenchræe from which Paul later departed for Syria (Acts 18: 12-18) before returning to your ship.

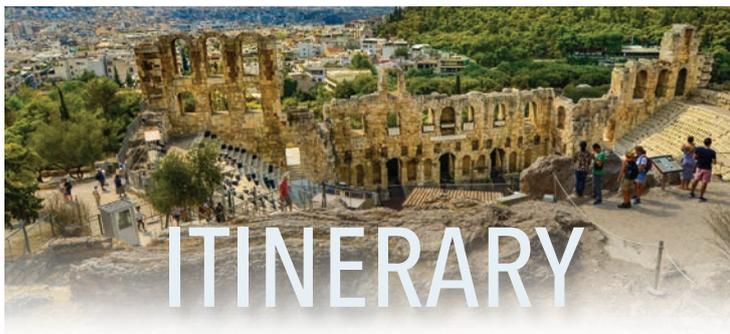
#### September 10 - ATHENS, GREECE

Travel to the legendary city of Athens for an awe-inspiring immersion into Greek history, mythology and might from the cruise port of Piræus. Upon arrival, you'll begin a narrated sightseeing drive that winds past the ruins of the Temple of Olympian Zeus and the Panathenaic Stadium, an ancient wonder reborn as the site of the first modern Olympics in 1896. Your drive will lead to the most iconic ancient site in Greece – the Acropolis. Climb the steep steps leading to this complex of temples and buildings dating back to the 5th century BC and built as a grand monument to thought and the arts. Witness the Temple of Athena Nike and explore the iconic Parthenon, dedicated to the Goddess Athena and offering sweeping panoramas overlooking the city below. A short walk from the ruins leads to Mars Hill where Paul preached to the Athenians.

#### September 11 - AT SEA

#### September 12 - SEA OF GALILEE

Venture inland to the Sea of Galilee to stand on the Mount of Beatitudes, where Jesus preached (Matthew 5). At Tabgha, the traditional location of the feeding of 5,000, you'll visit the Church of the Fish and the Loaves (Luke 9). On the shores of the Sea of Galilee is the Chapel of the Primacy of St. Peter, where three times Peter professed his devotion to the risen Christ (John 21). From there, travel to Capernaum where Jesus called Peter, Andrew, James, John (Matt. 4) and later Matthew to be disciples.



#### September 6 – DEPART USA

Your pilgrimage begins as you depart the USA on your international overnight flight.

#### September 7 – ARRIVE IN ROME

You will arrive in Rome, Italy where you will be met by our representative and transferred to the Port of Civitavecchia to board the Odyssey of the Seas.

#### September 8 - AT SEA

#### September 9 - CORINTH & CENCHREAE

Journey to the ancient city of Corinth, where the apostle Paul met fellow

### Register Early & Save

**\$200**

register by  
March 31, 2020

**\$150**

register by  
July 31, 2020

**\$100**

register by  
September 30, 2020

**\$50**

register by  
November 30, 2020

Full deposit required. Savings deducted from balance.



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*\*All prices reflect a 4% cash discount and are per person based on double occupancy.*

#### Your Price from New York Includes:

**Round-trip International Airfare & Overseas Transfers**

Additional baggage & optional fees may apply; see fine print for details

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Subject to change

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*Itinerary continued...*

**September 13 - JERUSALEM or BETHLEHEM (Choose your tour today)**

Journey to Jerusalem to see Caiaphas' House, where Jesus was tried before the Sanhedrin. Stand upon the Mt. of Olives and view the city as Jesus did. See the Ancient olive trees of the Garden of Gethsemane. Wander the Old City to view the Pool of Bethesda, and walk along the Via Dolorosa. Step inside the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, built over the sites of the crucifixion and the resurrection.

or

While docked in Ashdod, explore Bethlehem, where you will discover the cave revered as the place where Jesus was born (Matt. 1; Luke 2). The Church of the Nativity constructed over the site, is the oldest functioning church.

