

# **Biblical Tour Packages 2025-2026**

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# **5 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR IZMIR**

Tour Start Date: Every day from 15 November 2024 to 01 Nov 2025

**TOUR ROUTE:** Izmir - Smyrna - Pergamum - Thyatira - Sardis - Philadelphia - Laodicea - Hierapolis - Ephesus - Izmir

# TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

Izmir: Asia Minor; Acropolis and Asclepion, Temple of Trajan, Red Basilica, Thyatira, Clock Tower, Altar of Zeus and Library of Alexandria.

Akhisar: Asia Minor; Sardis, Temple of Artemis, Temple of Cybele Alasehir: Asia Minor; Philadelphia

Pamukkale: Asia Minor; Hierapolis, Waterfalls, Laodicea and Martyrium of the Apostle Philip. Kusadasi: Asia Minor; The Virgin Mary House, Basilica of St. John and Ephesus; Library of Celsus, Theatre, Temple of Aphrodite, Hadrian's Bath, Town Overlooks, Bishop's Palace, The Apostle Paul, the Temple of Hadrian, and the Temple of Diana.

# **5 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR IZMIR SUMMARY:**

Welcome to Turkey!

We will take you on a journey of ancient temples, 7 biblical churches located within the Aegean Region that will give you a chance to witness the history of humankind from religion perspective. From the altar of legendary, "all mighty" Zeus to the sacred home of holy Virgin Mary, the mother of Jesus, many mystic relics are along the way for you to view during an amazing 5 day trip.



# **5 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR IZMIR ITINERARY:**

# Day 1 - Izmir - Arrival Day

(Dinner included)

Upon our arrival at Izmir Airport or Kusadasi /Cesme Port, our guide will meet you with your name sign to assist you to transfer to your hotel. You room card will be given to you and the rest of the day is yours to explore Izmir. Overnight in Izmir.



# Day 2 - Pergamum - Thyatira - Izmir

(Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast we drive to Pergamum, actually called Bergama. It is one of the sites of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 2:12]. Here, we explore the impressive **Acropolis**, the steepest theatre in the world. Then the **Asklepion**, famous medical center of classical times, see the **Altar of Zeus**, which mentioned, as the «Throne of Satan» in the book of Revelation, the marble columns of the **Temple of Trajan**. Moreover, **The Library**, which was foremost in the world and was long a rival of the equally famous Library of Alexandria in Egypt. Its wealth of volumes was estimated at over 200,000. It inspired the invention of parchment.

We also visit the **Red Basilica** (St. Johns Church). Then we continue our visit to **Thyatira**, now called Akhisar, another one of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 2:18 - 24; Acts 16:14]. It was a city famous for purple dyes. We visit the remains of a basilica and some architectural fragments from the Roman period. Lydia, the seller of purple in Philippi, was from Thyatira.

We enjoy a panoramic ride of Smyrna, the third largest city in Turkey and one of the sites of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 2:12 - 17]. Smyrna is a city scarred with a bloody history of trade and warfare. We ascend to Mount Pagus where we visit the **Citadel of Lysimachus**, commander of Alexander the Great, erected in the 4th century BC. We will also see the **Clock Tower**. Check in at the hotel for dinner and overnight in Izmir.

# Day 3 - Izmir - Sardis - Philadelphia - Laodicea - Hierapolis

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Today we depart early in the morning to visit one of the most picturesque areas of any of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 3:1 - 4]. **Sardis**, presently Sart. This was the capital of the ancient Lydian kingdom of the 6th century BC, portrayed as a dying church. We visit the great **Temple of Artemis** and the **Temple of Cybele**, which became a Byzantine Church. We will also visit the **restored gymnasium** and **reconstructed Synagogue**. We also see the last several meters of the royal **Persian Road** from Susa to Sardis built by Cyrus the Great and the «golden» river Pactolus. Lunch break will be given en route.

Then we continue our journey to **Philadelphia**, nowadays called Alasehir, another church of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 3:7], and the only church not censured. There we see the remains of a **Byzantine basilica** built of brick, with a bit of high arch and some 11th century frescoes. We drive to the healing city of **Hierapolis**, actually Pamukkale, the white «cotton fortress» where hot mineral water bursts from the earth and cascades over steep cliffs forming pools, channels and stalactites. The therapeutic waters were known to the founders of Hierapolis and of Laodicea in 190 BC. In Hierapolis [Col. 4:13], we visit the **Martyrium of the Apostle Philip** where he martyred during the persecutions ordered by Domitian. Proceed to **Laodicea** (present name Denizli) yet another of the Seven Churches of Asia Minor [Rev. 1:11; 3:14; Col. 2:1; 4:13 - 16]. We see the ancient theatre, the remains of basilica and ancient stone water pipes.

