

With St. Paul in Rome

March 14-22, 2009

Day 1 **Saturday, March 14**
Depart New York aboard a transcontinental flight for Rome.

Day 2 **Sunday, March 15**
Arrive in Rome and board a private motor coach for **Tre Fontane**, the site of St. Paul's martyrdom. We will celebrate our opening Mass at the church of **St. Paul** there. Later today we arrive at our hotel for a welcome dinner and reception.

Day 3 **Monday, March 16**
Following breakfast and morning seminar at the hotel, we depart for Mass at the **Church of St. Clement**. Later we'll visit the **Basilica of St. John Lateran**, the **Holy Stairs** and the basilica of the **Holy Cross in Jerusalem**. Return to the hotel for dinner and evening seminar.

Day 4 **Tuesday, March 17**
Early departure for the Vatican to celebrate Mass at a private chapel in **St. Peter's Basilica**. Following Mass we will explore the tombs of the popes below the basilica and pray at the tomb of John Paul II. Enjoy time for shopping and lunch before we embark on a guided tour of the **Vatican Museums** and the **Sistine Chapel**. Return to the hotel for dinner and evening seminar.



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Hahn, Kimberly Hahn and Mike Aquilina.
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star hotel comfort and security.

Day 5 **Wednesday, March 18**
Today we return to the Vatican for the **general audience** with Pope Benedict XVI. Continue on to **Piazza Navona** for lunch and afternoon visits to the churches of **St. Augustine**, **Santa Maria Sopra Minerva**, the **Pantheon**, finishing with Mass at the **Gesu**, the mother church of the Society of Jesus. This evening is free to explore the Trevi Fountain area or return to the hotel for dinner.

Day 6 **Thursday, March 19**
Following breakfast depart for the heart of ancient imperial Rome. This morning we will visit the **Colosseum**, the **Arch of Constantine**, the **Arch of Titus** and the church of **St. Peter in Chains**. After a lunch break we'll visit the **Mammertine Prison** where many of the martyrs, including St. Paul, spent their last nights. After Mass at the **Church of SS Cosmas & Damian**, we'll return to the hotel for dinner and evening seminar.

Day 7 **Friday, March 20**
This morning we visit the **Basilica of St. Mary Major** and the churches of **St. Praxedes** and **St. Pudentiana**. Following a lunch break we travel out to **Ostia**, the ancient port of Rome to tour the ancient ruins and the house of St. Monica where she bade farewell to her son, St. Augustine. Return to the hotel for dinner and evening seminar.

Day 8 **Saturday, March 21**
After breakfast we travel to the **Basilica of St. Agnes** outside the walls. Later this afternoon we travel the **Appian Way** to the **Catacombs of St. Callistus**. Finally, we arrive at the tomb of the apostle in the **Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls**. Tonight we gather for a special farewell dinner and entertainment at La Carovana Restaurant.

Day 9 **Sunday, March 22**
Depart Fiumicino Airport for our return flight home.

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