

Holyland Pilgrimage Tours

# Footsteps of Paul Tour, October 4-14, 2027

Hosted by River of Life Church

with Pastor Charles & First Lady Cheryl Whitaker

## Itinerary Overview

**3 October**– Depart USA to Thessaloniki Greece

**4 Oct - Tuesday Arrive in Thessaloniki. Deluxe Hotel for 2 Nights**

**5 Oct –Visit ancient City of Philippi, where Paul preached his first sermon**

- Lydia's Spring, (the place where Paul led Lydia to Christ),
- Archaeological excavations of the Roman city of Philippi
- Remains of the Agnation Way and Port of Neapolis

**6 Oct – Tour Thessaloniki and arrive in Athens --NJV Athens Plaza Hotel for 2 Nights**

- Day at the capital city of northern Greece, the city of Thessaloniki
- Archaeological site of the ancient city of Thessaloniki
- Ancient city of Berea (Acts 17:10).
- Return to Thessaloniki and board flight to Athens

**7 Oct Visit ancient Corinth and the Corinth Canal**

- Bemah platform (Acts 18:12).
- Return to Athens to visit the Parthenon and Mars Hill

**8 Oct- Check out of NJV –Board Ship for 3 Nights cruising the Greek islands in the Aegean Sea**

- Sail at noon from the Piraeus port
- 1<sup>st</sup> stop Aegean Greek Island of Mykonos

**9 Oct - Cruise to Ephesus and Patmos**

- Ancient Ephesus as well as time to shop in the port of Ephesus
- Patmos, Island of John's exile where Jesus gave him the Revelation

**10 Oct - Cruise to Crete and Santorini**

- Morning in Heraklion, on the island of Crete where Paul sent Titus
- Afternoon -Island of Santorini.

**11 Oct –Disembark in Athens and travel to Rome: for 3 Nights**

- Fly to Rome walking tour by the Tiber river, St Peter's Square, Spanish Steps Trevi Fountain

**12 Oct – Tour Rome and the Vatican**

- The Vatican, the Sistine Chapel
- Roman Forum, Arch of Titus, The Colosseum

**13 Oct** - Day of individual sightseeing and farewell dinner.

**14 Oct** – Flights Home



## Full Trip Details

A trip website, [Footsteps of Paul Journey](#) has been prepared by Holyland Pilgrimage Tours with full daily itinerary, pictures, and videos for more detailed information. Click on the link or scan the QR Code.



## Costs per Person: \$5,979 USD per person double occupancy

Transatlantic flights to and from Europe not included; Single Room Supplement: \$2,050

### **Includes:**

- Two flights during the tour: Thessaloniki to Greece and from Athens to Rome
- All tours and admissions on the itinerary, guided by licensed Christian tour guides
- Deluxe motor coaches
- Deluxe Accommodations with breakfast and Dinner each day (except 1 dinner in Rome):
  - Two nights, Domotel Hotel in Thessaloniki or similar.
  - Two nights, The Stanley Hotel in Athens, or similar
  - Three nights, NH Roma Hotel in Rome city center or similar
  - Three nights, Greek Isles Cruise on Celestial Cruises, Olympia, outside windowed cabins
- All meals while on board Greek Island Cruise 3 days Full Board and unlimited drinks while on cruise including alcoholic and nonalcoholic beverages.
- Port charges and other gratuities on cruise.
- VAT, city taxes and accommodation tax.
- Porterage service at all hotels and cruise.
- Airport group transfer upon arrival and departure.

**Does NOT include** transatlantic flights, Lunch on non-cruise days, Tips of 200 USD per person to be collected by church prior to departure, personal expenses; nor drinks (except on board cruise)

## Registration

Registration form is available via this link [Footsteps of Paul 2027](#).

For questions, please contact [Anne-Marie Von Kahle \(avonkahle@gmail.com\)](mailto:avonkahle@gmail.com).



Registration Link

## Payment

- Deposit of \$750 is required with reservation (refundable until January 1, 2027).
- Full Trip Payment is due no later than **15 Sep** 2027.

## Cancellation Policy- If you cancel:

- Before 1 January 2027, you get 100% money back, including deposit
- Between 1 January - 1 May you get all money back minus deposit.
- Between 1 May - 1 July you get 80% money back.
- Between 1 July - 1 August you get 50% money back.
- Between 1 - August - 1 Oct you get 30% money back.
- After 1 August 2027. Payments are nonrefundable 2024 - no refund.