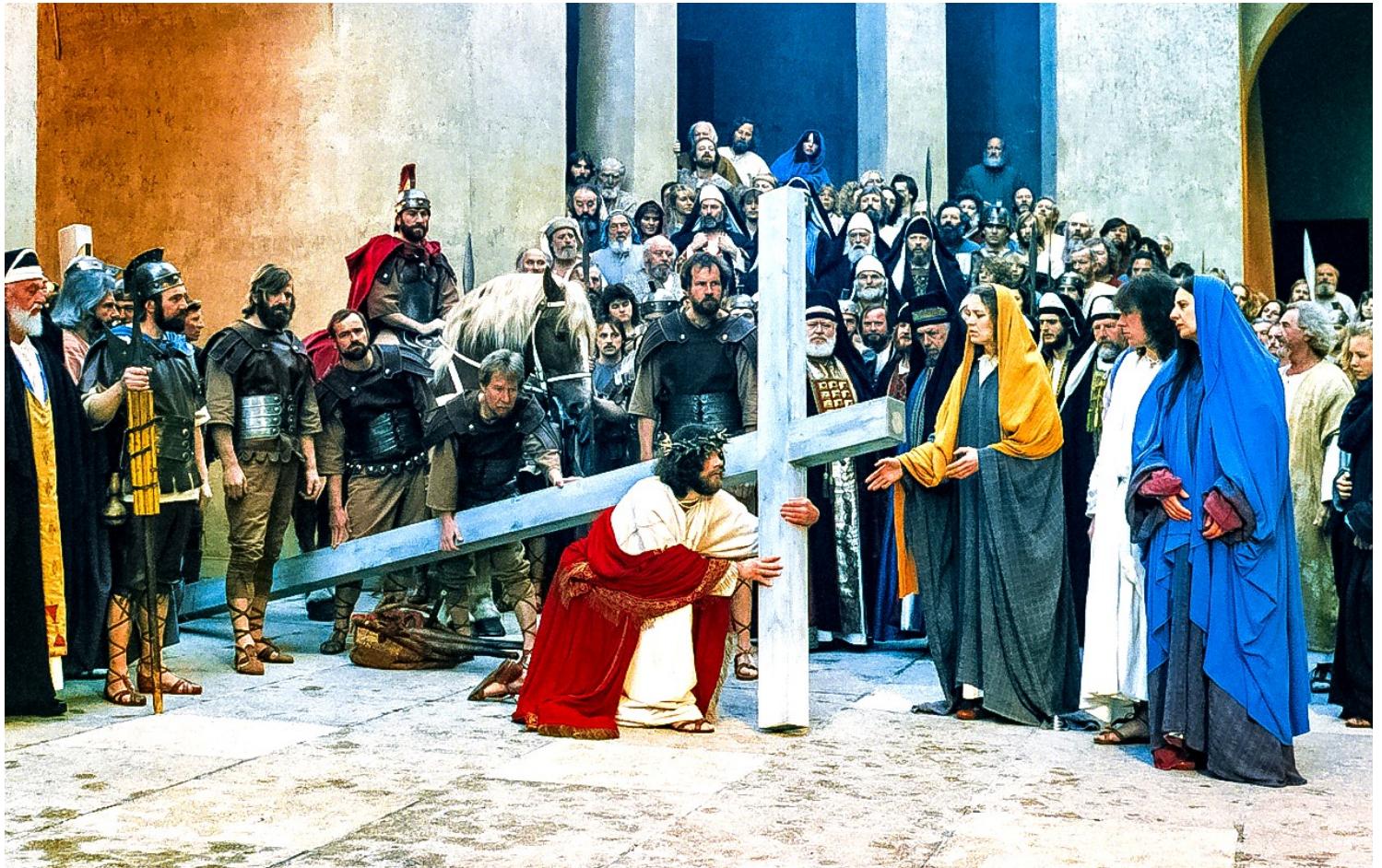


NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL
PILGRIMAGE TO THE
SPLENDORS OF EASTERN EUROPE
Including the Passion Play of Oberammergau
11 DAYS: SEPTEMBER 12– 22, 2022

Visiting
PRAGUE * BUDAPEST * VIENNA * MUNICH

Hosted by
THE DIOCESE OF BRIDGEPORT

\$3999 PER PERSON FROM NEW YORK
(Air/land tour price is \$3549 plus \$450 government taxes/airline surcharges)



QUALITY TOURS SINCE 1949

TOUR FEATURES:

- ◆ Round trip airfare from New York
- ◆ Accommodations at first class/select hotels based on two persons sharing in twin-bedded rooms with private bath (hotels & guest houses are used in the Oberammergau area)
- ◆ First Class (Category 1) admission ticket to the Passion Play of Oberammergau
- ◆ Most meals
- ◆ Comprehensive sightseeing throughout with a professional English-speaking tour director
- ◆ All hotel service charges, value added taxes, portorage where available and entrance fees per itinerary
- ◆ Transfers by private motorcoach

DAY~BY~DAY ITINERARY

NEW YORK/ACROSS THE ATLANTIC

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Depart from New York on board your transatlantic flight to Prague, arriving the following day.

