

This Month's Highlights

July 10<sup>th</sup>

# **Knights of Columbus**

# St. Joseph - Council 7408

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**Flyers** 

If you had been at June's events...

Council Business Mee July 24 <sup>th</sup> Social Meeting	eting
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# Grand Knight's Message

Worthy Knights and Ladies,

In this my last newsletter as Grand Knight. I would like to take a minute to thank all of those who helped me greatly over the last 2 years. There are of course too many of you to mention by name because my memory is horrible. ;) I have appreciated all those who helped me learn the ropes and who helped me to keep this ship moving forward.

I will return to my first newsletter for this my final newsletter as Grand Knight.

We have 200 plus members in our council. If each member made the commitment to volunteer for some Knight's event just once each year the amount of good we do as a council would be almost immeasurable.

Beyond that it would allow us to know each other and help us to build the fraternal part of our fraternal organization.

So, I ask you that when you see the emails say that an event is coming up, that you take a few minutes and see if you can help out. If you can help out, can you attend? Remember that when we host events they are fundraisers so that we have the resources to complete our mission.

Please pray for our new Council, Assembly and State Officers. I'll see you at Mass

March Baptism Cross Sponsor Bradley Hood

June Knight of the Month Rick DiCicco June Family of the Month The Freedmans

Knight of the Year Gerry Morris Family of the Year The Hoenig Family

Vivat Jesus!

Bradley Hood

Grand Knight









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# Navigator's Log

Special thanks to all my Brothers and Sir Knights who served and helped in making this Fraternal Year a Great Success.

Also, a special thanks to all the New Incoming Officers, the ones who retained their position.

Please congratulate Joe Giesler, Faithful Navigator and help him to make his and the Assembly Goals successful for the upcoming Fraternal year.

Our annual Fourth of July "Independence Day Cookout" will be on Saturday July 5, 2025, at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Food will be served starting at 5:00 pm and the Fireworks at 9:00pm from EFSC.

Please see Rick DiCicco if you are interested in helping or for more details.

The Installation of Fourth Degree Officers will be hosted by JFK, Assembly 1593, Saturday, July 26, 2025, at Holy Name of Jesus in the Life Center Hall.

The ceremony will start at 11:00 am with a reception to follow in the cafeteria. Dress Code will be a 4th Degree Suit (no berets or swords) or suit. Wives and family are invited to attend.

Please let me know if you are planning to attend because I need to give them a head count.

Third Degree Knights are highly encouraged to join the Assembly. Contact me or any 4th Degree Member if you are interested.

We are also looking for others to join our Honor Guard. Please contact any Color Corp member, or me if interested.

Fraternally,

SK Ron Hoenig, PKOY, PFOY Financial Secretary Council 7408 Faithful Navigator Assembly 2932 ron.hoenig@gmail.com 618-604-8664



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**HONOR GUARD:** If you are interested in helping with Honor Guard duties, please contact SK Mike Deschaine at (321) 698-2136. For those Sir Knights who do not have regalia, we do have some donated to us that would help alleviate the cost for those interested, until you are able to purchase your own. Ladies and Sir Knights if you have regalia that you are not using or have no longer need of and would like to donate or sell for the nominal price, please call one of the above Knights.



# Deputy Grand Knight's Message



Worthy Brother Knights, Will be back next month. Vivat Jesus Newsletter Editor





# District Deputy Message



I apologize; I was not able to contact the New District Deputy in time for the Newsletter.

- Editor





# Pro-Life Corner



Patty & I would like to thank everyone who donated to our Annual Diaper Drive. This year was a great success. We got 4,075 diapers/pull ups and 6,432 wipes. They were delivered to a very happy Nana's House. Special thanks to SK Ben & Patricia Adamo for their help in collecting the donations.



Mark & Patty Zarraonandia: Life Director – Pro-Life Couple PFOY





# Ladies Auxiliary News



Dear Ladies and Knights,

The Ladies had a really good year and were able to hold a Fashion Show thanks to the hard work of Cathy Johnson and her team. The show made it possible to donate a nice check to the Columbus Club. We want to thank the club for allowing us to use the hall for some afternoon meetings as well as for

the show. We're praying that we can offer the same things in the upcoming year. Thanks to all the Knights as well.

