

Join Congregation B'nai Israel

on a memorable tour to:

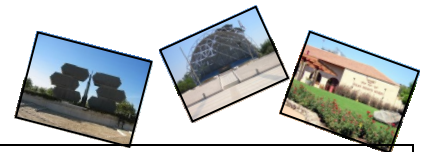
ISRAEL

February 17 - 27, 2011



\$2,919.00

Land and air package



TOUR INCLUDES:

- Roundtrip airfare between Newark and Tel Aviv
 - 5 nights at the Inbal Hotel in Jerusalem
 - 2 nights at the Kibbutz Lavi in the Galilee
- 1 night plus late check-out at the Carlton Hotel in Tel Aviv
- All touring and sightseeing per itinerary in a deluxe tour bus with an English speaking guide
 - Breakfast daily
 - 2 Shabbat dinners
 - 2 kibbutz dinners
 - Restaurant dinner in Jerusalem
 - Farewell dinner
- Transfers and airport assistance upon arrival and departure
 - Entrance fees and activities per itinerary
 - Portage

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

JERUSALEM

- Enjoy a walking tour of the Yemin Moshe neighborhood
 - Visit the Museum at the Tower of David
- See the Davidson Center & Southern Wall Excavations
 - Explore the Western Wall Tunnels
 - Tour Yad Vashem
- Explore the Mt. Herzl Museum and cemetery
- Visit the Knesset and Supreme Court Buildings
 - Meet with the Mayor of Jerusalem

THE SOUTH

- Ascend Masada
- Float in the Dead Sea

THE NORTH

- View the Roman ruins of Beit Shean and Beit Alpha
 - Enjoy a jeep tour of the Golan Heights
 - Visit mystical Safed
 - Explore the Crusader city of Akko
- See the amazing Bahai Temple and Persian Gardens in Haifa
 - Visit Caesarea's Roman Theater

TEL AVIV

- Welcome Shabbat in Tel Aviv
- Explore Tel Aviv at your leisure

...AND SO MUCH MORE!



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Day 1- Thursday, February 17, 2011: Depart the United States on our overnight flight to Israel.

Day 2- Friday, February 18, 2011: Arrival in Israel... Bruchim Habaim!... Meeting and assistance by Ayelet Tours staff ... Transfer to Jerusalem... As we enter Jerusalem, we recite a special "L'Chayim" and "She-He-Che-yanu" at **Haas Promenade** overlooking Jerusalem's Old City walls... After checking into our hotel with time to freshen up, we join the community at **Kol Haneshama** synagogue for Shabbat services... Shabbat dinner together at our hotel... Overnight at the Inbal Hotel in Jerusalem.

Day 3- Shabbat, February 19, 2011: Shabbat Shalom!.. Breakfast... This morning we invite you to join us for Shabbat services at the **Hebrew Union College**... Enjoy an afternoon walking tour of the **Yemin Moshe** artist colony and visit the **Museum of the History of Jerusalem at the Tower of David**... After Shabbat ends, the streets of Jerusalem come to life – stroll along the **Ben Yehuda Mall** or enjoy dinner at one of the many **Emek Refaim** restaurants... Overnight at the Inbal Hotel in Jerusalem.

Day 4- Sunday, February 20, 2011: Breakfast... This morning we begin our in-depth tour of the Old City... We start with the **Davidson Center's** multi-media presentation of ancient Jerusalem... Continue with an incredible walking tour through the **Western Wall Tunnels**... Walk through the Christian Quarter and Arab "shuk" before visiting the **Jewish Quarter's** many ancient sites, including the ancient Roman Cardo Market... Just outside the Old City walls, we visit **Ir David**, the City of David, with ruins dating back to the ancient times of King David, and visit the current archaeological digs that are uncovering Jerusalem's ancient history... Overnight at the Inbal Hotel in Jerusalem.