We visit the **Gate of Domitian**, the Arcadian Way, the 2nd century AD Theatre, the Nymphaeum, the Temple of Apollo, the Plutonium and the Necropolis. Check in at hotel for dinner and overnight in Pamukkale.

# Day 4 - Ephesus - Kusadasi

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Drive to Ephesus to visit the ancient city of **Ephesus** including the **Basilica of St. John**. The Apostle Paul preached to the Ephesians and lived here for three years. This church also received an epistle from him. We tour the spectacular ruins where excavations are still continuing in this once great and important city, which was founded in the 10th century BC. Temple of Artemis, Ephesus ancient sites and Virgin Mary.

Walk through history along marble streets lined with wonderful public buildings, among them the Baths of Scholastica, the Library of Celsus, the Temple of Hadrian and the Theatre. The Temple of Diana of



the Ephesians, another of the seven wonders of the ancient world, was built in this city. We visit the Basilica of St. John. Visit **The House of Virgin Mary**. Overnight in Kusadasi.

# Day 5 - Izmir - End of Tour

# (Breakfast included)

After breakfast, we depart for Izmir Airport for our return flight back to home. We hope your tour was a memorable one and we would like to see you in the future in one of our tours again. Have a nice trip back home and thanks for choosing Travel Shop Booking.

# **5 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR IZMIR INCLUDES:**

- Arrival airport transfer from Izmir airport or Kusadası or Cesme cruise ports
- 2 nights' hotel in Izmir
- 1-night hotel in Pamukkale
- 1-night hotel in Kusadasi
- 4 open buffet breakfasts
- 4 dinners at hotels
- Guided Thyatira Pergamum tour
- Guided Philadelphia, Sardis and Smyrna tour
- Guided Pisidia Antioch Laodicea and Hierapolis Pamukkale tour
- Guided Ephesus tour
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Transportation in a fully air conditioned, non smoking coach
- Professional English speaking tour guides
- Return airport transfer to Izmir Airport
- Hotel room taxes
- City Tax

# **5 DAYS BIBLICAL TOUR PRICES IN EURO BASIS**

Room Type	Triple	Double	Single	Triple	Double	Single
1 Pax			€ 1.952,00			€ 2.042,00
2 Pax	€ 1.083,00	€ 1.100,00	€ 1.232,00	€ 1.121,00	€ 1.142,00	€ 1.322,00
3 - 4 Pax	€ 843,00	€ 860,00	€ 992,00	€ 881,00	€ 902,00	€ 1.082,00
5 -7 Pax	€ 651,00	€ 668,00	€ 800,00	€ 689,00	€ 710,00	€ 890,00
8 - 10 Pax	€ 542,40	€ 559,20	€ 691,20	€ 580,80	€ 601,20	€ 781,20
11 - 14 Pax	€ 537,00	€ 554,00	€ 686,00	€ 576,00	€ 596,00	€ 776,00
15 - 19 Pax	€ 491,00	€ 508,00	€ 640,00	€ 529,00	€ 550,00	€ 730,00
20 - 24 Pax	€ 459,00	€ 476,00	€ 608,00	€ 497,00	€ 518,00	€ 698,00
25 - 29 Pax	€ 453,00	€ 470,00	€ 602,00	€ 491,00	€ 512,00	€ 692,00
30 - 34 Pax	€ 436,00	€ 453,00	€ 585,00	€ 474,00	€ 495,00	€ 675,00
35 - 40 Pax	€ 419,00	€ 436,00	€ 568,00	€ 457,00	€ 478,00	€ 658,00

Tour period	From 15.11.2024 to 31.03.2025	From 01.04.2025 to 31.10.2025



# EXCLUDES:

- International flights
- Insurance: All types
- Turkey entry visa
- Items of a personal nature such as alcoholic drinks, cold drinks, laundry
- Any others expenses which are not mentioned at the included section
- Tipping
- Domestic Flights within Turkey
- Please Note: Domestic flight price for adult travelers is approximately Euros: 50,00 for one way and for under 2 years old, approximately Euros: 20,00 as an insurance policy.