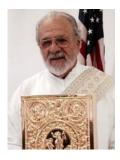
We're taking the summer off and hope to see everyone in September.

Susan Burgess

President



# Spiritual Notes - Deacon Frank



# "DO THIS IN MEMORY OF ME"

<u>Acts of the Apostles 7 Chapter 6.</u> THE NEED FOR ASSISTANCE. At that time as the number of disciples began to grow. The Hellenistic began to complain against the Hebrews, because their widows were being neglected in the daily distribution. So, the twelve called together the community of disciples and said," It is not right for us

to neglect the word of God to serve at table; Brothers select from among you seven reputable men, filled with the spirit of wisdom, whom we shall appoint to this task.

And so, this was the start of the deaconate. The deacons from that day on served at table ( the alter of God now) Decononos means servant in Greek.

Since the days of Jesus, He has held up the cup and said drink from this as this is my blood, then holding up the bread He said eat this as is my body do this in memory of Me! So many times, Jesus has asked us to Remember Him.

In our Church are candles, the Stations of the cross on the walls usually 14 some have

15. We remember Christ in the breaking of the bread at the Alter and also many other ways in our church. It is up to us to carry out this direction of Jesus in remembering Him and what He stood for, what He endured for our sins.

We are called to serve as Knights must also make our job to make sure that God's desire is taken care of and made available for those that need a spiritual up lift so to say. Something to think about, what one is called to do, to serve to leave a lasting memory as others have done for us in the past that we use today and not even think of the self-sacrifice our past generations had to endure so we can attend Mass, receive that spiritual up lift!

As I have been called some 50 years ago ordained 45 years to serve as a deacon. Now retired and mostly homebound received another calling to bring the stations of the cross to the people for outside use. In bronze with a porcelain photo of the station. One that depicts Mary mother of Jesus and her feelings and at time as we comment on our sins. I need your help in getting this out to various churches, Catholic schools and retreat houses. If you feel that God has not called you to this type of ministry then keep on doing what you're doing. I'm sure not to scare you but one day as we are all called home the question asked of us will be, "What have you done for the least of mine?"

And what will you say? My prayer is that you can say Lord I did the very best I could do for the least of yours. I gave it my all. And that's my prayer for you.

Ask me for rack/prayer cards for this project getting the word out, getting support for the outdoor stations a spiritual wall on the" Via Dela Rosa"!

Sr. Deacon Francis Falotico sosm, St. Joseph's Parish Palm Bay, Florida Life member 3<sup>rd</sup> degree and life member 4<sup>th</sup> degree Knight of Columbus, life member Disabled American Veterans, United States Marine Corps. Semper Fi.

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# The Insurance Guy



## Faith & Finance!!!

Beyond the benefits of pursuing financial security and retirement planning, our members' purchase of Financial Service products from the Knights of Columbus has a direct, collective impact on how much we can give to others in need within our extended Catholic and human families. This is, in fact, at the core of Blessed Michael McGivney's legacy to us.

If you already have a financial plan, your coverage and planning needs may have changed. I

invite you to call or email me so that we can review your coverages and determine how to meet your current needs.

Helping brother Knights align their finances with their faith is a concrete example of how we live out our purpose of empowering members to live their faith in all areas of their lives.

I am happy to be a brother Knight and to support the Knights of Columbus Catholic faith-based mission through its financial services program for members and their families. I am honored to make myself available to you to discuss your needs and interest in Knights of Columbus financial products. I am happy to schedule a complimentary financial needs analysis with you. You have the option of booking a session to take place in person at my office or your home, or by video call on Microsoft Teams. These usually take 60 minutes. I am scheduling meetings now for late June/early July and will follow up with a phone call. Feel free to call or email me back today – or simply go into my "Booking Page" here: https://calendar.app.google/ENWYscK9yToPJz1g7.

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Vivat Jesus! Best Regards, John Barfield, CLTC, FICF (Cell) 407-433-5421 – (Office) 321-294-3086 Email: John.barfield@kofc.org Tax benefits assume all premiums are timely paid and are based on the claims-paying ability of the issuer. Any policy loans will impact the tax benefits by reducing the policy's death benefit and cash values. Proceeds from life insurance policies may be subject to certain taxes based on individual circumstances. Tax laws vary by jurisdiction and may change over time. Knights of Columbus and its agents do not provide tax or legal advice and are not financial planners. Please consult with your financial, legal and tax advisors about your own particular circumstances. For costs and complete details of coverage, please contact your agent or the Knights of Columbus.







