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# FAITH & FOOD OF CROATIA'S DALMATIAN SEA, VENETIAN SEA AND MEDJUGORJE

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MAY 21-JUNE 1, 2023

**\$4,995** AIR AND LAND FROM NEW YORK  
**\$4,295** LAND ONLY



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# WHAT'S THE COST?

Land and Air

**\$4995.00**

Land Only

**\$4295.00**

Single Supplement

**\$895.00**

Prices are valid only if the deposit is received no later February 17, 2023

Final payment due March 21, 2023



This active program covers a good amount of ground each day.

You need to be able to walk for 60 minutes straight and on uneven surfaces.

Some stairs will be encountered.

## ITINERARY

### ✚ DAY 1, May 21, Sunday: DEPART FROM THE USA

Depart on an overnight flight from the USA. Add-on flights are available from most USA airports. Dinner and breakfast are served on the flight. Business and premium economy upgrades are available upon request.

### ✚ DAY 2, May 22, Monday: ARRIVAL DUBROVNIK

Upon arrival at the Dubrovnik airport we are met by our English-speaking tour manager and transferred to your hotel. Settle into the hotel before getting to the old city. Enjoy exploring the Old Town, also known as the "Pearl of the Adriatic." We celebrate Mass before our dinner at a typical Dalmatian restaurant that serves local delicacies and wines. Overnight in Dubrovnik. (D.)

### ✚ DAY 3, May 23, Tuesday: DUBROVNIK

Following breakfast, we return to the Old Town for a walking tour, beginning with a visit to St. Blasius Church. Continue to the Gothic and Renaissance-style Rector's Palace, home to the History Department of the Museum of Dubrovnik. Next, stroll by the iconic Bell Tower Clock and Orlando's Column. To the left of this column is the Sponza Palace. Our final stops on the tour are the Dominican and Franciscan Monasteries. This afternoon, enjoy lunch on your own at one of the many small, family-owned restaurants along the narrow streets. The remainder of the day and dinner are at leisure. Mass will be celebrated. Overnight in Dubrovnik. (B)

### ✚ DAY 4, May 24, Wednesday: FULL-DAY EXCURSION TO MONTENEGRO

After breakfast, we depart for Montenegro, a small country boasting a dynamic landscape of extremely high peaks juxtaposed beside very deep canyons, caves, and bays. We begin our excursion by heading towards the mouth of the beautiful Bay of Kotor, the longest and deepest fjord in Southern Europe. Enjoy a boat ride to Our Lady of the Rocks, one of two islets off the coast of Perast. The Roman Catholic Church is the largest building on the artificial island made of rocks and old ships. The island was created by a local fisherman who found the Blessed Mother and Jesus icon on a rock here. Now it is a tradition to throw rocks at the island to increase its size. Upon return to the coast, we stop in Perast, a charming, old coastal town with just one main street, yet sixteen churches! Mass will be celebrated. Return to Dubrovnik for dinner and overnight. (B.D.)

### ✚ DAY 5, May 25, Thursday: DUBROVNIK – MEDJUGORJE

We drive along the coast stopping at the inlet of Peljesac for a wine tasting before we reach the village of Medjugorje, in Bosnia and Herzegovina. Settle into our comfortable hotel, followed by an orientation tour and Mass. In the evening we participate in a program consisting of the prayer of all three Mysteries of the Holy Rosary and the evening International Holy Mass. Afterward, you may participate in the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and Blessing of the Sick. Dinner and overnight in Medjugorje. (B.D.)

### ✚ DAY 6, May 26, Friday: MEDJUGORJE

Our spiritual program in Medjugorje consists of a retreat by Fr. Leo, talks given by the Franciscans, daily Holy Mass, and a visit to Podbrdo, also known as Apparition Hill, the site of the apparition of Our Lady and a visit to the village Bijakovici from where all six visionaries come. We have a chance to meet with the visionaries if they are in Medjugorje. Tonight we have a unique experience at a local restaurant where we enjoy a cooking demonstration hosted by the local chef with Father Leo. Overnight in Medjugorje. (B. Special dinner)

### ✚ DAY 7, May 27, Saturday: MEDJUGORJE – TROGIR – ZADAR

We depart Medjugorje driving to the small coastal town of Trogir where we have lunch and time to stretch our legs walking through the old city. En route, we stop at the Shrine of Little Lourdes. Continue to Zadar, for Mass, dinner, and an overnight. (B.D.)

### ✚ DAY 8, May 28, Sunday: ZADAR RIVIERA

We enjoy a day in Zadar, touring the city and in the afternoon taking a private boat to Kornati island where we have a fish picnic. Mass will be celebrated. Overnight in Zadar. (B.L.D.)

