

Tomoka Christian Church and Dr. Mark Ziese invite you on a

# Journeys of Paul

## from Malta & Sicily to Rome Tour in 2022

May 14 - 22, 2022



Host: Susan Humbert





Host: Mark <u>Ziese</u>





### All Inclusive Price starting at:

\$4,626\* from Orlando (MCO) & \$4,328\* from New York (JFK)

#### Your Journey Includes:

Guided Sightseeing & On-Site Lectures • Admin. Fees, Entrance Fees, Hotel Gratuities & Program Fees Breakfast & Dinner Daily • Deluxe Motorcoaches • First Class Hotels And Much, Much More!

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#### **GUEST TOUR HOST**

#### **Mark Ziese**

Dr Ziese recently retired as Dean of the School of Bible and Theology at Johnson University. He continues to teach at Johnson as well as with the Jerusalem Center for Biblical Studies. Mark is a familiar face within the academic

communities of Israel, Palestine, and Jordan, having participated in archaeological fieldwork since 1984. Dr Ziese has led many and various tours around the Mediterranean Basin for more than 30 years. He will bring heart, humor, and the exciting world of biblical study to this special trip.



#### **MESSAGE FROM YOUR HOST**

#### **Susan Humbert**

As recorded in the book of Acts, the Apostle Paul planted Christian churches across the Roman Empire. But what can we gain spiritually and historically from the last chapter of Paul's journey to the heart of Rome? Consider joining

me, Pastor Susan Humbert, accompanied by biblical archaeologist, Dr. Mark Ziese, on an extraordinary quest to answer that question. We aim to follow the movement of the Apostle Paul (Acts 28) from his shipwreck on the rocks of Malta to his triumph in the court of Caesar in Rome. Together, we will explore texts and artifacts from the past as well as truths for life in the present.

I hope you can be a part of this life-changing experience.



## **ITINERARY**

#### May 14 - Depart USA

Depart on your international overnight flight.

#### May 15 - Arrival in Malta

Arrive in Malta and transfer to your hotel for dinner and overnight.

#### May 16 - Malta

Weather permitting, take Fregatina Boats (multiple boats will be used as 1 boat takes maximum 6 people). Go up to Upper Barakka Garden (photo stop) by lift. Visit St John's Co-Cathedral St Paul's Shipwreck Church. Transfer to Bugibba Jetty and take a private luzzu (weather permitting.) Visit Salina Bay and St. Paul's island. Walk up to the statue, take a few pictures, receive a brief explanation why this place erroneously became the traditional shipwreck site. This afternoon, travel to St. Thomas Bay and visit the Maritime Museum there. Dinner & Overnight in Malta.

#### May 17 - Malta

Full day with guide and bus for visit to Church Plant on Malta.

Transfer back to hotel and end of tour. Dinner & Overnight in Malta.

#### May 18 - Ferry to Pozzallo (Sicily) - Syracuse

Early check out, pick up our box breakfasts, and meet the English-speaking assistant at our hotel and transfer to the port of Malta. At 6:30 a.m., take a ferry VR-100 from Malta to Pozzallo (Sicily) At 8:15 a.m., drive to Syracuse (where Paul stayed for three days, Acts 28.12). Meet our guide and visit the archeological park of Syracuse. Check into our hotel in Catania for dinner at our hotel and overnight.

### May 19 - Colosseum, Arch of Titus, Palatine Hill, Forum, Mamertine Prison

Breakfast at our hotel. Transfer to the airport for your flight to Rome. Visit Basilica San Pietro in Vincoli (Saint Peter in Chains, home of Michelangelo's famous "Moses"). During the day, we will visit the Flavian Amphitheater/Colosseum, the Arch of Constantine, Arch of Titus with the famous Menorah from the temple in Jerusalem), the Palatine Hill (where the Roman Emperors lived), the Roman Forum (the heart of ancient Rome), Trajan's Column and the Mamertine Prison, the traditional site of the imprisonment of both Paul and Peter. The remainder of day is free for individual exploration. Return to the hotel on your own. Dinner and overnight in Rome.