# Columbus Club Corner



Hello Brothers,

I would like to thank the 11 that showed up to paint this last Friday and the additional 2 that came to help on Saturday Our hall looks great, brighter and larger. Make plans now to:

Buy tickets to our August 23rd Hawaiian Knight

Sell tickets

Donate if you can't come

This is a Columbus Club event to use funds to improve our hall.

The Columbus Club paid for this improvement and most of the expense for improving Mary's Grotto and new stones and plants around our hall.

Frank 540-429-2626 faltro43@gmail.com



# **Community Activities Director**



## Bingo - Chairman Ron Hoenig and Brother Ben Adamo

The doors open at 5:00 pm for Monday Night Bingo. The Jackpot for the big game this week will start at around **\$900.** Some of our games have payouts around \$150.00. Food and Drinks are being served. We have Hamburgers and Fries on the Monday

night menu. Our Chicken salad sandwiches, and Hot Dogs are also popular items. Take a break from the mundane routine and get out Monday Night to hone your Bingo skills. Each attendee is given a blue 50/50 ticket that is entered in the end of month drawing which awards the winner with a cash prize totaling around \$200 on some months. You can have a light dinner and pick up an ice cream treat at the mid-way break. Look forward to seeing all of you on Monday evenings.

## **Officer Election for 4th Degree**

Was held on June 5th Joe Giesler will be the new Navigator.

Faithful Friar Fr Tim Faithful Navigator Joe Giesler Faithful Admiral Tom Tremblay Faithful Captain Mike Wahlberg Faithful Captain Mike Wahlberg Faithful Pilot Theodore V Krus Faithful Comptroller Ron Hoenig Faithful Comptroller Ron Hoenig Faithful Scribe Joe Widmayer Faithful Scribe Joe Widmayer Faithful Purser Rich DiCicco Faithful Purser Rich DiCicco Faithful Inner Sentinel William S Adamo Faithful Outer Sentinel Bob Bodycote Faithful Trustee 3 rd Year Mike Deschaine Faithful Trustee 2 nd Year Tony Krzeminski Faithful Trustee 1 st Year

## **Officer Elections for the Council 7408**

Was held on June 12th Joe Giesler will be the new Grand Knight

Grand Knight Joe Giesler Deputy Grand Knight Kevin Freedman Chaplain Father Frankline Warden Robert Tumbielo

Chancellor Ben Adamo

Treasurer Richard DiCicco Financial Secretary Ron Hoenig Recorder Anthony Krzeminski Inside Guard Freidel Senior Out-Side Guard Ken Freidel Advocate Lector Larry Davis

## Fathers Day Brunch

Was held on June 15th despite the air conditioning not working in the hall. We saw a good turn out of parishioners, and we managed to survive the heat in the kitchen and served scrambled eggs, sausage, pancakes, doughnuts and fruit.

## **Installation of Council Officers**

Was held on June 26th and the majority of attendees were in suits and baldrics looking good, I apologize to all, I myself showed up in a Council shirt and shorts having forgotten that this was the night for the installation.

## Fifth Sunday Pancake Breakfast

Will be held On June 29th, I have heard from a reliable source that the AC is working.

## Saint Luke's Roundtable

As always this is a great chance to catch up with our fellow Knights at Saint Luke's.

## PAINTING OF THE HALL

June 27. We had a good turnout of workers to paint the East side of the hall, a special thank you to Ethan who bought his two sons along also to help, it was great having some young guns to paint the lower areas of the walls, it is a little harder for the senior members to work close to the floor!

## **Upcoming Events/happenings**

## July 4th Celebrations on the Fifth

Come join us for Hamburgers, hotdogs, salads, all the fixings of a backyard barbecue followed by watching the Palm Bay fireworks from our parking area. Do not forget to bring your lawn chairs and bug lotion!.



