

# FATIMA

## Tour 36

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Lisbon (St. Anthony) · Santarem (Eucharistic Miracle) · Fatima



### YOUR TRIP INCLUDES

- Round-trip airfare from your desired Airport
- book without airfare (land only option)
- All airport taxes & fuel surcharges
- Centrally located first class hotels: (or similar)
- 1 ni: Marques de Pombal Lisbon, Portugal
- 2 ni: Santa Maria Jardim, Fatima, Portugal
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Breakfast and Dinner daily
- Wine with dinners
- Transportation by air-conditioned motor coach
- Assistance of a professional local guide(s)
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Sightseeing and admissions fees as per itinerary
- Catholic Priest available for Spiritual Direction
- Mass daily & Spiritual activities
- Luggage handling (1 piece per person)
- Flight bag & portfolio of all travel documents

### Not included

Lunches, Tips to your guide & driver.

### OPTIONAL

#### Travel Insurance

Providing you coverage for both pre-existing conditions and those that may arise during your trip, including medical and dental emergencies, loss of luggage, trip delay, and so much more.

#### SUPPLEMENTAL CANCELLATION PROTECTION

A Cancellation Waiver - allowing you to cancel your trip and receive a refund anytime - up until 24 hours prior to departure. The "Waiver" expires once you are within 24 hours of departure.

**About Fatima:** The Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima is one of most famous Marian shrines in the world. Many are drawn by the apparitions of the Virgin Mary to the three local shepherd children, in 1917. The Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to the shepherd children on the 13th day of six consecutive months in 1917, starting on May 13th until October 13th. The events at Fatima gained fame due to their elements of prophecy and eschatology, particularly with regard to possible world war and the conversion of Russia.

## ITINERARY

### Day 1: Wednesday, July 24 - Depart for Lisbon

Make your way to your local airport, where you will board your overnight flight(s). Your meals will be served on board.

### Day 2: Thursday, July 25 - Arrive Lisbon

Upon landing at Lisbon Airport, and after claiming your baggage, proceed to the arrival's hall, where you will be greeted by your tour guide and/or driver. This afternoon we will enjoy Panoramic tour of Lisbon, which will include St. Jerome's Monastery, built to give thanks to the Virgin Mary, we will drive by the Belem Tower and many landmarks including the 25th of April Bridge, Basilica of the Star, and the Marquee of Pombal Square. Our last stop will be St. Anthony's Church. Patron Saint of lost things is best known as St. Anthony of Padua (Italy), but he was born and baptized here in Lisbon, Portugal. The Church where we will celebrate Mass is built upon St. Anthony's birth. Welcome dinner and overnight in Lisbon.

### Day 3: Friday, July 26 - Lisbon - Santarem - Fatima

Today, we will head to Fatima, on the way will stop in town of Santarem for Mass at St. Stephens Church, and to venerate the 13th century Eucharistic Miracle. Continue to Fatima, a Hamlet of Aljustrel, the birthplace and home of the three shepherd children. Dinner and overnight in Fatima.

### Day 4: Saturday, July 27 - Fatima

Today will surely be a memorable experience, as you pray and meditate upon one of Our Blessed Mother's apparition sites. Our Lady appeared to three shepherd children; Lucia (age 10), Jacinta (age 7), and Francisco (age 9). These apparitions occurred monthly from May until October of 1917. Historically, as the entire world was in true turmoil, Our Lady's most prominent message during this time was to pray for world peace. The destruction of the world at that point in history was also mentioned by Our Lady in her messages of Fatima, and more specifically, in her second secret to the children. Our profoundly reflective day begins with a visit to the Little Chapel of the Apparitions. This simple, yet modern, chapel is the site where the Virgin Mary first appeared on May 13, 1917. Continue with a visit to the stunning neoclassical church, the Basilica of Our Lady of the Rosary. This Sacred space contains the tombs of St. Francisco, St. Jacinta, and Sister Lucia. View the monument that commemorates the Sacred Heart of Jesus, in the square. Due to Our Lady's consistency in Her messages to pray the Rosary, this Basilica also features fifteen altars, dedicated to the fifteen mysteries of the Rosary. While in the Basilica, you will be able to feel, through the Love of Our Lord and Lady, the many graces that were received here. Visit the Museum with the exhibition: Fatima: Light and Peace. Continue with a visit to the Holy Trinity Basilica. After free time for lunch, we will experience Christ's unconditional love by participating in the Stations of the Cross along the Via Sacra. The "Sacred Way" marks the path taken by the shepherd children of Fatima to their first apparition with Our Lady. It is composed of fifteen small chapels in commemoration of the Passion of Our Lord. The fifteenth station, the Resurrection, can be found close to the Chapel of Calvary, dedicated to St. Stephen, King of Hungary. The day ends with a visit to Valinhos, the site of

Our Lady's August 1917 apparition and the first and third apparition of the Angel. Your night will conclude with private devotions, and a candlelight procession, requested by Our Lady (1917). Enjoy dinner and a comfortable night's rest in Fatima.

### Days 5 to 7: Sunday, July 28 - Tuesday, July 30 - Fatima

This pilgrimage was designed for those who would like to pray, reflect, and spend more time in Fatima. As a result, your itinerary is planned accordingly: the first three days will be sightseeing with your group, spiritual director and guide, the following three days will be dedicated to private prayer and reflection. During the latter part of your trip, you will have full discretion over how your time is spent, so that you may have the fullest spiritual experience possible.

\*Note: There will not be a Spiritual Director and guide accompanying you for the last three days.

### Day 8: Wednesday, July 31 - Return Home

Today you will enjoy an early morning breakfast, followed by a transfer to Lisbon airport for your return flight(s) home.

## 2019 Travel Dates and Pricing from Newark (EWR)

July 24 - July 31, 2019 . . . . .	\$3,059
Aug 11 - Aug 18, 2019 . . . . .	\$3,059
Aug 18 - Aug 25, 2019 . . . . .	\$3,059
Aug 28 - Sep 4, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Sep 7 - Sep 14, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Sep 22 - Sep 29, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Sep 30 - Oct 7, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Oct 20 - Oct 27, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Oct 23 - Oct 30, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Nov 3 - Nov 10, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Nov 17 - Nov 24, 2019 . . . . .	\$2,855
Jan 31, 2019 - Feb 7, 2020 . . . . .	\$2,704

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