## May 20 – Via Appia, Catacombs, Church of Saint Paul Outside the Walls, Tre Fontane Church and the Basilica of San Clemente

Breakfast at our hotel. Meet our guide and driver at our hotel and start a full day tour. Visit the Mausoleum of Cecilia Metella, Circus and Villa of Maxentius, Catacombs of St. Sebastian in the morning. Then, visit St. Paul's Gate, Church of Saint Paul Outside the Walls, Tre Fontane church and the Mithraeum of Basilica San Clemente in the afternoon. Transfer back to our

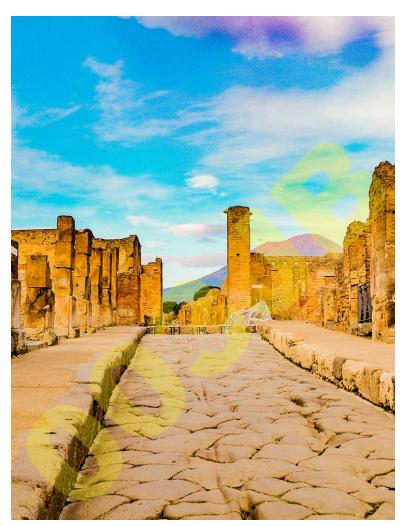
hotel. Dinner and overnight in Rome.

## May 21 – Day Trip to Pompeii & Archaeological Museum in Naples

Breakfast at our hotel. Meet our guide at our hotel and start a full day tour. Visit Pompeii (3 hours). Today, you will visit the city that was destroyed when the volcano Vesuvius erupted in A.D. 79! You will explore the well-preserved site of Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. You will walk through ancient streets and well-preserved buildings soaking in the "flavor" of what Greco-Roman life was like in the 1st century A.D., the era of the Early Church. You will drive to Naples and visit the National Archaeological Museum, where frescos, statues, mosaics, and artifacts from Pompeii are on display, along with the world famous Farnese Collection of sculptures! Return to Rome (main highway). Dinner and overnight in Rome.

#### May 22 - Departure

Transfer to Rome Airport. Return home.





#### TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

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Host: Mark Ziese	ID#: <u>55672</u>				
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- \*\*Round-frip international airfare \* Deluxe motorcoaches \* Guided sightseeing \* Entrance fees to sites visited (as listed in itinerary) \* Breakfast & dinner daily \* Hotel gratuities \* Program fees \* Administrative Fee \* Fuel surcharges \$600
- · Government Taxes \$98 (Increases in government tax and fees are subject to change)
- Personal Listening Units for groups of 15 or more "Love Offering" for guide and driver

### NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE: Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule) • Optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure

· Miscellaneous fees such as individual transfers; passports, laundry, lunches, beverages at meals & baggage fees • \$100 Document fee for Non-LIS/Canadian residents • Visa for non-LIS citizens

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Payment Amount	Payment Due Dates & Notes
\$600	Registrations received by 01/28/22.
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\$1,800	Registrations received between 01/29/22 - 02/27/22 must pay the full deposit amount and may be subject to late registration fees.
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Travel Protection Amount	The Travel Protection Plan premium will be due no later than 01/29/22 to be in full effect. Travel protection premiums must be paid in addition to our deposits and in advance of the final payment for coverage to be in effect.

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100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is coverable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following per-person cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 181 days prior to departure, you will be charged the \$150 non-refundable cancellation fee plus any airline fees. Additionally, thereafter, you will be charged any airline penalties and a single room supplement if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single plus the following per-person charges: 180-151 days = \$400, 150-121 days = \$700, 120-61 days = 59% of total cost. 60 days to day of departure = 100% of total cost. Submit cancellation in writing. On or after day of departure, there will be no refund for any services not used.

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PASSPORT INFORMATION:

Passport information must be submitted to our office no later than 01/29/22. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date may result in change fees or denial of travel. Discrepancies in information may result in change fees, delays in receiving travel documents for your trip, or denial of travel. Any fees incurred due to discrepancies are the responsibility of the passenger.

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FLIGHT TIMES AND SEATING:

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#### ADDITIONAL AIRLINE FEES:

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