# 2023-24 Knight of the Month & Family of the Month Awardees

July: Knight of the Month: Chad Stewart Family of the Month: William and Kim Hubbard

August: Knight of the Month: Michael Walhberg Family of the Month: Deacon Gary and Rosario Hessen

September: Knight of the Month: Ron Hoenig Family of the Month: Tony and Lenore Stoio

October: Knight of the Month: Jean Gellin Family of the Month: Paul and Pat McGuire

November: Knight of the Month: Terry Galvin Family of the Month: Tom and Jeane Tremblay

December: Knight of the Month: Gerry Morris Family of the Month: Mike and Donna Lacey January: Knight of the Month: Anthony Selario Family of the Month: Ballard Jr. and Andrea Brooks

February: Knight of the Month: Robert J. Courtemanche Family of the Month: The Friedel Family

March: Knight of the Month: Patrick Farrelly Family of the Month: The Petrick Family

April: Knight of the Month: Kenneth Friedel Family of the Month: The Kling Family

May: Knight of the Month: Robert Tumbiolo Family of the Month: Ron and Judy Hoenig

June: Knight of the Month: Rick DiCicco Family of the Month: Kevin and Paige Freedman

# Knight of the Year: Gerry Morris Family of the Year: Ron and Judy Hoenig







# Calendar of Events Happening in July

Month	Date	Event
	1	
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	3	Assembly Meeting 4th Degree 7:30PM
	4	4 <sup>th</sup> of July
	5	Independence Day Cookout 5pm-9pm PLUS FIREWORKS from City of Palm Bay
	6	
	7	Bingo Doors Open at 5 PM
	8	Ladies Aux. Meeting 11AM Officer & Director Meeting 7:30 PM
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	11	
	12	Council Meeting & 1st Degree 7:30 PM
	13	
	14	Bingo Doors Open at 5 PM
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	20	
	21	Bingo Doors Open at 5 PM
	22	
	23	
	24	SOCIAL MEETING 7:30 PM
	25	
	26	
	27	
	28	Bingo Doors Open at 5 PM
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	30	
	31	



## Information

#### **Meetings**

(All meetings are at the Council Hall unless otherwise announced)

Fourth Degree First Thursday at 7:30 PM

General Council (Business) Second Thursday at 7:30 PM

Columbus Club Second Thursday at 6:30 PM

General Council (Social) Fourth Thursday at 7:30 PM

> First Degree TBA by Grand Knight

# Assembly Boosters Club

Get Listed in our Boosters Club

The Ladies Auxiliary Pat & Nancy Farrelly Ted & Maria Krus Rich & Rita Wendt Terry and Mary Galvin Michael Deschaine Tony Krzeminski Rick Di Cicco, PGK Frank Wahla Kenneth Friedel Family Mike Wahlberg, PGK

See the Faithful Comptroller for payment.

## Boosters Club

Get Listed in our Boosters Club

Rick DiCicco, PGK Hector Colon, PGK Stephen Whitney Lois McManus Daniel Cochran Joe and Denise Giesler Ron and Judy Hoenig Frank and Anne Altro Kenneth Friedel Family **Tony Krzeminski** James Shellenback Sr. James Krempasky and Shirley Hollink Anthony Selario Fr. Jan Majenik Jerry Morris Lorraine Callagy Mike Wilcox Bradley and Suzanne Hood Pat and Nancy Farrelly Michael Wilcox Joe and Teresa Widmayer

Cost to be a Booster is \$5 per name or \$10 a couple. See the Financial Secretary for payment.

# Happy Birthday!

Frank R. Altro Stephen J. Baciak Richard A. Chalk Joseph J. Ciambra Rob B. Clark Daniel J. Cochran Larry E. Davis Michael R. Deschaine David J. Dezman **Charles Giguere** Michael Gool Deacon Gary M. Hessen Calvin L. Holton III Rev. Timothy Lee Knepper Thomas S. Lozynski Vincente G. Martin Thomas P. McDonough Fr. Robert W. Mitchell William C. Mitchell William S. Morissette **Eugene Perkins** Arnold M. Redfearn Deacon James D. Stokes Jeffery E. Titus **Robert Tumbiolo** 



