

Warsaw - Częstochowa – Krakow – Wadowice - Łagiewniki - Zakopane

# **Pilgrimage to Poland** May 5-13, 2014

\$2625 \* per person in twin share room; \$499 single supplement

### 5 May (Mon) Pittsfield - New York

Board your private coach for the transfer to New York JFK airport and your direct overnight flight aboard LOT Polish Airlines to Warsaw.

#### 6 May (Tues) Arrive Warsaw

On arrival in Warsaw, meet your escort & coach and transfer to your hotel with a panoramic tour enroute. Some time to rest & freshen up before a welcome dinner at a local restaurant.



#### 7 May (Wed) Warsaw

Today a city sightseeing tour of Warsaw. See the 13<sup>th</sup> century Old Town Market Square, surrounded by shops & restaurants, the 14<sup>th</sup> century St. John's cathedral, which served as the coronation & burial sites, and Warsaw's Royal Route. See the iconic Łazienki Park, Warsaw's largest park, formally the palace grounds to Poland's last monarch, and now home to the famous Chopin monument. Visit the Museum of the Warsaw Uprising, which takes guests through the timeline of the uprising, bringing history to life. Enjoy dinner tonight at a local restaurant & overnight in Warsaw.

#### 8 May (Thu) Warsaw – Częstochowa - Krakow

After breakfast depart for Częstochowa for Mass & a visit to Jasna Góra Monastery, a place of pilgrimage for hundreds of years, & Poland's most famous shrine to the Virgin Mary. After your visit, continue to Krakow for dinner at a local restaurant & overnight.



#### 9 May (Fri) Krakow & Wieliczka Salt Mines



This morning a city tour of Krakow, including the Old Town Market Square, Collegium Maius, Mariacki Church, Wawel Hill, and the famous window of Pope John Paul II at Franciszkańska street. This afternoon, visit the amazing Wieliczka Salt Mine, mined since the 13th century, chapels, statues, and galleries have been sculpted into the rock salt. After your visit, enjoy dinner at a local

restaurant & overnight in Krakow.

#### 10 May (Sat) Oswiecim & Wadowice

After breakfast depart to Auschwitz for a visit to the former Nazi concentration camp, which stands as a memorial to the thousands of innocent people who perished here. Continue on to Wadowice, Blessed Pope John Paul II's childhood hometown. See his home & the church in which he was baptized, confirmed, served as an altar boy, and prayed daily before the miraculous picture of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Return to Krakow for some free time, followed by dinner this evening in the Jewish District with the performance of traditional Jewish Klezmer Music.



#### 11 May (Sun) – Łagiewniki & Tyniec

This morning travel the short distance to Łagiewniki. Today, pilgrims come in the thousands to pray before the original picture where 33-year-old Sister Faustyna died in 1938 and where she is buried. After your time in Łagiewniki, continue to the Benedictine Abbey in Tyniec for a visit and sample some Benedictine products and spirits. Perhaps you will like to purchase some in the local shop to take home! Return to Krakow for dinner at a the local restaurant.

#### 12 May (Mon) Zakopane

Today a full day excursion to Zakopane, surrounded by the Tatras, Poland's highest mountains & enjoy lunch accompanied by local music performance of the Highlanders. Return to Krakow for overnight and a farewell dinner at a local restaurant.





#### 13 May (Tue) Krakow – JFK - Pittsfield After breakfast, board your coach for your return

After breakfast, board your coach for your return flights via Warsaw. On arrival in New York, your private coach will take you home to Pittsfield, with fond memories of your pilgrimage.



#### Included:

- Air transportation from JFK to Warsaw, return from Krakow
- US Departure taxes/fuel surcharges as currently levied (subject to change)
- •7 nights 4\* hotel accommodations in twin occupancy
- •Hotel taxes and service charges
- · Buffet breakfast daily
- •1 lunch in Zakopane with local folk entertainment
- •1 degustation at Tyniec Abbey
- Dinner daily including tea/coffee
- Deluxe motorcoach & professional driver
- Full time English speaking tour escort in Poland
- •Local guides as needed
- Daily Liturgical schedule
- Porterage 1 suitcase pp at hotels
- Private motorcoach transportation from Pittsfield to JFK & return
- Travel bag & luggage tags

#### **TARIFF & CURRENCY FLUCTUATIONS:**

Our price is quoted in U.S. Dollars and is based on current tariffs, taxes, and exchange levels. Rates are subject to adjustments in the event of sharp fluctuations in exchange rates, increases and/or additional fuel or security surcharges. If a roommate is not available, you will be billed the single supplement cost. (Singles are limited and not guaranteed) Rate is based on a minimum group size of 35\*

#### **INSURANCE:**

Insurance is highly recommended. Insurance details will be sent to you upon registration.

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#### CANCELLATION POLICY

Full refund minus a \$100.00 fee will be made for cancellations received in writing up to 91 days prior to departure. After that period, additional cancellation fees are as follows:

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#### Not Included:

- Passport or Visa fees (if applicable)
- Personal expenses (laundry, telephone, beverages, etc.)
- Optional trip cancellation insurance
- •Gratuities to drivers, guides, escort
- •Meals, entrances, etc not specifically listed

## **Payment dates:**

Space is limited to a first come, first served basis \$350 per person deposit due with reservation Final payment due Feb 1, 2014

> \*Price is based on minimum 35 pilgrims \$2675 pp with 30 pilgrims \$2735 pp with 25 pilgrims

#### VALID PASSPORT IS REQUIRED

It is required that your passport be valid for at least six months from the date of your departure. A visa may be required for non-USA citizens. You are responsible to have all documents in order. Olivewood Tours will not be held responsible for insufficient travel documents.

#### **RESPONSIBILITY:**

Olivewood Tours is not responsible for any personal injury, damage, loss, accident, or delay due to any act, negligence or default of the tour guide, or any company or person engaged in transporting the passengers, or rendering any service, or carrying out the arrangements for any tour, or their agents, servants, and employees.

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