**September 14 - AT SEA**

**September 15 - RHODES, GREECE**

Get the real authentic Rhodes experience by exploring it on foot. Your walking tour will begin in picturesque Old Town, where you will pass through and learn all about Agora and Collachium, where the Knights of St. John of Jerusalem lived and worked. Marvel at the stunning churches, exquisite Jewish quarter, the Inns of Knights, and the Palace of Grand Masters. You will then tour the palace interior and down the Street of Knights — its path paved with impressive marble and mosaics. Then it's on to the Hospital of Knights museum, where you'll learn all about the ins and outs of this majestic town. Afterwards, stop for a refreshment in a local café. Exploring Rhodes on foot will inevitably leave a lasting impression on you.

**September 16 - EPHESUS**

Ephesus is one of the Seven Churches of Revelation and was once a bustling port town graced with wide, colonnade-bordered streets and a population of 250,000. Although spectacular excavations have revealed much of the glory of ancient Ephesus, including the huge Agora and Library, much has been lost. The ancient world once declared the Temple of Artemis to be one of the Seven Wonders of the World but today, only a single column remains to mark its site. View the terrace houses, also known as "the houses of the rich," which give a true impression of ancient lifestyle. Explore the Museum of Ephesus for an up-close look at ancient artifacts.

**September 17 - AT SEA**

**September 18 - NAPLES**

Today we are docked in Naples. You can choose to journey inland on an optional excursion to ancient Pompeii, dating almost to the time of Paul, where you can see the spectacular ruins that were covered by ash from the eruption of Mount Vesuvius in A.D. 79. Another nice option is to visit the sunny Isle of Capri, or you may opt to wander Naples on your own.

*Shore excursions today will be booked directly through Royal Caribbean.*

**September 19 - RETURN TO USA**

Disembark the Odyssey of the Seas and transfer to Rome to return home with a new understanding of the Apostle Paul's life and ministry.



# PRE-TOUR

## Rome

September 4 - 7, 2021 • Starting at \$850\*

**September 4 - Depart USA**

Your pilgrimage begins as you depart the USA on your international overnight flight.

**September 5- Arrive in Rome**

Today you will arrive in Rome, Italy where you will be met by our representative and travel along the Appian Way. Step beneath the surface into the Catacombs of Callixtus, built along the Appian Way. Here 16 Popes from the 2nd through 4th Centuries were interred, though they have been removed to various churches over the centuries. Check in to your hotel this evening and enjoy dinner and rest.

**September 6 - Vatican City & Christian Rome**

Visit the Vatican, and explore its museum. Marvel at the beauty of St. Peter's Basilica, and stand in awe of Michelangelo's frescoes in the Sistine Chapel. Next, proceed to the Basilica of Saint Paul Outside the Walls. The present structure stands over the place where Constantine built the first church over Saint Paul's grave. The church features a portrait of every Pope that has served the church. Climb the graceful Spanish Steps and stop at the famous Trevi Fountain before returning to your hotel this evening.

**September 7 - Ancient Rome**

Discover the history woven throughout Rome with visits to the Colosseum, the Pantheon, the Forum, Circus Maximus, the Arch of Titus, the Baths of Caracalla and the Arch of Constantine today. After touring, you will be transferred to the Port of Civitavecchia to board the Odyssey of the Seas.



# POST-TOUR

## Rome

September 19 - 21, 2021 • Starting at \$850\*

**September 19 - Ancient Rome**

Disembark the ship and travel to Rome. Upon arrival discover the history woven throughout Rome with visits to the Colosseum, the Pantheon, the Forum, Circus Maximus, the Arch of Titus, the Baths of Caracalla and the Arch of Constantine today. Climb the graceful Spanish Steps and stop at the famous Trevi Fountain before checking in to your hotel this evening.

**September 20 - Vatican City & Christian Rome**

Visit the Vatican, and explore its museum. Marvel at the beauty of St. Peter's Basilica, and stand in awe of Michelangelo's frescoes in the Sistine Chapel. Next, proceed to the Basilica of Saint Paul Outside the Walls. The present structure stands over the place where Constantine built the first church over Saint Paul's grave. The church features a portrait of every Pope that has served the church. Return to your hotel in Rome for dinner and prepare for your trip home tomorrow.

**September 21 - Return to USA**

Bid farewell to Italy as you transfer to the Rome airport this morning for your return flight to the USA.