5 DAY BIBLICAL IZMIR TOUR HOTEL LIST				
<b>Destination</b>	HOTEL NAMES			
Izmir	4 Star Blanca Hotel or similar			
Pamukkale	5 Star Pam Thermal Hotel or similar			
Kusadasi	4 Star Odelia Resort Hotel or similar			

**PS:** If This hotel list not available at the time of your booking then we will arrange similar other hotel for your group. If you prefer a Different category hotel, there might be an additional cost.



# **8 DAY SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION TOUR**

Tour Start Date: Every day from 15 November 2024 to 31 March 2026

#### TOUR ROUTE:

Istanbul - Izmir - Smyrna - Pergamum - Sardis - Philadelphia - Pamukkale - Laodicea - Ephesus - Istanbul

#### **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:**

Istanbul: Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sophia, Blue Mosque, Hippodrome, Grand Covered Bazaar. Izmir: Asia Minor; Acropolis and Asclepion, Temple of Trajan, Thyatira, Clock Tower, Altar of Zeus and Library of Alexandria. Akhisar: Asia Minor; Sardis, Temple of Artemis, Temple of Cybele

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# 8 DAY SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION TOUR SUMMARY: Welcome to Turkey!

Visit the seven biblical churches that paved the religion for centuries, now resting in the heart of Islamic Turkey taking off by Istanbul throughout the Aegean region.



# 8 DAY SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION TOUR ITINERARY:

# Day 1 - Istanbul - Arrival Day

Upon our arrival at Istanbul International Airport, your guide will meet, assist and transfer you to the hotel. Istanbul's original name is Byzantium then Constantinople. It is a most fascinating city, which actually crosses two continents Europe and Asia. It is a city of amalgamation of bazaars, minarets, mosques, churches, palaces, and restaurants catering to every one's taste, museums, customs and twelve million people. Overnight in Istanbul.



# Day 2 – Istanbul City Tour

(Breakfast included)

Our journey begins in Istanbul, the only city in the world situated on two continents. Today we wdiscover the Byzantine and Ottoman treasures of Istanbul. We visit **St. Sofia**, the (church of the sacred wisdom), converted to a mosque from a Christian basilica after the fall of Constantinople in 1453. We see the **Hippodrome** and the Obelisk brought from Egypt. Then our next visit is the **Blue Mosque** with its six minarets. Afternoon we will visit the Topkapi Palace, which was the residence of the Ottoman sultans, with its fabulous treasure chambers. After the lunch, Murtis Tour will take you to the **Grand Spice Bazaar** which is a unique atmosphere with reasonable prices for your shopping. Here you will find; Exotic Spices and Herbs, Turkish Baklava, Turkish Delights, Turkish Coffee, nuts and fruits, small souvenirs such as Ceramic Handicrafts, Evil Eyes totems, all naturel olive oil, soaps and many other goods in Souvenir Shops and stores. After the tour, transfer back to your hotel. Overnight in Istanbul.

# Day 3 – Istanbul to Izmir; Smyrna - Thyatira

# (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included)

Transfer from hotel to Istanbul Airport for flight to Izmir. Upon arrival in Izmir, we proceed to **Thyatira**, now called Akhisar, another one of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 2:18 - 24; Acts 16:14]. It was a city famous for purple dyes. We visit the remains of a basilica and some architectural fragments from the Roman period. Lydia, the seller of purple in Philippi, was from Thyatira. In the afternoon, we enjoy a panoramic ride of **Smyrna**, the third largest city in Turkey and second one of the seven Christian churches in Asia Minor to which St. John the Divine wrote (Revelation I - 11). Smyrna is a city scarred with a bloody history of trade and warfare. We ascend to Mount Pagus where we visit the **Citadel of Lysimachus**, commander of Alexander the Great, erected in the 4th century BC. We will also see the **Clock Tower**. Check in at the hotel for dinner and overnight in Izmir.

# Day 4 - Pergamum

#### (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included)

After breakfast we drive to Pergamum, actually called Bergama. It is one of the sites of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 2:12]. Here, we explore the impressive **Acropolis**, the steepest theatre in the world. Then the **Asklepion**, famous medical center of classical times, see the **Altar of Zeus**, which mentioned, as the «Throne of Satan» in the book of Revelation, the marble columns of the **Temple of Trajan**. Moreover, **The Library**, which was foremost in the world and was long a rival of the equally famous Library of Alexandria in Egypt. Its wealth of volumes was estimated at over 200,000. It inspired the invention of parchment. Overnight in Izmir.

