

Living Stones Pilgrimage Itinerary

October 21 - November 2, 2023

Saturday, October 21 - Fly to Tel Aviv

Sunday, October 22

- Arrive at Tel Aviv Airport and by bus together from the airport to Bethlehem
- Meet Usama and Zoughbi from Wi'am and check in at L'Arche Guest House
- Brief orientation, dinner at Guest House

Day 1 - Monday, 23 October - Bethlehem

- Breakfast at the Guest House
- Aida Camp and library (Al Rowwad)
- Visit Wi'am (lunch with Social Worker from Aida School)
- Shepherd's Field
- Manger Square Church of Nativity
- Dinner and Group time at the Guest house



Day 2 - Tuesday, 24 October - Hebron

- Breakfast at the Guest House
- Glass / Ceramic Factory
- Walk the Old City / Ibrahimi Mosque / Tomb of Patriarchs
- Shuhada Street
- Community Peacemaker Teams
- Go to the church where the Oak of Mamre is
- Dinner at the Guest House

**Day 3 - Wednesday, 25
October - Jerusalem**

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Guided tour of Al Aqsa and Dome of the Rock
- Western Wall
- Church of Holy Sepulcher
- UNICEF meeting, focus on education
- Dinner at the Guest House

**Day 4 - Thursday, 26 October
- Bethlehem**

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Hope School in Beit Jala
- Maybe visit Daoud and Tent of Nations
- Cremisan Winery
- Meeting with Bereaved Parents
- Dinner at the Guest House

Day 5 - Friday, 27 October - Ramallah

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Visit Sam Bahour
- Arafat Museum
- Seraj Library and Cultural Center
- Dinner at Guest House

Day 6 - Saturday, 28 October - Jericho

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Bedouin Tire School
- Hisham's Palace
- Dinner at Guest House

Day 7 - Sunday, 29 October - Nablus, Jenin, Ibillin

- Check out of Guest House
- Worship with Rev'd Jamil Khader, at St. Philip's Arab Episcopal church in Nablus
- To Jenin: Salt of the Earth Young Christians
- Church of Ten Lepers in Burqin
- Overnight in MEEI Guest House in Ibillin



Day 8 - Monday, 30 October - Ibillin

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Visit Chapel at MEEI
- Visit the church in village
- Connect with the after-school programs
- Abuna to meet group
- Alternate: Biram with Abuna and Sephhoris
- Overnight at MEEI Guesthouse

Day 9 - Tuesday, 31 October - Nazareth and Ibillin

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Morning festivities at MEEI High School
- Attend an English class
- To Nazareth – stop at Mt. Arbel
- Lunch at Ghana's Corner
- Church of Annunciation and St. Joseph's,
- Al-Tufula Preschool
- Overnight at MEEI Guest House

Day 10 - Wednesday, 1 November - Haifa

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Visit Hand in Hand school in Haifa
- Bahai Gardens
- Elijah Church
- Lunch in Haifa
- Overnight at MEEI Guest House

**Day 11- Thursday, 2 November**

- Breakfast at Guest House
- Akko
- Caesarea Marittima
- Dinner at Samir's
- Group to airport and fly home from Tel Aviv