### ✚ DAY 9, May 29, Monday: ZADAR – OPATIJA

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We drive along the beautiful bay of Kvarner through the picturesque area of Croatia known as Istra to the town of Opatija. Enjoy an evening at leisure in Opatija to explore the city on your own. Mass will be celebrated. Overnight in Opatija. (B.)

### ✚ DAY 10, May 30, Tuesday: OPATIJA – PADUA

Departing Croatia we cross the border into Italy driving to the city of Padua. We celebrate Mass at the Cathedral of St. Anthony and explore the ancient university city. Dinner and overnight in Mestre. (B.D.)

### ✚ Day 11, May 31, Wednesday: VENICE – ST. FRANCIS OF THE DESERT

Today we enjoy a tour of the “city paved with water!” We take a boat to Venice where our walking tour includes a visit to St. Mark’s Square, the largest square in the city and the site of many government buildings including the Golden Basilica of San Marco, known for the great mosaics that depict the Old and New Testament of the Bible. We see the Bridge of Sighs, a bridge that will bring eternal love to those who drift below it. You will also have the chance to view the Doge’s Palace (Duke’s Palace), which served as the seat of the government for the Republic of Venice for centuries. Our pilgrimage ends with a visit to the Island of St. Francis of the Desert by boat. On the island in 1220, St. Francis took a retreat after his pilgrimage to the Holy Land to rest in silence, pray and reflect in peace. We are welcomed by the Franciscan Friars who accompany us during our visit. We celebrate Mass here, meet the monks and enjoy some time in the quiet and prayerful peace of the island. Farewell dinner at a local restaurant. Overnight in Mestre. (B. Special dinner)

### ✚ Day 12, June 1, Thursday: VENICE – USA

We are transferred to Venice airport for our flights home.



## YOUR COMPREHENSIVE TOUR INCLUDES

- Round trip airfare Newark to Zagreb x Venice to Newark or JFK
- Airport Taxes and fuel surcharges (subject to change at the time of final payment)
- Accommodation at a First-Class hotel for 10 nights
- Buffet breakfast daily
- Two restaurant dinners with wine
- Cooking class and cooking demonstration
- Wine tasting in Peljesac
- Kornati Boat excursion with lunch and wine
- Air-conditioned deluxe motor coach
- English speaking guide
- All Entrance fees as per itinerary.
- Parking fees for buses
- Local hotel taxes
- Select International Tours Travel Portfolio
- Confirmation of Daily Mass
- We recommend you consider purchasing CFAR Travel Protection

## RATES DO NOT INCLUDE

- Personal expenses
- Medical insurance
- Beverages at meals unless otherwise noted
- Gratuities for the guide(s), driver, and wait staff for included meals. A Tip fund of \$180 per person will be added to each invoice and pre-collected for the convenience of the pilgrims
- Church donations

## BAGGAGE CHARGES NOT INCLUDED IN TRIP COST

- Any airline baggage charges.
- Baggage handling at train stations and airports
- Baggage handling at the hotels in excess of one suitcase per person.
- Any charges incurred due to excessive luggage including the cost of an additional baggage vehicle or portage charges.

**Deposits and final payment:** A deposit of \$500.00 per person by check should accompany the enrollment form along with your optional travel protection payment and a copy of your passport picture page by **February 17, 2023. Final payment is due by March 21, 2023. A late payment fee of \$100 will be charged per person for all payments received after the final payment date.** Please mail your payment to: Select International Tours, 85 Park Ave., Flemington, NJ 08822 Attn: Rebecca Stoker, 800-842-4842, rebecca@select-intl.com.

**Your passport must be valid through December 21, 2023. Reservations will not be processed until we have passport copies.** Prices quoted are based on payments by check. Prices: \$4,995.00 for the complete package; \$4,295.00 for land only (air not included) \$895.00 solo traveler, additional cost, (in room by yourself). for credit card payments add 4%.

**Pilgrimage prices:** Prices are based on minimum 20 passengers. Prices may be adjusted in the event of fewer than 20 passengers, changes in currency conversion rates, or amendments in local government taxes and/or fuel surcharges. Prices are in US dollars. For European travel an exchange rate of US \$1.14 per Euro is assumed.

**Solo Travel:** A limited number of single rooms are available. Prices are based on two people per room. We do not guarantee roommates but will do our best to connect you with someone willing to share.

**Land Only Option:** Land only services start and end at the hotels and do not include any airfare. You are welcome to transfer from the airport with the group if you arrive at the same time, otherwise, transfers are not included.

