

## Easter Encounter Continuing Education Program Sample Itinerary

Please note all events are subject to change as circumstances arise

Date	Day	Time	Activity	Guide/Lecturer/ Tantur Staff	Location
Day 1	Thurs	8:30-12:00	Tan-Tour Orientation	Tantur Staff	Bethlehem Room
		13:00-17:00	Excursion: Jerusalem Horizon Tour	Jared Goldfarb	
		19:00-20:30	Presentation of Program and Group Introductions	Frederic Masson Allison Wattenbarger	Bethlehem Room
Day 2	Fri	8:00-12:00	Excursion: City of David and Southern Steps	Jared Goldfarb	
		14:00-16:00	Lecture: 1st and 2nd Temple	Jared Goldfarb	Chapel Seminar Room
Day 3	Sat	8:00-16:00	Excursion: Bethlehem – Herodian, Shepherd's Field, Church of the Nativity (10:00 Mass in Manger Grotto), Old City of Bethlehem	Kamal Murkarker	
		19:00-20:30	Presentation of Easter Week + Way of the Cross Preparation	Frederic Masson Allison Wattenbarger	Bethlehem Room
<b><i>Holy Week</i></b>					
Day 4	Sun	Dpt: 9:30	Mass: Syriac Catholic Church, Lunch at Seven Arches		
		14:30-17:15	Palm Sunday Walk		
Day 5	Mon	9:00-11:30	Bible Study: John 1:14 - "And the word was made flesh"	David Neuhaus	Chapel Seminar Room
			Afternoon Off		
		19:00-20:30	Meeting with Sisters of Zion for Easter Celebrations		Bethlehem Room
Day 6	Tue	Dpt: 6:00	Mass in Holy Tomb		
		8:00-16:30	Excursion: Old City Jerusalem – Christian and Jewish Quarters	Hana Bendcowsky	
Day 7	Wed	9:00-11:00	Lecture: Coptic Orthodox Easter	Fr Markos	Chapel Seminar Room
		12:00-16:30	Excursion: Deir al Nadwa, Visit of Church and Lecture on Lutheran Easter	Munther Isaac	
Day 8	Thurs	9:00-11:00	Lecture: The Last Supper	Fr Russ McDougall	Chapel Seminar Room
		Dpt: 14:00	Eucharist for the Last Supper at Ecce Homo		
		19:00-22:15	Gethsemani and St. Peter in Gallicantu		
Day 9	Fri	6:30-9:00	Way of the Cross		
		10:30-12:00	Lecture: "Stations – Walking with Christ Through the Stories of Refugees"	Stephanie Saldana	Chapel Seminar Room
		Dpt: 13:15	Celebration of Holy Friday at Ecce Homo		
		19:00-20:00	Sacred Music	Lucia D'Anna	Chapel

Day 10	Sat	9:00-11:00	Lecture: "Dying and Rising in Christ" in St. Paul 6	Gregory Tatum	Chapel Seminar Room
		Dpt: 20:00	Easter Vigils at Ecce Homo		
<b><i>Easter - Al Messiah Qum!</i></b>					
Day 11	Sun		Celebrate Easter at the church of your choosing		
			Free Day		
		18:00-20:00	Easter Meal		
		20:00-21:00	Presentation of the Week / Debrief	Frederic Masson Allison Wattenbarger	Bethlehem Room
Day 12	Mon	Dpt. 10:30	Depart for Galilee		
		11:15-13:15	Emmaus Nicopolis (12:00 Mass in Basilica)		
		20:00-21:30	Lecture: "Meet me in Galilee"	Yohanna Katanacho	Rosary Sisters
Day 13	Tue	7:00	Mass in Lower Basilica		
		8:00-16:00	Galilee Excursion: Caesarea Maritima and Mount Tabor	Ghada Boulos	
					Rosary Sisters
Day 14	Wed	8:00-16:00	Galilee Excursion: Nazareth Churches of Annunciation, St. Joseph, Synagogue Church, Sepphoris	Ghada Boulos	
					Mount of Beatitudes
Day 15	Thurs	8:00-16:00	Galilee Excursion: Tel Dan, Baniyas, Border with Syria at Quneitra (security permitting)	Ghada Boulos	
					Mount of Beatitudes
Day 16	Fri	8:00-16:00	Galilee Excursion: Mt. Beatitudes, Tabgha, Primary of St. Peter, Capernaum, Boat Ride on Sea of Galilee	Ghada Boulos	
		18:00	Return to Tantur		
Day 17	Sat		Free Day		
<b><i>Orthodox Easter</i></b>					
Day 18	Sun		Free Morning and Afternoon		
		19:00-20:30	Presentation of the Week / Debrief	Frederic Masson Allison Wattenbarger	Bethlehem Room
Day 19	Mon	9:00-11:00	Lecture: Jewish Symbolism in Christianity	Marcie Lenk	Chapel Seminar Room
		14:00-16:00	Lecture: On Islam	Stephanie Saldana	Chapel Seminar Room
Day 20	Tue	7:00-12:00	Excursion: Al Aqsa	Yusuf Natsheh	
			Free Afternoon		
Day 21	Wed	9:00-11:00	Lecture: Oriental Churches	Frans Bouwen	Chapel Seminar Room
		14:00-16:00	Lecture: Towards the Land I Will Show You	David Neuhaus	Chapel Seminar Room
		18:00	Farewell Dinner and Festive Evening		Game Room
Day 22	Thurs	8:00-15:00	Excursion: Desert Monasticism – St. George's Monastery, Wadi Qelt, Jericho, Deir Hijleh, Baptismal Site	Dan Koski	

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