## Information Cont.

#### List of Brothers & Sister who Rest in Peace

Eugene Callagy, Thomas Pernice, Peter Cote, John Pordon, Michael Finn, Robert Lannon, Fred Marano, Patrick Steffens, Robert Meehan, Fred Mercier, Leonard Miller, Edward Parsley, Tim Chasey, Joseph Rinando, William Bloemen, Robert, Goldbach, Nannette Apel, Tony Colandrea, Kenneth Jaques, Doug Kalcik, Kevin Roberts, Frank Ferrante, Tim Holcomb, Fred Weinert, Nicholas Fiasconaro, Alrico Eric Macrorenhas, Juan Ferras, Gene Janutolo, Michael Uhaul, Rene Laimont, Mel Broom, James Duffy, Kenny Derenthal, Msgr. Cleo Schmenk, Linda Boland, Antoinette Kaye, Dorothy Mulligan, Irene Ryan, Bernard Seman, Fr. Edward Hamilton, Albert Sorrentino, Chester Milza, James Grossman, Pete Hoffman, Tom Boland, Ann Coyne, Bob Goldback, Thomas Opalewski, John Landry, Bill Holmes, Marcia Falotico, Pablo Molina, Bob Calarco, Joseph Fliss, Dirk Kraus, John Malys, Leonard Hill, John Davis, Thomas Gourley, Russell Baxter, Edward J. Dudek, Walter Carper, Thomas Good, Mary Farrelly, Claudia Benifeito, Robert Rossman, Norman Measel, John Reddy, Beryl Kruempel, Dennis Yangco, Dennis Vukson, Mark Schiro, Henry Gartner, Peter Arbona, Gary Von Dross, PGK, PFN, FDW Bob Burgess, Gerald Burdick, Harry Vadney, William Hawk, Joseph Skoskie, Mike Brown, Paul Gallant, Tom Lipton, Robert Zerkowski, Carol Desmaris, Phil Rosaci, Jeanine Lembcke, Bill Stearly, Thomas E. Smith, Marietta Janutolo, Deacon John Dunlop, Sidney Durham, Bert Kaiser, Paul E. Phenix, Jr., Richard Wendt PFN, Fr. Robert "Bob" Hoeffner, Alain Fradette, Lu Berardi, Catherine

Quinn,

May they rest in peace and in the care of our Lord. Please pray for these brothers and sisters who have gone to their eternal reward. Council Information Address 6725 Babcock St. Malabar, FL 32950 321-312-6480 Mailing Address PO Box 60778 Palm Bay, FL 32906-0778

#### We're on the Web!

See us at:

https://council7408.wixsite.com/website

## **Baptism Cross Sponsors**

Month	Sponsor
July	Frank Altro
August	Tony Kzreminski
September	Joe Giesler
October	Kenny Friedel
November	Bradley Hood
December	James Krempasky
January	Rick DiCicco
February	Joe Widmayer
March	Joe Widmayer
April	Bradley Hood
May	Kenny Friedel
June	Rick DiCicco



# **Pictures from June**



Family of the Month - May Ron & Judy Hoenig







# More Pictures from June



# **More Pictures**





## **RENT OUR HALL!**





Security deposit - \$450.00 on all rentals (refundable)
Whole Building - \$150.00 per hour
Kitchen (East) Hall - \$125.00 per hour
No Kitchen (West) Hall - \$75.00 per hour





# **St. Joseph Council 7408** 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Polo Shirt Order Form

Date	 PAID
Name	 CASH
Phone	 СНЕСК
Email	 DATE
Address	

	Description	Size	Quantity	Unit Price	Amount
Mens	Polo Shirt Small	Small		33.00	
Mens	Polo Shirt Medium	Medium		33.00	
Mens	Polo Shirt Large	Large		33.00	
Mens	Polo Shirt Extra Large	XL		33.00	
Mens	Polo Shirt XXL	XXL		35.00	
Mens	Polo Shirt XXXL	XXXL		36.00	
Mens	Polo Shirt XXXXL	XXXXL		37.00	
Ladies	Polo Shirt Small	Small		33.00	
Ladies	Polo Shirt Medium	Medium		33.00	
Ladies	Polo Shirt Large	Large		33.00	
Ladies	Polo Shirt Extra Large	XL		33.00	
Ladies	Polo Shirt XXL	XXL		35.00	
Ladies	Polo Shirt XXXL	XXXL		36.00	
Ladies	Polo Shirt XXXXL	XXXXL		37.00	
				TOTAL	

Order will be submitted after payment received.

