# Poland, Czech Rep, Austría, Hungary, Croatía, Medjugorje, BIH 14 Day Pilgrimage Thursday September 3, 2026 - Wednesday September 16, 2026

Fr. Matthias of the **Immaculate** Heart. O.C.D.



## \$TBA TUS, SFO, LAX

(Airline taxes/fuel surcharges included) Single Room Supplement: +\$TBA Land Only: +\$TBA

Optional Insurance: Contact ABM For Rates

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#### Day 1 - Thursday, September 3, 2026 **DEPART SFO, LAX or TUS**

Depart USA for Krakow. Flight(s) TBA.

#### Day 2 - Friday, September 4, 2026 ARRIVE KRAKOW

After checking through immigration in Krakow, meet our guide and driver for the ride to the hotel, followed by a welcome dinner and over night. (Depending on actual flight arrival time.)

#### Day 3 - Saturday, September 5, 2026 **KRAKOW**

After breakfast and checkout, we have a guided tour of the city, beginning with Wawel Hill, and Cathedral, then continue down the Royal Route to see the Jagiellonian University (courtyard only). Next stop is Europe's largest Medieval Market Square with its Renaissance Cloth Hall. shopping stalls and St. Mary's Cathedral. Here we celebrate Mass. Enjoy some free time, before returning to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 4 - Sunday, September 6, 2026 KRAKOW / WADOWICE / WIELICZKA KRAKOW

After breakfast, we drive to Wadowice to visit the birthplace of Pope St. John Paul II and his childhood home, which is now a museum. We celebrate Mass at the Church of the Presentation of the Virgin Mary where he was baptized. We drive to Wieliczka, the oldest Salt Mine, which has been listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. The mines are a unique place where many generations of Polish miners created a world of underground chambers and decorated chapels carved out of salt, including the famous Chapel of St. Kinga. Return to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 5 - Monday, September 7, 2026 KRAKOW / LAGIEWNIKI / PRAGUE

After breakfast, we depart for Lagiewniki, celebrate Mass at the Basilica of Divine Mercy, then visit the shrine where Saint Faustina, the Apostle of Divine Mercy lived and died (seeing her convent chapel and tomb). Afterwards, we head to the "Have No Fear" John Paul II Center to pray in the Sanctuary of St. John Paul II, a chapel with relics of the former Pope, including a vial of his blood. From here, we proceed to Prague, for hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

#### Day 6 - Tuesday, September 8, 2024 **PRAGUE**

Following breakfast, we enjoy a guided tour of Prague, including Hradcany Castle, St Vitus Cathedral, the Royal Castle, St George's Basilica, and the Church of Our Lady Victorious (with Mass) to see the Statue of the Infant Jesus of Prague. Celebrate Mass at the Church of Our Lady of Victory. We then cross the famous Charles bridge and visit the Old Town Square (one of the best historical city centers in Europe). We continue to the Old Town Square, the Town Hall with its famous Astronomical Clock, then the Church of Our Lady before Tyn, and finally, St Nicholas Church (where Mozart played). The rest of the day is at leisure before returning to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 7 - Wednesday, September 9, 2024 PRAGUE / VIENNA

Following breakfast and hotel checkout, we stop to celebrate Mass at the Carmelite Monastery, where Our Lady of the Bowed Head is located, then continue to Vienna. Our visit includes a panoramic tour of the famous Ring then a walk of the old town between the University and Opera House, passing by major monuments including Donners fountain, Belvedere Palace gardens, Hofburg Palace, Spanish Riding School and St. Stephen Basilica. Check in Vienna hotel for dinner and overnight.







#### Day 8 - Thursday, September 10, 2026 **VIENNA / BUDAPEST**

Following breakfast, we drive to Budapest. We start with Buda, located on the right bank of the Danube River. Visit include the Fisherman's Bastion, continue to Matyas Church, art museum houses numerous sacred relics and medieval stone carvings. Enjoy view of the Neo-Gothic Parliament. Hero's Square and cathedral of St. Stephen (outside). Celebrate Mass before returning to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 9 - Friday, September 11, 2026 **BUDAPEST / DANUBE BEND / BUDAPEST**

After breakfast, we enjoy a magical Danube Bend tour, offering some of the country's finest landscapes, where the river passes between the hills and turns south. Visit Esztergom, the seat of the Archbishop of Esztergom, the primate of the Hungarian Catholic Church. Celebrate Mass. We continue to Visegrad, where the Papal Nucio headed his letters "from Visegrad, a Paradise on Earth". Continue our drive to Szentendre, with its winding lanes, seven aspiring church towers, colorful houses, and narrow side streets; a famous tourist destination. Return to hotel for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 10 - Saturday, September 12, 2026 **BUDAPEST / MARIJA BISTRICA / ZAGREB**

After breakfast, we depart Budapest and drive to Marija Bistrica and visit the famous Marian Shrine of the Black Madona. Here we Celebrate Mass and continue to Zagreb for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 11 - Sunday, September 13, 2026 **ZAGREB / MEDJUGORJE**

After breakfast, we Celebrate Mass at the local church before driving to Medjugorje. We enjoy free time in Medjugorje before continuing to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

No. I decline travel insurance

#### Day 12 - Monday, September 14, 2026 MEDJUGORJE / DUBROVNIK / MEDJUGORJE

After breakfast, we drive to Dubrovnik, known as the Pearl of the Adriatic for a guided tour. This city is rich with history as an old town district, the idyllic views from the forts and medieval walls and maze of narrow lanes and terracotta roofs. Here, you see the oldest pharmacy, and where the TV series, Games of Thornes - King's Landing was filmed. At 6:00pm, we participate in St. James church evening prayer program, including Rosary with Mass.

#### Day 13 - Tuesday, September 15, 2026 MEDJUGORJE / SARAJEVO

After breakfast, we take a walking tour where we learn the history of the apparitions and all that has happened over the last 37 years. We Celebrate Mass at St. James Church with public English Mass. After Mass, we climb the Apparition Hill, where the 6 young visionaries first encountered Our Lady. In late afternoon, we drive to Sarajevo for dinner and overnight.

#### Day 14 - Wednesday, September 16, 2026 SARAJEVO / DEPARTURE TO USA

Today we depart Saraievo on our return flight to San Francisco. Los Angeles or Tucson. Flight(s) TBA.

Itinerary is subject to change without notice

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