# Day 5 - Sardis - Philadelphia - Pamukkale

# (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included)

Today we depart early in the morning to visit one of the most picturesque areas of any of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 3:1 - 4]. **Sardis**, presently Sart. This was the capital of the ancient Lydian kingdom of the 6th century BC, portrayed as a dying church. We visit the great **Temple of Artemis** and the **Temple of Cybele**, which became a Byzantine Church. We will also visit the **restored gymnasium** and **reconstructed Synagogue**. We also see the last several meters of the royal **Persian Road** from Susa to Sardis built by Cyrus the Great and the «golden» river Pactolus. Lunch break will be given en route. Then we continue our journey to **Philadelphia**, nowadays called Alasehir, another church of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 3:7], and the only church not censured. There we see the remains of a **Byzantine basilica** built of brick, with a bit of high arch and some 11th century frescoes. We drive to the healing city of **Hierapolis**, actually Pamukkale, the white «cotton fortress» where hot mineral water bursts from the earth and cascades over steep cliffs forming pools, channels and stalactites. The therapeutic waters were known to the founders of Hierapolis and of Laodicea in 190 BC. In Hierapolis [Col. 4:13], we visit the **Martyrium of the Apostle Philip** where he



martyred during the persecutions ordered by Domitian. Watch the sunset over the petrified waterfalls. Check in at hotel for dinner and overnight in Pamukkale.

# Day 6 - Laodicea - Ephesus

# (Breakfast,Llunch and Dinner included)

Today we depart early in the morning to visit Laodicea before continuing to Ephesus. **Laodicea** (present name Denizli) yet another of the Seven Churches of Asia Minor [Rev. 1:11; 3:14; Col. 2:1; 4:13 - 16]. We see the ancient theatre, the remains of basilica and ancient stone water pipes. We visit the **Gate of Domitian**, the Arcadian Way, the 2nd century AD Theatre, the Nymphaeum, the Temple of Apollo, the Plutonium and the Necropolis. After that drive to Ephesus to visit the ancient city of **Ephesus**. The Apostle Paul preached to the Ephesians and lived here for three years. This church also received an epistle from him. We tour the spectacular ruins where excavations are still continue in this once great and important city, which was founded in the 10th century BC. Temple of Artemis, Ephesus ancient sites and Virgin Mary.

Walk through history along marble streets lined with wonderful public buildings, among them the Baths of Scholastica, the Library of Celsus, the Temple of Hadrian and the Theatre. The Temple of Diana of the Ephesians, another of the seven wonders of the ancient world, was built in this city. We visit **The House of Virgin Mary** where she spent her latest years. Overnight in Kusadasi.

# Day 7 – Izmir to Istanbul

#### (Breakfast included)

Transfer to the Izmir airport for the flight to Istanbul. Arrival and transfer to the hotel. Free time at leisure. Overnight in Istanbul.

# Day 8 - Istanbul - End of Tour

# (Breakfast included)

After breakfast check out from the hotel. We hope your tour was a memorable one and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another TravelShop Turkey Tour. Have a safe trip back home and thanks for choosing TravelShop Turkey.

# 8 DAY SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION TOUR INCLUDES:

- Arrival airport transfer from Istanbul Airport
- 3 nights' hotel in Istanbul
- 2 nights' hotel in Izmir
- 1-night hotel in Pamukkale
- 1-night hotel in Kusadasi
- 7 open buffet breakfasts
- 4 lunches
- 4 dinners
- Guided Istanbul City Tour
- Guided Smyrna and Thyatira Tour
- Guided Pergamum Tour
- Guided Sardis and Philadelphia Tour
- Guided Pamukkale Tour
- Guided Laodicea Tour
- Guided Ephesus tour
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Transportation in a fully air conditioned, non smoking coach
- Professional English speaking tour guides
- Return Izmir Airport transfer
- Hotel room taxes



