

Pilgrimage in Jerusalem

On the road to Emmaus
From April 11th to April 18th 2027



 **JC2033**

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Programme

APRIL 11TH, 2027

- Meet at the “Salesian Guest House,” 18 HaAyin Het St., Jerusalem, starting at
- 4:00 p.m. to pick up your room keys.
- 7:15 p.m. Meet for dinner
- 8:30 p.m. First group meeting

APRIL 12TH

- Sharing the “Existential Emmaus Journeys”
- Mount of Olives–Gethsemane
- Walk along the Via Dolorosa toward the Church of the Holy Sepulcher.
- Dinner at the guesthouse

APRIL 13TH

- Tour of the Tomb Garden
- Walk from the Tomb Garden to Motza, “Flavius Josephus’s Emmaus”
- Tour of the Yellin House
- Dinner at the guesthouse

APRIL 14TH

- Visit to the Abu Gosh Monastery, “the Emmaus of the Crusaders.”
- Visit to the Saxum Center – Walk to Yad Hashmona
- Visit to the “Biblical Garden” at Yad Hashmona
- “Biblical meal” at Yad Hashmona

APRIL 15TH

- Walk from Neve Illan to Emmaus/Nicopolis, “Byzantine Emmaus”
- Tour of the Byzantine church and the archaeological park
- Dinner at the guesthouse

APRIL 16TH

- Meeting with a church leader in Jerusalem
- Tour of various sites in Jerusalem
- Dinner at the guesthouse

APRIL 17TH

- Bethlehem: Visit to the Basilica of the Nativity and the Shepherds’ Field
- Meal at the WI’AM Center
- Return to Jerusalem and free time
- Reflection on the week
- Festive meal at the guesthouse

APRIL 18TH

- Keys must be returned by 11:00 a.m. at the latest.
- End of the organized trip.
- Participants are responsible for arranging their own return to their home country

Why?

Almost 2000 years ago, two disciples, walking between Jerusalem and Emmaus, had an encounter that changed them forever. To prepare for the celebration of the 2000th anniversary of the resurrection of Christ, JC2033 invites you to walk along this path which is so important for all Christians!

- The walks will be preceded and followed by a day in Jerusalem, at the traditional sites of the events surrounding Jesus' death and resurrection
- We want to meet with communities in Jerusalem, Bethlehem, and along the way, visiting the various sites associated with Emmaus: Abu Gosh, Nicopolis, and Motza
- This walk will include times for sharing and prayer
- We also hope these days will be rich with encounters among Christians from different churches and various countries
- Embarking on a pilgrimage to Jerusalem and along the road to Emmaus is a special experience that brings us to the heart of the Christian faith. This walk will also be a time of spiritual renewal
- Note: The "Salesian Guesthouse" offers us a simple and unique experience in a very well-located setting, but it is not a hotel.



Travel policy

Terms and conditions - Tour Israel - April 10th to April 17th, 2026 - with JC2033. In collaboration with Twin Tour travel agency

PACKAGE PRICE WITHOUT FLIGHTS

- **GBP 1180** (double room).

The number of participants is limited to 33. Registrations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis. The number of single rooms is limited to 7.

THE PRICE INCLUDES

- 7 nights' accommodation in a B&B (basic comfort).
- Double room with WC/shower
- Breakfast and evening meal (including soft drinks) each day:
- Travel by coach with a private driver.
- Local English-speaking guide.
- All entrance fees to sites mentioned (details of tickets for visits).
- Tips.

THE PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Flights are the responsibility of each participant.
- Transportation to and from the airport.
- Lunch (picnics if reserved beforehand with Salesian guesthouse).
- Additional drinks during meals
- Single room supplement: GBP 180.00 for the whole week.
- Travel insurance, covering cancellation costs and assistance/repatriation.
- Visa fees, if applicable.

If the number of participants is less than 10, the trip might be canceled (participants will be notified by March 2nd, 2026). In this case, the deposit will be refunded in full.

REGISTRATIONS

Open from **July 1st, 2026, to February 27, 2027**

- A deposit of GBP 700 is required upon confirmation of registration (twin room) or GBP 800 (single room).
- Balance to be paid by March 9th, 2026 to JC2033 CCP 14-719937-0 IBAN : CH12 0900 0000 1471 9937 0

REGISTRATION FORM



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SALESIAN GUEST HOUSE

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WALKS ON THE ROAD TO EMMAUS

The three walks (10km, 14km, and 5km) are not very difficult. There is little difference in altitude. However, walking shoes (or good trainers) are mandatory and sticks are recommended.

You will need to be in good physical condition.

WAR MEASURES AND INSURANCE

- To view the recommendations of the Federal Departement of Foreign Affairs regarding the situation in Israel, please visit the following link: <https://www.eda.admin.ch/eda/en/dfa/representations-and-travel-advice/israel/reisehinweise-israel.html>.
- Travel insurance covering cancellation costs, accidents, and assistance/repatriation is mandatory. Please contact your insurance provider, the TCS (ETI booklet), or another organization.

FORMALITIES

- A valid passport is required, with at least six months' validity beyond the travel dates. No visa is required for holders of a Swiss passport.
- An ETA-IL (Electronic Travel Authorization for Israel) is mandatory for foreign nationals from visa-exempt countries. The cost is approximately CHF 6 per person.
- Check your eligibility here: <https://israel-entry.piba.gov.il/learn-about/> and apply for your ETA-IL here: <https://israel-entry.piba.gov.il>.
- The local currency is the Israeli Shekel (NIS). We recommend bringing both shekels and GBP or EUR or CHF.

CANCELLATION POLICY

In the event of cancellation of a definitive booking by the participant, the following charges will be payable by the participant (or by his cancellation insurance):

- + 90 days before departure: GBP 350 per person.
- 89 to 41 days: 60% of the price of the trip.
- 40 to 0 days: 100% of the price of the trip.