signature

Order taker, rec'd payment



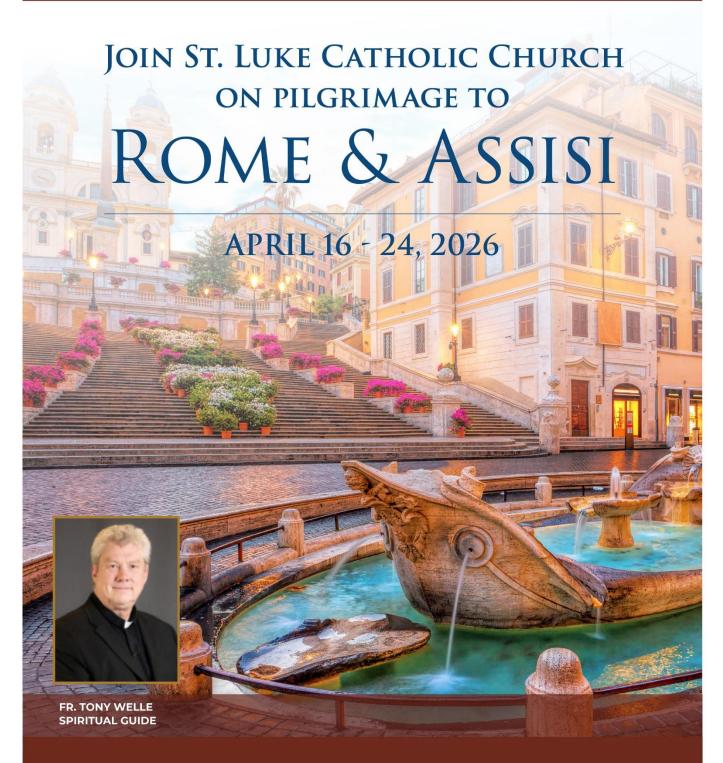
SAINT JOHN PAUL II Assembly 2932 **Polo Shirt Order Form** 

Date	 PAID
Name	 CASH
Phone	 CHECK
Email	
Address	DATE

	Description	Size	Quantity	Unit Price	Amount
Mens – no pocket	Polo Shirt Small	Small		38.00	
Mens – no pocket	Polo Shirt Medium	Medium		38.00	
Mens – no pocket	Polo Shirt Large	Large		38.00	
Mens – no pocket	Polo Shirt Extra Large	XL		38.00	
Mens – no pocket	Polo Shirt XXL	XXL		40.00	
Mens – no pocket	Polo Shirt XXXL	XXXL		42.00	
Mens – no pocket	Polo Shirt XXXXL	XXXXL		43.00	
Mens - pocket	Polo Shirt Small	Small		42.00	
Mens - pocket	Polo Shirt Medium	Medium		42.00	
Mens - pocket	Polo Shirt Large	Large		42.00	
Mens - pocket	Polo Shirt Extra Large	XL		42.00	
Mens - pocket	Polo Shirt XXL	XXL		43.00	
Mens - pocket	Polo Shirt XXXL	XXXL		45.00	
Mens - pocket	Polo Shirt XXXXL	XXXXL		46.00	
ADD:			NAMES		
The order will be submitted after payment receive				TOTAL	

signature

Order taker, rec'd payment





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Thursday, April 16

#### Depart

Depart from the USA on overnight flights to Rome.

## Day 2 Friday, April 17 🔺

## Arrive Rome | Assisi

Upon arrival, meet your local Italian tour manager, who will accompany you throughout the pilgrimage. You will then board a luxury motor coach and transfer to Assisi. There, you will celebrate Mass at St. Mary of the Angels, followed by time for prayers and reflection. Afterward, you will check into your hotel and enjoy a welcome dinner in Assisi.

#### Day 3 Saturday, April 18 👱

#### Assisi

Start your day with Mass at the Basilica of St. Francis, where you may request to visit the tomb of St. Francis. Following this, experience a guided tour of the Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi and the Church of St. Clare, with an opportunity to pray at the tomb of Bl. Carlo Acutis, who will be canonized in April 2025. The remainder of the day will be at your leisure, with dinner on your own and an overnight in Assisi.

