



- Professional tour director, local hosts, and local guides
Twin-bedded rooms with private bath or shower, hotel taxes, service charges, and tips for baggage handling
- Private deluxe motorcoach with air-conditioning, extra leg room, and emergency washroom while touring
- Headsets throughout the tour

Pricing Information:

* Per person land price based on double occupancy \$2,569. plus air and taxes.

Airfare will not exceed \$1527. Tax estimate \$200-300.

Book and deposit by 12/1/2011 to receive a special \$100. discount. Initial deposit of \$250. required when booking. Final payment including airfare and taxes must be received by July 28, 2012.

Final price includes: Land, tour, sightseeing, air from MSP and round trip hotel transfers.

Air price includes fuel surcharges. Air price does not include government imposed taxes and fees, including a September 11 fee up to \$10., passenger facility charges of up to \$18, and Federal domestic flight segment fees of up to \$3.50 per segment. Additionally, U.S. and International arrival and departing fees of up to \$200. may apply depending on your itinerary. Once travel has been booked you will receive an invoice stating the total airfare price, the final price including air taxes will be confirmed in December 2011.

Insurance and Travel Protection Plus are available for an additional \$149.00 per person. Travel Protection: Must be purchased at the time of initial deposit. For those who purchase the Globus Travel Protection Plan, Globus provides the option to also purchase the Globus Travel Protection Plus Plan. The Plus Plan allows you to cancel your vacation up to 24 hours (or the prior business day, whichever is farthest out) before the scheduled departure FOR ANY REASON. Under this Travel Protection Plus Plan Benefit, Globus will reimburse the cancellation penalty amount in travel certificates, minus the plan cost. Additional terms may apply.

Reservation Form:

Enclosed is a deposit of: _____

To reserve ___ place(s) Check one:

Single Double Triple

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Date of Birth Citizenship

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Are you interested in travel insurance? Yes No

Please make checks payable to **Globus**.

Include Tour Code: **Tv21002** on your check.

Send completed form and deposit to:

**St. Patrick Italy Group Coordinator
Therese Bogenhagen
1500 Vine Street
Hudson, WI 54016**

Deposit Due: \$250.00 per person
With Insurance: \$149 per person. If choosing to purchase Insurance, it must be purchased with deposit.



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**GRAND CATHOLIC ITALY
OCTOBER 1-12, 2012**

**Enjoy 11 days in Italy,
from Rome to Venice**

\$2,569.00 excluding air & taxes*

ROME: Welcome dinner at a local restaurant; guided sightseeing, visit St. Paul Outside the Walls, the Catacombs, St. John Lateran Basilica, the Holy Stairs, St. Mary Major Basilica, the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel, St. Peter's Square and Basilica, the Colosseum, and the Roman Forum; Papal audience (subject to availability)

CASCIA: Visit the Major and Minor Basilicas

ASSISI: Celebrate Mass; visit the St. Mary of the Angels Basilica and the Portiuncola; guided walking tour, visit the Basilicas of St. Francis and St. Clare, the Carceri Hermitage and Monastery of St. Damian

SIENA: Guided walking tour, visit the Basilica of St. Dominic, the Sanctuary of St. Catherine, and Piazza del Campo

FLORENCE: Guided walking tour, visit Michelangelo's David, the cathedral, Signoria Square, and Santa Croce Square

PADUA: Guided visit of St. Anthony's Basilica

VENICE: Private boat ride; guided walking tour, visit St. Mark's Square and Basilica, Doges' Palace and the Bridge of Sighs; glassblowers' demonstration; farewell dinner.



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Day 1 Arrive in Rome, Italy.

Time to rest or to start exploring the “Eternal City.” At 5 pm, meet your Tour Director, then enjoy this evening’s welcome dinner with wine at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2 Rome.

