2025 JUBILEE YEAR!! DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND

in partnership with Ave Maria Pilgrimage

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WARSAW, KRAKOW, CZESTOCHOWA, LAGIEWNIKI, WADOWICE (birthplace of Pope John Paul II), ZAKOPANE

From LOS ANGELES, SAN DIEGO, or SAN FRANCISCO: \$3,880 per person/double occupancy From NEW YORK or HOUSTON: \$3,780 per person/ double occupancy

Single Occupancy: \$480 USD extra

Please call for departure from other cities. We look forward to welcoming you to our group along with offering the very best value.

Your trip includes:

- · Airfare from your departure city to Warsaw and Krakow
- 2 nights in Warsaw
- 1 night in Czestochowa
- 1 night in Zakopane
- 3 nights in Krakow
- Transfer by private motor coach
- Assistance of Tour Director
- Sightseeing Tours
- Daily Mass
- · Breakfast and dinner daily
- 4 Star Hotels
- all taxes

NOT INCLUDED in price: lunches. beverages with dinner and tips (\$9 per day/per pilgrim) for servers, guides, drivers and housekeeping Staff.

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You will receive your travel documents approximately three weeks prior to departure.

Cancellation fees are as follows:

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- Day 1: Depart for Warsaw, Poland and arrive the next day. Meals will be served onboard your flight.
- Day 2: Upon arrival in Warsaw, the capital city of Poland, we will check-in to our hotel for our two-night stay.
- Day 3: After breakfast we will have a city tour that includes the Old Town, marketplace, St. John's Cathedral (where we will celebrate the Holy Mass). Afterwards, we will visit the beautiful Royal Castle (entry fee included). There will be time for lunch and shopping. In the late afternoon we will return to our hotel for dinner and overnight stay.
- Day 4: Depart for Poland's greatest pilgrimage shrine Our Lady of Czestochowa. On the way we will stop in Niepokalanow to visit the Franciscan monastery founded by St. Maximilian Kolbe. We will arrive at Czestochowa for dinner and overnight stay.
- Day 5: After breakfast, we will visit Jasna Gora, Częstochowa, and the monastery which houses the miraculous painting of the Black Madonna, Queen of Poland. Next, we will travel to Wadowice, the birthplace of Karol Wojtyla (our beloved Pope John Paul II). Here we will celebrate Holy Mass. Then time for lunch and a little shopping. We will continue our drive to Zakopane and arrive in the evening for dinner and our one-night stay.
- Day 6: Today, we will visit the beautiful resort town of Zakopane. Saint John Paul II's favorite vacation place. Here, we will celebrate Holy Mass. Visit Krupowki Street, where we will have the opportunity to shop at the local bazaar. In the early afternoon, we will depart for Krakow for a 3 night stay.
- Day 7: After breakfast, we will depart for Lagiewniki, the Shrine of Divine Mercy. Here we will celebrate the Holy Mass. It was here that the Divine Mercy began and where Jesus gave the Divine Mercy Chaplet to St. Faustina. We will visit St. Faustina's convent chapel, her cell with original pictures and furniture, her tomb and the small memorial museum that houses the bell that Jesus rang when he came to visit her disguised as a beggar. We will return to Krakow for dinner and overnight stay.
- Day 8: After breakfast, we will visit the Wawel Cathedral and celebrate the Holy Mass. After Mass, we will explore Krakow Market Square. You will have free time to explore before returning to our hotel for dinner and overnight stay. (Optional* in your free time you can visit the Wieliczka Salt Mine.)
- Day 9: Departure from Krakow to your hometown. Have a blessed trip home!

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