**Tour Cancellation Policy:** Individual deposits are refundable except for a \$350.00 per person handling fee for cancellations made 90 days or more before departure. A \$500.00 non-refundable fee will be assessed if the reservation is canceled between 90 and 60 days prior to departure. Within 60 days of departure all payments are non-refundable regardless of reason for cancellations. All airline tickets are non-refundable once issued. All cancellations must be in writing. Unused portions of the trip are not refundable. If a roommate cancels, the cost of a solo supplement will be added to your invoice. You may be eligible for a refund through your travel protection. Refer to the U.S. Policy by State on our website.

**Trip Cancellation Protection:** We strongly encourage you to purchase a **Travel Protection Plan**, for the protection of your travel investment. Please consider purchasing this plan at the time of initial deposit in order to be covered for pre-existing conditions. Visit [www.travelinsured.com/agency?agency=47406&p=SEL21/](http://www.travelinsured.com/agency?agency=47406&p=SEL21/) or call 855-752-8303 for details and costs for the Select International Travel Protection Plan with optional Cancel for any reason (CFAR). Please note that CFAR is not available in NY State. The plans contain insurance benefits underwritten by the United States Fire Insurance Company. The plans also contain non-insurance Travel Assistance Services that are provided by an independent organization.

**Airline, seating and special requests:** To best accommodate our pilgrims, we often utilize Group Air Reservations. These allow more predictable transfer and tour schedules. However, when booking Group Air, the airline (not Select International Tours) controls

seating assignments. If you require very specific seats, we suggest that you book your own airfare and take advantage of our "Land Only" options. You may communicate directly with the airline to request seating changes, provide mileage program information, or change passenger contact information once you receive ticket numbers—approximately three (3) weeks prior to departure. We work with instant purchase airline tickets and or group rates. If you switch from air and land to land only within 90 days from departure you will be charged a \$100 service fee in addition to any airline charges. All special needs and requests due to medical or dietary restrictions must be requested in writing at least 60 days prior to departure. Business class and Premium Coach seats are available upon written request; as are add-ons from your hometown airport. If you require very specific airlines or schedules, we suggest that you book your own airfare and take advantage of our "Land Only" options.

**Walking:** Our trips require daily walking, sometimes up or down slopes, steps, and uneven terrain. We recommend preparing oneself, by walking before the trip. Anyone needing assistance is required to be accompanied by a qualified and physically-able travel companion. We are not responsible for any medical condition that occurs prior, during or after the trip.

**Safety Procedures:** Select International Tours has undertaken a reasonable inquiry, with all the suppliers (including airlines, hotels, bus companies and other service providers) used on our trips to ensure they have instigated the best available procedures regarding the pandemic- protective policies advised by local government and health authorities. The client understands and agrees that the supplier(s) may not apply those policies as diligently as the policies suggest. In addition even if the supplier makes a good faith effort to enforce its good practices, some travelers may simply refuse to cooperate. Therefore the client agrees not to hold Select International Tours or group leaders responsible should they or anyone on the trip contract COVID-19 or any other illness during or after the trip.

**Responsibility:** By accepting this confirmation, you agree that the Group Leaders and Select International Tours, Inc. have no responsibility for any acts or omission of the travel suppliers in your itinerary and during your trip. We have no special knowledge regarding the financial conditions of the suppliers, unsafe travel conditions, health hazards, or weather hazards at locations traveled. We are not responsible for flight delays or cancellations or any charges incurred due to unforeseen circumstances. Unused portions of the trip are non-refundable. For information about destination climate, risks, and safety please consult the appropriate on-line resources. For health information consult the Center for Disease Control and Prevention. You are responsible for checking passport, visa, vaccination, or other entry requirements of your destinations. Itineraries are subject to change. We are not responsible for any damaged, lost, or stolen articles. We are not responsible for any sickness, injury, or death during or after the trip. Travel documents will be mailed out approximately three (3) weeks before departure. Please review them carefully for any errors.

**Shipping & Handling:** \$15.00—not included in package price—will be added to each invoice. Your invoice will confirm the trip registration.

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## Pilgrimage to Croatia, Venice and Medjugorje with Fr. Leo Patalinghug and Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers May 21-June 21, 2023

Please complete this form and mail it to Select International Tours, along with your deposit, travel protection payment (if purchasing), and a copy of your passport picture page.



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Room: (check one) Single (1 Bed) \_\_\_\_\_ Double (1 Bed, 2 People) \_\_\_\_\_ Twin (2 Beds, 2 People) \_\_\_\_\_ Triple (3 Beds) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_ If single:  Match me with a roommate  Solo (in room by myself)  
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