Attend the weekly general audience of the Pope (subject to availability). This afternoon, visit ST. PAUL OUTSIDE THE WALLS and the CATACOMBS. During the persecutions, the catacombs were used as places of refuge for the celebration of the Eucharist. Next, visit ST. JOHN LATERAN BASILICA, the HOLY STAIRS, which were brought from Jerusalem to Rome around 326 AD by St. Helena, mother of Constantine the Great. As a favorite of pilgrims everywhere, these 28 white marble steps may only be ascended on the knees. Then, visit the impressive ST. MARY MAJOR BASILICA. (B)

Day 3 Rome.

This morning, enjoy a guided visit of the VATICAN MUSEUMS and the SISTINE CHAPEL, world famous for Michelangelo’s ceiling paintings and The Last Judgment. Continue to monumental ST. PETER’S SQUARE and BASILICA. Cross the Tiber River and visit the COLOSSEUM, one of the New 7 Wonders of the World®, and the ROMAN FORUM, where Roman legions marched in triumph. (B)

Day 4 Rome–Cascia–Assisi.

Enter Umbria and stop in the town of Cascia to explore the life of St. Rita, known as the “Saint of the Impossible.” Visit the MAJOR BASILICA, the chapel that houses the tomb of St. Rita, and the MINOR BASILICA, home of the Eucharistic Miracle, which is commemorated each year with the Feast of Corpus Christi. Arrive at the hilltop village of Assisi, home of St. Francis and St. Clare. Here, visit ST. MARY OF THE ANGELS BASILICA, where St. Francis consecrated St. Clare as the “Bride of Christ,” and the PORTIUNCOLA, where he founded the Franciscan Order of Friars Minor in 1209. (B,D)

Day 5 Assisi.

Celebrate Mass this morning followed by a guided walking tour of Assisi. Visit the BASILICAS OF ST. FRANCIS and ST. CLARE, and see the crucifix that spoke to St. Francis. A short trip by minibus will take you to the CARCERI HERMITAGE, where St. Francis came to meditate and pray, an oasis of peace and tranquility in the midst of the woods of Mount Subasio. Finally, visit the MONASTERY OF ST. DAMIAN, a Franciscan shrine built on the spot where St. Francis heard the voice of Christ, and where he wrote the Canticle of the Creatures. The convent founded by St. Clare is still intact; here she died in 1253. This afternoon you may wish to join an optional excursion to magnificent Spello. (B)

Day 6 At Leisure in Assisi.

Attend Mass this morning and enjoy a full day at leisure to relax or to further explore the city. Optional excursions are available. (B,D)

Day 7 Assisi–Siena–Florence.

Leave Assisi and enter Tuscany. Stop in Siena and visit the BASILICA OF ST. DOMINIC and the SANCTUARY OF ST. CATHERINE. Enjoy a walk with a local expert through the ancient narrow lanes to beautiful PIAZZA DEL CAMPO, theater of the biannual Palio, Siena’s spectacular medieval-style horse race. In the afternoon, continue to Florence, “Cradle of the Renaissance.” (B,D)



Day 8 Florence.

Follow your Local Guide to the ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS with Michelangelo’s celebrated David and the magnificent CATHEDRAL. Admire Giotto’s Bell Tower, the Baptistry’s heavy bronze “Gate of Paradise,” and sculpture-studded SIGNORIA SQUARE. End your walking tour in SANTA CROCE SQUARE and admire its splendid basilica. (B)

Day 9 Florence–Padua–Venice.

Depart for Padua and meet your Local Guide. Visit the BASILICA OF ST. ANTHONY to see the tomb and reliquaries of this miracle-working saint and patron of lost and stolen articles, and enjoy Mass. Journey on to Venice, one of the world’s most romantic cities. Tonight is your chance to sample one of Venice’s fine restaurants. (B)

Day 10 Venice.

This morning, enter in style by PRIVATE BOAT and start sightseeing with your Local Guide. Visit ST. MARK’S SQUARE and its BASILICA, lavish DOGES’ PALACE and the BRIDGE OF SIGHS. Also watch skilled GLASSBLOWERS fashion their delicate objects in an age-old traditional manner. The afternoon is at leisure. You may wish to join an optional gondola serenade or attend Mass at the Basilica. This evening, enjoy a farewell dinner with wine. (B,D)

Day 11 Venice.

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning. (B)

