'Jesus in Galilee'

Tracing the Ministry of Jesus from Nazareth to Capernaum

12 DAYS Sunday 23rd Oct. - Thursday 3rd Nov. 2022 Holy Land Pilgrimage Led by Canon Gordon Dey

Inclusive Price from London Luton Airport £2138 Per Person

<u>Day 1 - Sunday 23rd Oct.</u> **LUTON/TEL AVIV**

Morning check-in and flight departure On arrival, private coach transfer to the hotel.
Dinner & Overnight in NAZARETH

Day 2 - Monday 24th Oct.

OLD TESTAMENT FOUNDATION Highlights

The Jezreel Valley/one of the most fertile areas of Israel, and location of many important Old Testament battles. Tel Megiddo/a major archaeological site guarded a narrow pass on an important trade route. Special focus/Worship, Holy Communion, perhaps with Christians from Nazareth Dinner & Overnight in NAZARETH

Day 3 - Tuesday 25th Oct.

JESUS OF NAZARETH Highlights

Basilica of the Annunciation/early morning visit.

The Nazareth Archaeological Project/at the
Sisters of Nazareth Convent.

The Nazareth Village Project/and biblical lunch. Free Time/in the afternoon for shopping in the Nazareth markets.

Evening meeting with Christians in Nazareth Dinner & Overnight in NAZARETH

Day 4 - Wednesday 26th Oct.

LOWER GALILEE HILLS & SETTLEMENTS Highlights

Sepphoris/learn the story of its development. **Shikhin**/a recently excavated archaeological site of a Jewish village similar to Nazareth. **Jotpata**/(Yodfat) a village fortified by Flavius Josephus and destroyed after siege by the Romans. 67 AD.

The Jesus Trail/walk a section back to Nazareth. Dinner & Overnight in NAZARETH

<u>Day 5 - Thursday27th Oct.</u>

NAZARETH TO MAGDALA Highlights

Cana Town/Jesus attends the wedding feast.
Nain Village/the raising the window's son.
The Horns of Hattim/recall the defeat of the crusader army by Sala'din. The Jesus Trail/walk from Hittim to Magdala on The old Roman road.
Dinner & Overnight in GALILEE

Day 6 - Friday 28th Oct.

SEA OF GALILEE, MAGDALA & BETHSAIDA Highlights

Holy Communion together/before breakfast.

Private Galilee Sail/for 2 hours toidentify harbours and fishing villages, followed by a visit to the Boat Museum at Ginosar Bethsaida/'The House of the Fishermen'. Magdala/visit the church and its chapels, hear about its design features.

Evening – perhaps meet up with present day Galilean fishermen Dinner & Overnight in GALILEE

Itinerary Summary











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<u>Day 7 - Saturday 29th Oct.</u>

SEA OF GALILEE REGIONS

Highlights

Mount Meron/a walk to the summit near Hermon. Safed/one of the four Jewish Holy Cities. Hatzor/with extensive archaeological remains of this important Old Testament city. Hula Valley/the nature reserve that attracts migration of up to 500 million birds every year, including pelicans and storks.

Dinner & Overnight in GALILEE

Day 8 - Sunday 30th Oct.

TIBERIAS & ITS ROMAN STORY Highlights

Sunday Worship/with Anglicans or Church of Scotland, or at Peniel Fellowship Messianic Community. **The Roman Theatre and Jewish Mausoleum**/

The Jordan River/ (Yardenit) for baptismal renewal and enjoy nature walk by the banks.

Dinner & Overnight in GALILEE

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Day 9 - Monday 31 st Oct.

JESUS' MINISTRY IN THE CAPERNAUM AREA Highlights

Mount of Beatitudes/worship in one of the outdoor chapels. Read the Sermon on the Mount as we walk down the hill to Tabgha. Lakeside Tabgha/recall the resurrection ministry of Jesus. Capernaum/Jesus' 'home' in Galilee, and on the 'Via Maris'.

Dinner & Overnight in GALILEE

Day 10 - Tuesday 1st Nov.

THE DECAPOLIS & JESUS' MINISTRY Highlights

Hippos/a Gentile city and the closest of the Decapolis cities to the Sea of Galilee. Beth Shean/the only one on the western side of the Jordan river. In the time of Jesus it was a major Roman city called Scythopolis.

Dinner & Overnight in GALILEE

<u>Day 11 - Wednesday 2nd Nov.</u>

GOLAN & MOUNT HERMON Highlights

Mt. Hermon/a possible location of Transfiguration of Jesus. Katzrin Talmudic Village/with a helpful museum. Caesarea Philippi/the territory that Jesus took his disciples to reflect on the Galilean ministry. Gamla/a hilltop ancient settlement and centre of the Jewish revolt against the Romans.

<u>Evening: meet for worship with Hedva Haymov.</u> <u>Dinner & Overnight in GALILEE</u>

Day 12 - Thursday 3rd Oct.

ACRE & MT. CARMEL Highlights

Acre/named Ptolomais by the Romans in the time of Jesus, and fortress for the Crusaders for nearly 200 years. **Mt. Carmel**/recall this extraordinary location for the challenge of Elijah to the 450 prophets of Baal.

On to Ben Gurion airport for the return flight to Luton.