Day 5 – Monday, February 21, 2011: Breakfast with guest speaker who will talk to us about Israel's modern-day politics and security issues... Continue with a visit to **Yad Vashem**, Israel's memorial to the Martyrs of the Holocaust – here we view the many moving exhibitions including the Avenue of the Righteous and the Hall of Names... We then visit **Mt Herzl's** military cemetery where we view the gravesites of Theodor Herzl, Golda Meir and Yitzhak Rabin... At the **Herzl Museum** we learn about the life and work of the great Zionist visionary... Visit the **Knesset and Supreme Court buildings**, with the opportunity to stop for a group picture by the famous Menorah outside the Knesset building... Overnight at the Inbal Hotel in Jerusalem.

Day 6 – Tuesday, February 22, 2011: Breakfast... Special meeting with the **Mayor of Jerusalem** (arranged on own)... Continue with a visit to **Yad L'Kashish**, Lifeline for the Old, a non-profit organization offering aid and creative work opportunities to the elderly in Jerusalem... Continue to the **Hadassah Hospital** for a view of the magnificent Chagall Windows... Enjoy time at leisure in Jerusalem... **Dinner together** at a local Jerusalem restaurant this evening... Overnight at the Inbal Hotel in Jerusalem.

Day 7 – Wednesday, February 23, 2011: Early morning departure to travel through the Judean Desert on our way to the **Dead Sea Basin**. Here we ascend **Masada**, King Herod's fortress, where the Jewish Zealots chose to take their own lives rather than surrender to the Romans... Enjoy an "unsinkable swim" in the salty waters of the **Dead Sea**... We then drive north through the Jordan Valley on our way to the Galilee... En route we stop at the ancient sites of **Beit Shean and Beit Alpha** to admire the amazing remains and intricate mosaics... Arrive at our kibbutz guesthouse... Dinner and overnight at Kibbutz Lavi Guesthouse in the Galilee.

Day 8 – Thursday, February 24, 2011: Breakfast... This morning we enjoy a jeep tour of the **Golan Heights**, passing old Syrian bunkers on our way to visit the ancient synagogue and Mishnaic village at **Katzrin**... At Har Bental we take in the panoramic views extending into neighboring Syria... Arrive in the mystical city of **Safed**, center of kabbalistic practice - visit the ancient synagogues and Artists' Quarter... Dinner and Overnight at Kibbutz Lavi in the Galilee.

Day 9 – Friday, February 25, 2011: Breakfast... We depart the Galilee and head westward toward Israel's Mediterranean coastline... Stop in the seaside Crusader city of **Akko**, where we explore the fortress and learn about the British Prison... Visit Haifa's **Mt. Carmel** to take in the breathtaking panoramic views, including the Bahai Temple and Persian Gardens... Continue south to **Caesarea's** first century excavations and ancient harbor, including the Roman Theater... Arrive in **Tel Aviv**, where we check in to our hotel with time to freshen up before joining the nearby community of **Modiin** for Shabbat services and Shabbat Dinner... Overnight at the Carlton Hotel in Tel Aviv.

Day 10- Shabbat, February 26, 2011: Breakfast... Day at leisure in Tel Aviv... This evening we enjoy a **farewell dinner** at a local restaurant before transferring to the airport for our late night flight back to the United States.

Day 11- Sunday, February 27, 2011: We arrive home.

THE MEMORIES LAST FOREVER!

Land only is \$2,319.00. Tour does not include: Departure taxes and fuel surcharges (approximately \$471.00 per person – subject to change until ticketed), any border taxes or visas, tips to guides, driver and dining room waiters (\$15.00 per person, per day, pre-collected), travel insurance (highly recommended), or items of a personal nature. The single supplement is \$890.00 per person. The reduction for a child under 18 in a triple room is \$490.00. **CANCELLATION POLICY:** \$100.00 per person charge if cancelled once booked plus any applicable airline penalties. \$250.00 per person plus any additional airline penalties charged if cancelled 60-31 days before departure. 100% penalties apply if cancelled 30 days or less before departure. **Please note that this price reflects a cash discount and is only for payment by cash or check. If you wish to pay by credit card, the price is \$3,007.00, \$ 2,389.00 for land only and \$917.00 single supplement.**

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**Yes! I want to join Congregation B'nai Israel on this tour to Israel in February 2011!
I am sending this form with a \$500 per person deposit, payable to Ayelet Tours.**

Land & Air

Please include a copy of the front page of each person's passport.
Passport must be valid for 6 months past travel dates.

Land Only

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