*Guests taking an extension may be on a different flight than their group and/or traveling companion.*

*\*All prices reflect a 4% cash discount.  
Taxes, tips & fees for extensions are charged separately.*

TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

Mail to: EO Tours • P.O. Box 6098, Lakeland, FL 33807-6098
863-648-0383 • email: eo@travelwithus.com

Host: \_\_\_\_\_ ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ Tour: PF21

Departure City: \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date: 09/06/21 (A)

First, Middle & Last Name must be submitted as it appears on your passport:

Guest 1: First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (Preferred Name)
Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ P.O. Box: \_\_\_\_\_
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Send me emails about my trip/EO promos
Birth Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ State of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: Male Female
Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this tour?
Tour Selection: Cruise Only Add Rome Pre-Tour Add Rome Post-Tour

Guest 2: First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (Preferred Name)
Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ P.O. Box: \_\_\_\_\_
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Send me emails about my trip/EO promos
Birth Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ State of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: Male Female
Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this tour?
Tour Selection: Cruise Only Add Rome Pre-Tour Add Rome Post-Tour

Cabin Selection: Interior Stateroom (4V) Interior Stateroom (2V)
Ocean View Stateroom (2N) Balcony Stateroom (4D)
Balcony Stateroom (2D)

Alternate: \_\_\_\_\_ (Required, only used if 1st choice is unavailable)

Clergy Scholarship: (For clergy host traveling for the first time on this program)

- Please evaluate my \$500 clergy scholarship eligibility
Please evaluate my spouse's \$350 clergy scholarship eligibility

Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_

If No Roommate: Try to Match Me Single Room (availability limited)

Table with 2 columns: Important Information Regarding Travel Protection Plan and Guest 1/Guest 2 options (Accept/Decline).

DEPOSIT PER PERSON REQUIRED

Payment: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ (Payable to Educational Opportunities Tours)

To Register via Credit Card, you must go to www.EO.travel

By signing below, I/we certify that I have read the "Fine Print," understand its content, and agree to its terms including but not limited to the potential for price increases that may apply before payment in full has been received as set forth in the "Fine Print" and potential price increases after payment in full has been received due to government imposed taxes and fees.

Guest 1 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Guest 2 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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Travel Protection Plan - Premium Rates

For a full description of the plan, go to: www.tripmate.com/wpF427X

Table with 6 columns: Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost, Trip Cost, Plan Cost. Lists various trip cost ranges and corresponding plan costs.

Schedule of Coverages Maximum Benefit

Table with 2 columns: Schedule of Coverages and Maximum Benefit. Lists various coverage types and their maximum benefits.

THIS IS A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN, FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ASK FOR THE TRAVEL PROTECTION CERTIFICATE WHICH FULLY DETAILS THE COVERAGES, PROVISIONS, LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS OF THE PLAN OFFERED AND IS AVAILABLE TO YOU, UPON REQUEST, AT ANY TIME.

Part A - Travel Arrangement Benefits are provided by Educational Opportunities Tours. Part B - Travel Protection Benefits are provided by United States Fire Insurance Co. For New York Residents Only: Part A Benefits are travel arrangement benefits underwritten by United States Insurance Company.

Conditions and Limitations

This is a brief description of the plan available for all Travel Protection sales for Trips departing January 1, 2013 and after. Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the Certificate of Coverage. For example, coverage does not apply to: any Sickness or condition of you, a Traveling Companion or a Family Member traveling with you that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective date of the coverages (The Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Educational Opportunities Tours, Inc. at or before the final payment due date for Your Trip or 105 days before departure date, whichever occurs first...)

THE FINE PRINT

INCLUDED IN PRICE: Round-trip international airfare & overseas transfers • Cruise • Shore excursions (as listed in itinerary) • Deluxe motorcoaches • Meals on ship • Cruise Taxes \$174 • Port charges \$360 • Program fees • Fuel surcharges \$400 • Government Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change)

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE: Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule) • Optional sightseeing • Pre or Post-Tours • Miscellaneous fees such as passports, lunches off the ship, baggage fees • Visa(s) • Alternate restaurants that have additional fees • Onboard Gratuities (Gratuities will be automatically added to your onboard account during the cruise) • Voluntary "Love Offering" for guide and driver • Ground only transfers • \$100 Document fee for Non-US and Non-Canadian residents

ALSO NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE - will appear on your statement: Hotel taxes and tips and other fees: \$25 for the Rome Pre or Post-Tour.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Price is based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms/cabins are often smaller than doubles. While EOT will try to match roommates, EOT cannot guarantee one will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 35 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or if you request a single, the following single room/cabin charges apply: Category 4V - \$1998; 2V - \$2098; 2N - \$2398; 4D - \$2998; 2D - \$3298 for basic itinerary. \$298 for the Rome Pre or Post-Tour. Single staterooms are extremely limited and subject to confirmation.