ARRIVE PRAGUE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

Arrive Prague. Located on the Vltava River, Prague is considered one of the most beautiful capitals in Europe. Transfer to your hotel. (D)

PRAGUE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

This morning, visit Our Lady of Victory Church to view the famous statue of the Infant Jesus of Prague. Next, experience the 1000-year-old history of the city with a visit to Hradcany Castle, the seat of power for several Czech princes and kings. Proceed to the Gothic St. Vitus Cathedral, the Romanesque Basilica of St. George, and Mala Strana (Lesser Town), whose winding streets are lined with small taverns and old houses. Continue



Prague



Budapest

to Old Town to see the ancient Town Hall with its animated astronomical clock. Afternoon at leisure. (B)

PRAGUE/BRATISLAVA/BUDAPEST

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

Drive to Bratislava, capital of Slovakia, at the foothills of the Carpathian Mountains. Free time to see the magnificent gothic cathedral of St. Martin, site of the coronation of many Hungarian kings and queens. On to magnificent Budapest. The most cosmopolitan city in Eastern Europe, Budapest is known as the "Queen of the Danube." The ancient city, Buda, on the right bank of the Danube, and the modern city, Pest, on the left bank, are connected by a series of seven bridges. (B,D)

BUDAPEST

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Morning sightseeing begins at Heroes Square, decorated by several impressive statues. Continue to the old inner city of Pest then proceed to the remains of Buda Castle, Fisherman's Bastion, and scenic Gellert Hill, offering panoramic views of the entire city. (B,D)



Belvedere Palace ~ Vienna

BUDAPEST/VIENNA

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Enjoy views of the scenic Hungarian and Austrian countryside on your drive through the Transdanubia region. Arrive in Vienna, the legendary city of classical music. (B,D)

VIENNA

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

Your morning tour starts at the lavish terraced gardens of Prince Eugene's Belvedere Palace. Drive along the famous Ringstrasse Boulevard lined with landmarks including Emperor Franz Josef's Hofburg Palace, the Burg Theater and the State Opera House. See the Votive Church, built in 1856, and then visit historic Schönbrunn Palace. The magnificent palace boasts 1400 rooms and halls, a small zoo, a fine museum of Imperial coaches and carriages, a theater and lovely formal gardens. (B)

VIENNA/ALTÖTTING/OBERAMMERGAU

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Drive through the hills and valleys of the picturesque Danube Valley and continue to Altötting, home of the Black Madonna of Altötting, and a pilgrimage destination for over 500 years. Celebrate Mass and see the Shrine of Our Lady and the Basilica of St. Anna. Proceed to the charming village of Oberammergau, site of the world famous Passion Play. (B,D)

THE PASSION PLAY OF OBERAMMERGAU

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

The highlight of your trip! In keeping with their 389-year old promise, the villagers of Oberammergau present their Passion Play depicting the last week of the life of Christ. The play's presentation can be traced to 1633 when the Black Plague swept Europe. The people of Oberammergau took a solemn oath: if God spared them, they would present a day-long play depicting the last week in the life of Christ. To this day they have kept their promise and every ten years the citizens of Ober-

ammergau perform their passion play with the same love and devotion they have shown for over 380 years. Today the play takes place on an open-air stage with a covered auditorium seating 4,700, against a beautiful backdrop of towering Alpine mountains. (B,D)

OBERAMMERGAU/MUNICH

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Enroute to Munich view Mad King Ludwig's fairytale Neuschwanstein Castle, one of the most photographed palaces in the world and the model for the castles at the Walt Disney theme parks. Next visit the unusual, oval rococo Wies Church designed in the late 1740s. On to Munich, the capital of Bavaria. Munich was ruled for over 650 years by the Wittelsbacher dukes and kings, who left their mark on the architecture and founded the world famous Munich art collection. On a city tour see Marienplatz, Munich's town square, and view Nymphenburg, the former Royal Residence; Odeon Square with the beautiful Theatiner Church; and the Hall of Generals. Overnight in the Munich area. (B)



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MUNICH/NEW YORK

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Board your return flight to New York, arriving the same day. (B)

(B)~Breakfast

(D)~Dinner



Neuschwanstein Castle

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit. Tickets to the Passion Play are very limited and are first-come, first-served. Book early!

