

**BRYN MAWR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
CONCERT TOUR OF ISRAEL AND JORDAN, JUNE/JULY 2020**

**Suggested Itinerary
Prepared July 5, 2017**

Tue Jun 30		IN FLIGHT
	Check in at Philadelphia airport Depart on flight(s) to Tel Aviv	
Wed Jul 1		TEL AVIV
	Arrive at Tel Aviv airport Clear Immigration and Customs and meet your courier(s) Transfer by coach to the hotel and check in <i>Tel Aviv is a lively modern city with a cosmopolitan feel where art, music and culture mix with sun, sea and a fabulous expanse of white sandy beach lined with palms and pergolas</i>	
evening	Dinner in a restaurant	
Thu Jul 2		TEL AVIV
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Guided sightseeing tour of the Old Port City of Jaffa Lunch independent	
afternoon	Rehearsal	
evening	Concert (in Immanuel Church?) Dinner independent	
Fri Jul 3		NAZARETH
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Depart by coach for Nazareth (c. 2.5 hrs), stopping en route at Caesarea (entrance included) and Mount Carmel for a panoramic view of Haifa Bay and Bahai Gardens Lunch independent	
afternoon	Arrive in Nazareth and check in to the hotel	
evening	Dinner in a restaurant	
Sat Jul 4		NAZARETH
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Guided sightseeing tour, during which you will see the Church of the Annunciation, Mary's Well and the Church of the Wedding at Cana Lunch independent	
afternoon	Rehearsal	
evening	Concert (in the Basilica of Jesus the Adolescent?) Dinner independent	

Sun Jul 5		JERUSALEM
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Excursion by coach to the Sea of Galilee, including Capernaum (entrance included), Tabgha and the Church of the Multiplication, the Mount of Beatitudes and a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee	
afternoon	Lunch independent Depart by coach for Jerusalem (c. 3 hrs) Arrive in Jerusalem and check in to the hotel <i>Variously known as the Golden City, the Eternal City or the City of David, Jerusalem has a special meaning to many people, whether Jewish, Christian or Moslem. The very names conjure up thousands of years of history - the Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane, the Wailing Wall and the Via Dolorosa. There are also museums too numerous to mention, ancient synagogues and churches, and crowded market stalls</i>	
evening	Dinner in a restaurant	
Mon Jul 6		JERUSALEM
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Guided sightseeing tour, during which you will see the Mount of Olives, the Garden of Gethsemane, the Western Wall, the Via Dolorosa, Mount Zion, King David's Tomb and the Upper Room	
afternoon	Lunch independent Excursion to Ramallah (pending security situation)	
evening	Dinner independent	
Tue Jul 7		JERUSALEM
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Excursion by coach to Bethlehem and the Church of the Nativity	
afternoon	Lunch independent Return by coach to Jerusalem Rehearsal	
evening	Concert (in St Andrew's Church?) Dinner independent	
Wed Jul 8		KIBBUTZ EIN GEDI
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Depart by coach for Ein Gedi (c. 2 hrs) Lunch independent on arrival <i>Ein Gedi, on the banks of the Dead Sea, is an oasis which the Bible mentions as the hiding place of David when he hid from the wrath of Saul. Next to the kibbutz is one of Israel's best-known nature reserves, where you can follow well-marked trails past cascading waterfalls and through near-tropical foliage</i>	
afternoon	At leisure to float in the Dead Sea (1,388 feet below sea level) Check in to the hotel	
evening	Dinner in the hotel	