PAYMENT INFORMATION: All prices reflect a 4% discount for full payment via check.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE: Table with 2 columns: Amount and Due at the time of registration. Details deposit amounts and due dates for different registration periods.

SAVINGS: Early registration discounts are deducted from the balance of your bill. Hosts/Co-hosts are not eligible. REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED AFTER APRIL 09, 2021: We welcome registrations after 04/09/21. Registrations received between 04/10/21 - 06/08/21 will incur a \$100 per person fee.

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CANCELLATION FEES: 100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is coverable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 365 days prior to departure, you will be charged a \$50 non-refundable administrative fee plus any airline fees. Additionally, thereafter, you will be charged any airline penalties and a single room supplement if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single plus the following charges: 364-241 days = \$100; 240-181 days = \$250; 180-151 days = \$500; 150-121 days = \$1,000; 120-91 days = 50% of total cost; 90-61 days = 75% of total cost; 60-day of departure = 100% of total cost. Submit cancellation in writing. On or after day of departure, no refund for any services not used.

FIT TO TRAVEL STATEMENT: Passengers registering for the tour accept the responsibility for being in good health and able to walk and travel on the tour. Because many of the sites are not accessible to the physically challenged, those needing oxygen, wheelchairs, or other ambulatory assistance will find the tour extremely limiting to their experiences. If you have questions, please contact Educational Opportunities Tours Inc. for more details.

PASSPORT INFORMATION, CONFIRMATION OF ITINERARY & CHECK IN PROCESS: Passport information must be submitted to our office by 04/09/21. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date may result in change fees or denial of travel. 150 days prior to your trip you will be contacted to reconfirm your itinerary, travel arrangements and registration information during the preliminary check in process for your trip. Discrepancies in information or failure to check in for your cruise may result in change fees, delays in receiving travel documents for your trip, or denial of travel.

PRICE INCREASES: All prices quoted in this brochure are subject to change prior to payment in full due to currency fluctuations, fuel surcharge increases, government taxes and fees increases or unforeseen circumstances. In addition, you may be subject to a price increase after payment in full has been received due to potential government imposed taxes and fees.

AIRLINE ROUTES and TICKETS: In order to keep prices low, EOT does not guarantee the most direct routing to your final destination. Once "printed", airline tickets cannot be changed or refunded thereafter. Air transportation to/from your destination will be economy class on IATA and ARC carriers utilizing APEX or SUPER APEX non-refundable, non-amendable tickets for groups of 10 or more flying together on entire itinerary. If you choose to depart from a different city than your group or travelling companion, or deviate your flight and/or trip plans, and/or you are taking a pre or post tour, you may fly on a different scheduled flight(s) than the rest of your group. If you make your own air arrangements, you are responsible for booking all needed flights for your travel unless specified otherwise. Contact guest services for further details.

FLIGHT TIMES AND SEATING: All flights are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. EOT is not responsible for such changes or delays and does not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays. If you are making your own flight arrangements to the departure city, we recommend you purchase a ticket that can be exchanged without large penalties. There is no advance seat selection for groups on most airlines. Early check-in is necessary to secure seats with travel companions and those with special needs. Due to security measures taken at airports, it is advisable to arrive at the airport three hours prior to departure time. Seating is solely under the control of the airlines.

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PREGNANCY/INFANT REGULATIONS: As to pregnancy, a woman cannot have begun her 24th week of pregnancy at any time before or during the cruise. If you are pregnant, please provide a medical note upon arrival at the pier for check-in from your physician stating your expected due date and medical fitness to travel. If you are in the 24th week or have completed it you will not be allowed to board. Because of the limited medical facilities, infants must be at least 24 weeks (6 months) of age on the first day of the cruise.

VALIDITY DATE: This brochure is valid until 05/09/20. If validity date has passed, current brochures may be found at www.eo.travel. Registrations will still be accepted after the validity date.

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