## Day 4 Sunday, April 19 👱 📥

#### **Orvieto | Rome**

Journey to Rome with a stop in Orvieto to admire its stunning architecture and visit the site of the Eucharistic Miracle of Corpus Christi from 1263. Celebrate Mass at the Duomo of Orvieto, followed by a tour. Afterward, continue to Rome, check into your hotel, freshen up, and gather to enjoy a group dinner. Overnight in Rome.

#### Day 5 Monday, April 20 👱

## St. Peter's Basilica | Evening Walking Tour

Celebrate a morning Mass at St. Peter's Basilica, with an option to visit the crypt. A guided tour of the basilica follows, including an opportunity to climb the cupola or top of the dome. Enjoy a free afternoon before an evening walking tour of the Spanish Steps, Trevi Fountain, Santa Maria Sopra Minerva, and Campo de' Fiori. Dinner is at your leisure, with an overnight in Rome.

## Day 6 Tuesday, April 21 👱

## Ancient Rome | St. Paul Outside the Walls | St. John in Lateran

Begin with Mass at St. Peter's in Chains, followed by a guided tour of Ancient Rome, including the Colosseum, Roman Forum, and Circus Maximus. Tour the Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls, followed by a guided tour of St. John in Lateran with time to pray on the Holy Stairs. Experience local cuisine on your own and overnight in Rome.

Day 7 Wednesday, April 22 👱

# Papal Audience\* | Vatican Museums & Sistine Chapel

Attend the early morning Papal Audience\*, followed by Mass. In the afternoon, enjoy a guided tour of the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel. The evening will be at your leisure with an overnight in Rome.



#### St. Mary Major

Today, celebrate Mass at St. Mary Major, followed by a guided tour. The remainder of the day is at your leisure for shopping, prayer, and exploration. In the evening, gather for a special farewell dinner.

#### Day 9 🛛 Friday, April 24 👱

#### Return

Transfer to the airport for return flights home

Inner Steiner Stein



# TOUR INCLUSIONS

- Seven nights' accommodations at four-star hotels
  - Two nights in Assisi
  - Five nights in Rome
- · Continental breakfast daily
- Three dinners with wine, including a welcome and farewell dinner
- Luxury motor coach for specified sightseeing
- · Local, Catholic tour manager while in Italy
- Local guides according to the itinerary
- Sightseeing and entrance fees according to the itinerary
- Arrangements of daily Mass including donations in unique and historic churches
- · Hotel & city taxes and porterage for 1 piece of luggage
- Personal audio devices for group tours
- Gratuities payable to local tour manager, guides, and drivers

#### YOUR TOUR DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Airfare; this package is sold land only
  - Group airfare offer to be announced in June, 2025
- Airport transfers for travelers not on group flights
- · Meals not specifically identified
- Beverages with meals unless specified
- Other personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- Items not specifically mentioned

#### **EXCITING DETAILS TO COME!**

- Tour Confirmation Email | Sent when the minimum number of travelers has been met and no later than 90 days prior to departure
- Hotel Information Email | Sent 45 days prior to departure
- Final Travel Document Mailing | Sent 10 days prior to departure

# PRICES STARTING AT \$3,999\*

#### per person, double occupancy

\*This price reflects a \$200 per person Early Booking Savings for deposits received before April 18, 2025 and a \$135 per person Check Discount for those paying the total cost of the tour by check after the initial deposit. The check discount is no longer applicable once the final payment date has passed.

#### SINGLE SUPPLEMENT + \$1,200

TRAVEL PROTECTION: Cancel For Any Reason (CFAR) travel protection is highly recommended. <u>www.travelinsured.com/</u> agency?agency=47907

#### ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS? REVIEW OUR FAQS

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and agree to Corporate Travel's Terms & Conditions. <u>www.ctscentral.net/corporate-</u> <u>travel-terms-and-conditions</u>

#### PAYMENT SCHEDULE

- **Deposit:** \$500 per person due upon registration
- Second Deposit: \$1,250 additional due on or before November 17, 2025
- Final Payment: Balance due on or before January 16, 2026

#### CANCELLATION POLICY:

All cancellations must be received in writing. Payments are non-refundable and subject to CTS Terms and Conditions, including the CTS Liability Release.

Note: CTS reserves the right to cancel any reservation if payments are not made according to the payment schedule. A \$25 fee will be added to any reinstated reservation. Payments received after the final due date will incur late fees.

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