City Tax

PRIVATE 8 DAY SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION TOUR PRICES PER PERSON IN EUROS						
<b>Destination</b>		Low Season		High Season		
Room Type	Triple	Double	Star Single	Triple	Double	Star Single
1 Pax	-	-	€ 3.128,00	-	-	€ 3.308,00
2 Pax	€ 1.730,00	€ 1.754,00	€ 1.976,00	€ 1.811,00	€ 1.850,00	€ 2.156,00
3 - 4 Pax	€ 1.346,00	€ 1.370,00	€ 1.592,00	€ 1.427,00	€ 1.466,00	€ 1.772,00
5 -7 Pax	€ 1.038,00	€ 1.062,00	€ 1.284,00	€ 1.120,00	€ 1.158,00	€ 1.464,00
8 - 10 Pax	€ 866,00	€ 890,00	€ 1.112,00	€ 947,00	€ 986,00	€ 1.292,00
11 - 14 Pax	€ 857,00	€ 881,00	€ 1.103,00	€ 939,00	€ 977,00	€ 1.283,00
15 - 19 Pax	€ 782,00	€ 806,00	€ 1.028,00	€ 864,00	€ 902,00	€ 1.208,00
20 - 24 Pax	€ 731,00	€ 755,00	€ 977,00	€ 813,00	€ 851,00	€ 1.157,00
25 - 29 Pax	€ 722,00	€ 746,00	€ 968,00	€ 803,00	€ 842,00	€ 1.148,00
30 - 34 Pax	€ 695,00	€ 719,00	€ 941,00	€ 776,00	€ 815,00	€ 1.121,00
35 - 40 Pax	€ 667,00	€ 691,00	€ 913,00	€ 749,00	€ 787,00	€ 1.093,00
Tour period		5.11.2024 to 31.0 1.2025 to 31.03.2		From 0	1.04.2025 to 31	.10.2025

# EXCLUDES:

- International flights
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- Turkey entry visa
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- Any others expenses which are not mentioned at the included section
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- Domestic flight tickets from Istanbul to Izmir
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**PS:** Domestic flight price for adult travelers is approximately Euros: 80,00 for one way and for under 2 years old, approximately Euros: 20,00 as an insurance policy.

8 DAY SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION TOUR HOTEL LIST			
<b>Destination</b>	HOTEL NAMES		
Istanbul	5 Star La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul		
Izmir	4 Star Blanca Hotel		
Pamukkale	5 Star Pam Thermal Hotel		



Kusadasi 4 Star Odelia Resort Hotel

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# 9 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY

Tour Start Date: Every day from 15 November 2024 to 31 March 2026

# TOUR ROUTE:

Istanbul - Troy - Gallipoli - Pergamum - Thyatira - Smyrna - Sardis - Philadelphia - Hierapolis - Laodicea - Colossae - Aphrodisias - Kusadasi - Ephesus - Izmir - Istanbul

# **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:**

Istanbul: Topkapi Palace, Hagia Sophia, Blue Mosque, Hippodrome, Grand Covered Bazaar, Bosphorus Cruise and Grand Spice Market.

Canakkale: Gallipoli, Legendary Walls, Wooden Horse, the Aegean Sea and Dardanelles. Izmir: Asia Minor; Acropolis and Asclepion, Temple of Trajan, Red Basilica, Thyatira, Clock Tower, Altar of Zeus and Library of Alexandria.

Akhisar: Asia Minor; Sardis, Temple of Artemis, Temple of Cybele

Alasehir: Asia Minor; Philadelphia

Pamukkale: Asia Minor; Hierapolis, Waterfalls, Laodicea, Martyrium of the Apostle Philip, Aphrodisias Hadrian's Bath and Bishop's Palace.

Kusadasi: Asia Minor; The Virgin Mary House, Basilica of St. John and Ephesus; Library of Celsus, Theatre, Temple of Aphrodite, Town Overlooks, The Apostle Paul, the Temple of Hadrian, and the Temple of Diana.

# 9 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY SUMMARY:

Welcome to Turkey!

In these 9 days, we will get to see the religious and legendary elements of ancient times from Istanbul to Ancient City of Troy, Biblical Monuments and mystical temples all around Aegean Region. This trip will be a journey of a lifetime for religion enthusiastic and believers.



# 9 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY ITINERARY:

# Day 1 - Istanbul - Arrival Day

Upon our arrival at Istanbul International Airport, your guide will meet, assist and transfer you to the hotel. Istanbul's original name is Byzantium then Constantinople. It is a most fascinating city, which actually crosses two continents Europe and Asia. It is a city of amalgamation of bazaars, minarets,



mosques, churches, palaces, and restaurants catering to every one's taste, museums, customs and twelve million people. Overnight in Istanbul.

