

# PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND

KRAKÓW – WIELICZKA – OŚWIĘCIM – WADOWICE  
CZĘSTOCHOWA – GDAŃSK – NIEPOKALANÓW – WARSZAW  
SEPTEMBER 6–17, 2026

**\$3975**

Price Includes: • Non-stop flights (includes 1 checked bag and 1 carry-on) • Transportation by coach  
• 10 nights in hotels (double rooms) • 10 breakfasts • 8 buffet dinners • 1 folklore dinner with music  
• 2 additional lunches (first and last day) • English-speaking tour leader • Local guides  
• Entrance tickets according to the program • Accident insurance (up to 20,000 PLN)

## DAY 1

Departure from Chicago,  
Terminal 5 at 5:10 PM  
– direct flight to Kraków.

## DAY 2

Arrival at Kraków Balice Airport,  
meeting with the group.  
Transfer for lunch, free time at disposal of the group.  
Hotel check-in, dinner.

## DAY 3

Breakfast. Guided tour of Kraków, including:  
• Wawel Hill: Cathedral with Royal Tombs,  
Crypt of National Poets, and the great Sigismund Bell  
(rung only on the most important occasions)  
• Courtyard of the Royal Castle  
• Vistula boulevards and the Wawel Dragon monument  
Free time, followed by a walk along the "Royal Route,"  
the traditional path of Polish kings during coronations  
and official entries into the city.

Highlights include:  
• Bishop's Palace with the famous Papal Window  
• Main Market Square with the Cloth Hall  
• St. Mary's Basilica with the altar by Veit Stoss

Holy Mass. Free time for lunch.  
Visit to the Rynek Underground Museum.  
Return to hotel, dinner.

## DAY 4

Breakfast. Holy Mass at the Divine Mercy Sanctuary  
in Łagiewniki, resting place of St. Faustina.  
Visit to the John Paul II Center "Have No Fear",  
including the relics church and museum dedicate  
d to the life and teaching of the Polish Pope.

Free time for lunch.

Transfer to the Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum:  
• Tour of Auschwitz I (former German Nazi  
concentration and extermination camp): prison  
blocks, historical exhibitions, memorial sites  
• Visit to Auschwitz II-Birkenau: railway ramp,  
barracks, ruins of gas chambers and crematoria  
Return to hotel, dinner.

## DAY 5

Breakfast. Transfer to Wadowice:  
• Holy Mass at the Basilica of the Presentation of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary (baptism place of Karol Wojtyła –  
St. John Paul II)  
• Visit to the Family Home Museum of John Paul II  
Free time for lunch and tasting of traditional  
Wadowice cream cakes (kremówki).

Transfer to the Wieliczka Salt Mine  
(UNESCO World Heritage Site):  
Guided tour through underground corridors,  
salt chambers, and chapels carved in salt.  
Learn about mining history and its cultural significance.  
Evening folklore dinner with music at a traditional inn.  
Return to hotel.

**PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE: MEDICAL/TRAVEL INSURANCE AND TIPS**  
**Single room available for additional \$ 1000**





**DAY 6**

Breakfast. Transfer for Holy Mass at the Church of the Holy Spirit in Żabno. Free time for lunch. Afternoon transfer to Częstochowa, hotel check-in.

**DAY 7**

Breakfast. Holy Mass at Jasna Góra. Visit to the treasury. Free time for lunch. Transfer to Gdańsk, hotel check-in, dinner.



**DAY 8**

Breakfast. Holy Mass at St. Bridget's Sanctuary in Gdańsk (famous Amber Altar). Guided tour of the historic city center:

- Long Market • Neptune Fountain
- Artus Court • Green Gate
- Crane on the Mottawa River

Free time for lunch. Boat trip to Westerplatte (symbolic site of the outbreak of World War II – one-way cruise). Visit to the Monument to the Fallen Shipyard Workers. Return to hotel, dinner.



**DAY 9**

Breakfast. Continued sightseeing in Gdańsk. Transfer to Oliwa Archcathedral:

- Holy Mass • 20-minute organ concert

Transfer to Sopot:

- Free time for lunch • Walk on the pier

**DAY 10**

Breakfast. Transfer to Niepokalanów:

- Holy Mass at the Marian Sanctuary founded by St. Maximilian Kolbe

Free time for lunch. Transfer to Warsaw, hotel check-in, dinner.



**DAY 11**

Breakfast. Guided tour of Warsaw:

- Walk through the Old Town • View of the Royal Castle (outside). Free time for lunch.

Visit to the Sanctuary of Blessed Fr. Jerzy Popiełuszko at St. Stanislaus Kostka Church:

- Holy Mass • Visit to the underground museum dedicated to his life and martyrdom

Return to hotel, dinner.

**DAY 12**

Breakfast, check-out, lunch, farewell to the group. End of pilgrimage. Departure at 4:40 PM.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL: FR. SLAWEK 630 279 5700 ext.8**

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