Thu Jul 9		PETRA
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Excursion by coach to Masada to ascend the mountaintop plateau by cable car (entrance included) Continue by coach to Petra (c. 5 hrs) Lunch independent en route	
afternoon	Arrive in Petra and check in to the hotel	
evening	Dinner in the hotel	
Fri Jul 10		AMMAN
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Entrance to Petra <i>On arrival at the gates of Petra, horses wait to take visitors to the legendary Siq, from where the first glimpses of Petra's most impressive sight, the Treasury, are visible. Continuing along the Wadi Musa to the 7,000-seat Theatre and Royal Tombs completes the visit of this spectacular 3rd-century BC sandstone city</i>	
afternoon	Lunch independent Depart by coach for Amman (c. 3 hrs) Arrive in Amman and check in to the hotel <i>Despite its Roman origins as the city of Philadelphia, Amman was only a small village until the early 20th century. In the late forties and fifties, it absorbed a flood of Palestinian refugees following the founding of the state of Israel. The city divides into eastern Amman, conservative and Islamic in its sympathies, and western Amman, with its cafés, bars and art galleries</i>	
evening	Dinner independent	
Sat Jul 11		AMMAN
morning	Breakfast in the hotel Guided sightseeing tour, including entrances to the Citadel to see Umayyad Palace, the Temple of Hercules and the National Archaeological Museum, and the Roman Theatre and Jordan Folklore Museum Lunch independent	
afternoon	At leisure	
evening	Dinner independent	
Sun Jul 12		AMMAN
morning	Breakfast in the hotel At leisure Lunch independent	
afternoon	Rehearsal	
evening	Benefit concert (in aid of the Jerash refugee camp in the Ahliyyah School Theatre?) Farewell dinner in a restaurant	

Mon Jul 13

HOME

morning

Breakfast in the hotel

Transfer by coach to the airport and check in

Depart on flight(s) to Philadelphia

Arrive at Philadelphia airport

*NB: driving times are estimates, based on normal road conditions,
and do not include allowances for meal or rest stops*

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Based on current prices, and assuming the following numbers of paying participants plus complimentary places (land and air), the price per person for this itinerary is:

Number paying plus number free:	45+2	65+3	85+3
LAND PRICE ¹ in US DOLLARS	\$ 2,762	2,849	2,533
Current Published Airfare ²	\$ 1,037	1,037	1,037
Current Air Taxes and Fuel Surcharges	\$ 676	676	676
TOTAL	\$ 4,475	4,562	4,246

Single supplement: \$1152

1. The land price quoted is contingent on ACFEA making all air arrangements.
2. Please note that the airfare quoted is a published rate for 2016, but is subject to change. The airfare cannot be confirmed until a deposit is paid to the airline. Taxes and surcharges are subject to change until the time of ticketing.

This price includes the following:

- Coordination of 4 performances, consisting of concerts, service participations and informal recitals. Concerts will be promoted by means of the production of posters and fliers, announcements in the free press, releases to the media, and the notification of local groups and music organizations
- 12 nights of accommodation in superior tourist class hotels, sharing twin rooms with private facilities
- Breakfast daily plus 6 dinners
- Guided sightseeing tours of Jaffa, Nazareth, Jerusalem and Amman
- Paid entrances to Caesarea, Capernaum, Masada (including cable car), the Citadel, Roman Theatre and Folklore Museum and Petra
- Boat ride on the Sea of Galilee
- Transportation by air-conditioned motorcoach(es) throughout the land portion of the tour
- The services of one ACFEA courier per motorcoach throughout the land portion of the tour
- Air transportation by scheduled carrier from Philadelphia to Tel Aviv, returning from Amman, based on a high-season, midweek departure and return
- Pre-departure briefing and assistance at airport check-in for the group by ACFEA staff
- Password admittance to *Tour Central*, ACFEA's tour management website
- All taxes, tips and service charges normally payable for services included above, except discretionary tips to drivers, guides and couriers

Not Included:

- Passport and visa fees, if applicable
- Beverages other than coffee and tea with breakfast, and water with dinner
- Trip cancellation and interruption insurance, which is highly recommended; brochures will be made available
- Checked baggage fees, if applicable
- Performing rights fees, if applicable
- Instrument rental, excess baggage or air cargo fees