A Time for

Praying Studying Remembering

Exploring biblical roots
Experiencing the land
Meeting its people

Searching inner space Remembering our story Integrating personal history



Encountering the Lord in the Word in the Land in the people in the Church.

"You will be My witnesses both in Jerusalem.... and to the remotest ends of the earth."

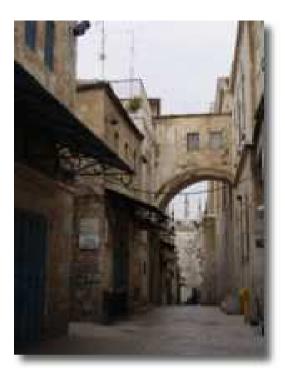
Acts 1:8



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 And now our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem

Sojourn in the Land of the Bible

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Program

Situated in the heart of Jerusalem, this program enables the participants to explore in a new and deeper way the critical and familiar question

"But you...
Who do you say that I am?"

Matt. 16:15

Emphasis is placed on:

- a study of the Bible text and excursions through out the biblical land
- the search for a deeper understanding of Jesus and his heritage
- a study of Christian roots in Jewish traditions which shaped the religious experience of Jesus, and later, the church
- Familiarization with the Land and People of today.

This program is sponsored by: Sisters of Notre Dame de Sion.

Formal courses by well qualified lecturers are offered and experienced guides lead the field trips to major biblical sites.

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Participants

The program is open to all persons interested in integrating their Christian faith with their biblical roots and able to participate in the excursions which require some strenuous walking and occasional climbing.

- The three month Program is a Sabbatical time.
- The June Program is especially for preachers and teachers.
- The Footsteps of Jesus Program is for those wanting to understand Luke's Gospel through some lectures and a guided experience of the Holy Land.

Registration

When items below have been received and all requirements met, a letter of acceptance will be issued.

- Completed application form
- Letter of recommendation
- Resumé
- Doctor's certificate
- Registration fee
- Three passport sized photos
- Assurance that Health Insurance is in place
- A copy of Passport photo page



Calendar and Costs

Sabbatical Program: 2nd February – 1st May 2010 Fees: \$US 10.000.

Rediscover Jesus in the Land with Matthew: 2 June – 29 June 2010

Fees: \$US 4,500.

In the Footsteps of Jesus: 21 September – 18 October 2010 Fees: \$US 4,500.

Sabbatical Program: 8 February – 7 May 2011 Fees: \$US 10,000.

Rediscover Jesus in the Land with Mark: 1 June – 28 June 2011 Fees: \$US 4,500.

In the Footsteps of Jesus: 13 September – 10 October 2011 Fees: \$US 4,500.

Registration: \$US 200 is required with each application.

Course Fees: include registration, tuition, accommodation, meals, excursions and access to computers. All fees are to be paid in US\$ or Euros.

The courses come in a 'package' thus there are no refunds for participants who arrive late or choose to depart early. An exception is made for those who have difficulty in obtaining visas.