

Purpose

This is the fifth Holy Land Journey sponsored by the Nebraska Synod Holy Land Accompaniment (NSHLA), an arm of the Nebraska Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA). Our purpose is to explore the land, meet the people, and accompany our brothers and sisters in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land.

Rev. Megan B. Morrow, Assistant to the Bishop for the Nebraska Synod, will lead the Journey. This will be Pastor Megan's fifth trip to the Holy Land. She is very familiar with the land and the "Living Stones" (the people themselves.)

Love Offering

Each traveler is invited to bring a "Love Offering" of \$75 or more, given personally and/or collected from congregations, family, friends. The offerings will be divided between the 6 Lutheran churches and Augusta Victoria Hospital for their ministries. Thank you!

Nebraska Synod, ELCA
6757 Newport Ave., Ste. 200
Omaha, NE 68152

Recipient Name
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City, ST ZIP Code

Exploring the Holy Land, Meeting the People

A unique, one-of-a-kind journey
"into the heart of the Holy Land."



April 20 – May 2, 2020

Sponsored by Nebraska
Synod Holy Land
Accompaniment (NSHLA)



Registration

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____

Zip: _____

Best Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Hotel Room: *My roommate will be...*

OR

____ Please assign me a roommate.

OR

____ I wish to have a single room and will pay \$700 extra.

Please enclose a check for the \$850 registration fee (non-refundable). Make check payable to "Nebraska Synod." Return this form and payment to:

Nebraska Synod, ELCA
ATTN: Stephanie Lusienski
6757 Newport Ave., Ste. 200
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General Schedule

-Depart on April 20, 2020, from Omaha, arriving on April 21 in Tel Aviv, traveling with American Airlines and Iberia Airlines.

-Travel on comfortable buses to Lutheran schools and churches, to the north and the Galilee area, then across the Jordan River to Jordan, and finally back to Jerusalem.

-Explore the Old City of Jerusalem; worship with Palestinian Lutheran people.

-Depart on May 2 from Tel Aviv, arriving in Omaha the same day.

Costs

The 2020 Journey to Modern Palestine, Jordan and Israel will cost \$4,600 per person.

Included: Coach airline tickets; double occupancy hotel room; breakfast and supper daily; all ground transportation; visas; entrance fees; all tips for guides/drivers/hotel staffs; fees for invited speakers.

Not Included: Noon lunches; U.S. passport; travel insurance; a single room (\$700 extra); personal expenses; travel to and from the Omaha airport.

Payment Schedule

Registration fee: \$850 (Non-refundable)

Three payments due on or before:

November 8, 2019 - \$1,250

January 10, 2020 - \$1,250

February 14, 2020 - \$1,250

-Full payment may be made at any time.

-Single room surcharge of \$700 is payable with any of the above payments.

-Travel insurance is recommended because the registration fee is nonrefundable and by Jan. 10, '20, the whole trip is nonrefundable due to airline and ticket payments and policies.

You Are Invited

on an unforgettable visit to the Holy Land today. The Journey is focused on connecting with the people and learning about the lands of Modern Palestine, Israel and Jordan – the homeland of the Prince of Peace – Jesus of Nazareth.

- Visit the schools and churches of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Jordan and the Holy Land (ELCJHL).
- Become acquainted with Augusta Victoria Hospital (AVH) on the Mount of Olives – a beacon of hope and health for tens of thousands of people since 1950 – operated by the Lutheran World Federation (LWF).
- Meet people who live in the Holy Land and are Christian, Muslim and Jewish.
- Visit the Mar Elias schools in Ibillin, Israel.
- Visit "holy sites" such as the Church of the Nativity, the Mount of Olives, the Sea of Galilee, the River Jordan and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre.
- Learn from guest speakers in places we visit or in the hotels in the evening.
- Discover the wonders of Petra, the ancient city of Jordan, and the beauty of the capitol, Amman, explore the Old City of Jerusalem.

Questions? Contact Us

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