- A \$800 deposit is due with your reservation
- An additional deposit of \$1200 is due within 120 days after receipt of the initial deposit or before July 31, 2021, whichever comes first (total deposit required by July 31, 2021 is \$2000)
- Final payment is due at NAWAS 135 days prior to departure

TOUR-SPECIFIC INFORMATION

For terms and conditions please visit:
<https://www.nawas.com/passion-play-terms-and-conditions>

Taxes/Airline Surcharges: In effect on November 7, 2017.

Hotel Service Charges/Taxes: In effect on November 7, 2017 (excluding hotel tourist taxes).

Airfare: In effect on November 7, 2017.

Land Costs: Based on estimated 2022 tariffs, overseas government taxes and rates of exchange in effect on November 7, 2017 and a minimum of 36 or more participants per coach.

Customer Reviews:

"It's been my extreme pleasure to benefit from your invaluable assistance with my tours — 97 so far — for the past 28 years. I wouldn't dream of letting anyone else handle the many details involved in making these difficult, exotic itineraries a success, as evidenced by my many repeat clients and their referrals. Your superb attention to detail, your honesty, and your friendship are greatly appreciated. You can count on Nawas being my 'one and only' for many years to come." --Ms. M.B., California

"As always, the arrangements for our pilgrimage by Nawas were excellent. To a person, those on the tour were filled with praise for the trip. Everything was A+." --Monsignor R.S., Utah

"You people make this easy. Everything was out-standing. Those who have been on other trips have come to expect quality and they get it!" --Father P.T., Ohio

Family Owned for 72 Years: Nawas International Travel was founded in 1949 by Mr. Yousef Nawas. He created our faith-based tour company with a vision of offering specially designed programs of spiritual enrichment and superior quality. Mr. Nawas made travel affordable so that the faithful of all walks of life could partake. Though Mr. Nawas has since passed on, Nawas International Travel remains under the guidance of his family and continues to serve thousands of travelers every year. With our global network, affordable prices and expert tour directors combined with years of group travel expertise, we guarantee the highest quality tour and services.



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♦ RESERVATION FORM ♦**

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ACCOMMODATIONS DESIRED:

- ☐ double room sharing with _____
☐ single room (\$850 extra per person)

Enclosed is my check for \$ _____ as
Deposit (\$800 per person) for _____ person(s)

**Please include a clear photocopy of your Passport with this Reservation Form
Clearly print your full name (last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport:**

Passenger #1

Name:Title _____
Last _____
First _____
Middle _____
Gender: Please check ☐ Male ☐ Female

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: (____) _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____

E-mail address: _____

Passport #: _____

Date Issued: _____ **Date Expires:** _____
(day/month/year) (day/month/year)

Date of Birth:
MONTH DAY YEAR

Place of Birth: _____ **Country of Citizenship:** _____

Passenger #2

Name:Title _____
Last _____
First _____
Middle _____
Gender: Please check ☐ Male ☐ Female

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: (____) _____

Cell Phone: (____) _____

E-mail address: _____

Passport #: _____

Date Issued: _____ **Date Expires:** _____
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You understand that this reservation form serves as your acceptance of the policies of our Terms and Conditions including our cancellation policies, which can be found at <https://www.nawas.com/passion-play-terms-and-conditions>. You should read our Terms and Conditions including our cancellation policies in their entirety before making any booking. If you are unable to access the Terms and Conditions on the NAWAS website, you must contact us in writing prior to booking the tour so that we may send you a copy by mail. You acknowledge that this tour has tour-specific conditions that are detailed in the "Tour-Specific Information" section of this brochure and that these details are hereby made a part of your agreement with us and with our Terms and Conditions. By signing this form, you acknowledge that you have visited the aforementioned web address where our Terms and Conditions are located and that you have read our Terms and Conditions in their entirety, fully understand them, and agree to them. If unable to access the NAWAS website, you acknowledge that you have contacted us prior to booking the tour, received a copy of our Terms and Conditions and read our Terms and Conditions in their entirety, fully understand them, and agree to them. You understand that the air-inclusive tour you are purchasing is subject to supplemental price increases that may be imposed after the date of purchase. Post-purchase price increases may be applied due to additional costs imposed by a supplier or government. You acknowledge that you may be charged additional sums by Nawas International Travel Service, Inc. to offset increased fees, taxes, airline imposed international surcharges, fluctuations in foreign exchange markets or any combination thereof along with any other items as outlined in our Terms and Conditions. You hereby consent to any post-purchase price increases and authorize Nawas International Travel Service, Inc. to charge yourself and all members of your traveling party for such additional amounts. For purchasers within CA: By signing this form you acknowledge that you have read the applicable California disclosures in our Terms and Conditions.

Signature Passenger # 1

Date

Signature Passenger # 2

Date