

European Shrines & Footsteps of Pope Saint John Paul II

Day 1 Warsaw, Poland.

Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Balance of day is at leisure. Enjoy this evening's WELCOME DINNER with your traveling companions. (D)

Day 2 Warsaw.

Guided sightseeing includes the CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN, Lazienki Palace and the Warsaw Ghetto. Also, enjoy an excursion to NIEPOKALANOW, the Franciscan friary founded by St. Maximilian Kolbe. (B)

Day 3 Warsaw-Czestochowa-Auschwitz-Krakow.

Travel to CZESTOCHOWA, one of the world's most famous Marian shrines. Continue to Krakow. Afterwards, journey to AUSCHWITZ CONCENTRATION CAMP; visit the Martyrdom Museum and St. Maximilian Kolbe's cell. (B,D)

Day 4 Krakow.

Guided sightseeing of Old Town Krakow, the city where Pope John Paul II served as archbishop, includes ST. MARY'S CHURCH and WAWEL ROYAL CASTLE. Balance of day is at leisure. (B)

Day 5 Krakow. Excursions to Wadowice and Kalwaria Zebrzydowska.

This morning, visit the world famous SHRINE OF DIVINE MERCY. Then, travel to Wadowice to visit the birthplace and BOYHOOD HOME of Pope John Paul II. Also, visit KALWARIA ZEBRZYDOWSKA, one of the Pope's favorite shrines. (B,D)

Day 6 Krakow-Slovakia-Budapest, Hungary.

A scenic day as you travel though Slovakia. Arrive in Budapest, Hungary. Balance of day is at leisure. (B,D)

Day 7 Budapest.

Sightseeing includes MATTHIAS CORONATION CHURCH, BASILICA OF ST. STEPHEN CHURCH, and HEROES' SQUARE. Balance of day is at leisure. (B)

Day 8 Budapest-Vienna, Austria.

Journey to Győr to see the miraculous IRISH MADONNA image. Arrive in Vienna. (B,D)

Day 9 Vienna

Enjoy guided sightseeing including visits to Heldenplatz and ST. STEPHEN'S CATHEDRAL. Balance of day is at leisure. (B)



Day 10 Vienna-Brno-Prague, Czech Republic.

Travel through the beautiful European countryside and visit Brno, once Napoleon's headquarters, for an orientation tour before arriving in Prague. (B)

Day 11 Prague.

Guided sightseeing of Prague includes ST. VITUS CATHEDRAL and the Astronomical Clock. Also, see the beloved INFANT CHILD OF PRAGUE statue at Our Lady of Victory Church. Balance of day is at leisure. Enjoy this evening's FAREWELL DINNER. (B,D)

Day 12 Prague.

Your homebound flight arrives the same day. (B)