#### Day 2 – Istanbul City Tour

# (Breakfast included)

Our journey begins in Istanbul, the only city in the world situated on two continents. Today we wdiscover the Byzantine and Ottoman treasures of Istanbul. We visit **St. Sofia**, the (church of the sacred wisdom), converted to a mosque from a Christian basilica after the fall of Constantinople in 1453. We see the **Hippodrome** and the Obelisk brought from Egypt. Then our next visit is the **Blue Mosque** with its six minarets. Afternoon we will visit the **Topkapi Palace**, which was the residence of the Ottoman sultans, with its fabulous treasure chambers. After the lunch, Murtis Tour will take you to the **Grand Spice Bazaar** which is a unique atmosphere with reasonable prices for your shopping. Here you will find; Exotic Spices and Herbs, Turkish Baklava, Turkish Delights, Turkish Coffee, nuts and fruits, small souvenirs such as Ceramic Handicrafts, Evil Eyes totems, all naturel olive oil, soaps and many other goods in Souvenir Shops and stores. After the tour, transfer back to your hotel. Overnight in Istanbul.

# Day 3 - Istanbul Bosphorus Cruise

#### (Breakfast included)

After breakfast between 08:00 am and 09:30 am pick ups from hotel. Final timing one day before will be given you by your tour consultant. **BOSPHORUS BY BOAT**; a traditional excursion by boat along the waterway separating Europe and Asia. The shore lined with old wooden villas, palaces of marble, fortresses, and small fishing villages. During the excursion, you will see the magnificent sights of the following attractions from your boat. See Dolmabahce Palace, and further along, the parks and imperial pavilions of Yildiz Palace. On the coastal edge of this park, is Ciragan Palace, 300 meters of its marble facade faces the shore. At Ortakoy a great variety of artists, gather every sunday to display their work along the street. Ortakoy is a symbol of tolerance with a church, a mosque and a synagogue existing side by side for centuries.

RUMELI FORTRESS (view from boat), Built by Mehmet the Conqueror in 1452 prior to the conquest of Istanbul was completed in only four months to control and protect the infamous Bosporus passage. It is one of the most beautiful works of military architecture anywhere in the world. BEYLERBEYI PALACE (view from boat), is the summer residence of Ottoman sultans exists in its original renovated glory featuring original antique furniture and magnificent gardens with the Harem on the Asian side of Istanbul. Lunch break at the Turkish restaurant. After the lunch we will then take you to the **GRAND COVERED BAZAAR** In this labyrinth of streets and passages are more than 4,000 shops with each trade having its own area: the goldsmiths' street, the carpet sellers, Turkish arts and crafts, such as hand painted ceramic plates, hand-honed copperware, brassware and trays, water ewers, onyx-ware and meerschaum pipes. After the tour transfer back to your hotel. Overnight in Istanbul.

# Day 4 - Istanbul - Troy - Canakkale

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast, we depart for **Gallipoli**, through the European lands of Turkey. Cross the Dardanelles Strait by ferry - boat. Lunch break will be given en route. Visit ancient **Troy**, see the legendary walls and the replica of the wooden horse. Drive to Canakkale, that lends its name to the Straits of the Dardanelles (in antiquity it was called Hellespont). This narrow passage connects the waters of the Mediterranean Sea, the Aegean Sea, the Sea of Marmara, and further north opens into the Black Sea, on the southern shores of the former USSR. Check in at the hotel followed by dinner. Overnight in Canakkale.

# Day 5 - Pergamon - Thyatira - Izmir

(Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast at our hotel in Canakkale, we drive to Pergamum, actually called Bergama. It is one of



the sites of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 1:11; 2:12]. Here we explore the impressive **Acropolis**, the steepest theatre in the world. Then the **Asklepieion**, famous medical centre of classical times, see the **Altar of Zeus**, which mentioned as the «Throne of Satan» in the book of Revelation. Moreover, the marble columns of the **Temple of Trajan** and the **Library**, which was foremost in the world and was, long a rival of the equally famous Library of Alexandria in Egypt. Its wealth of volumes was estimated at over 200, 000. It inspired the invention of parchment.

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Before we check in at the hotel in Izmir, we enjoy a panoramic ride of **Smyrna**, the third largest city in Turkey and one of the sites of the Seven Churches of Asia [Rev. 2:12 - 17]. Smyrnas is a city scarred with a bloody history of trade and warfare. We ascend to Mount Pagus where we visit the Citadel of Lysimachos, commander of Alexander the Great, erected in the 4th century BC. We will also see the **Clock Tower**. Check in at the hotel for dinner. Overnight in Izmir.

# Day 6 - Izmir - Sardis - Philadelphia - Hierapolis

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

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We visit the Gate of Domitian, the Arcadian Way, the 2nd century AD Theatre, the Nymphaion, the Temple of Apollo, the Plutonium and the Necropolis. Dinner and overnight.Pamukkale

# Day 7 - Laodicea - Aphrodisias - Kusadasi

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

We depart for **Laodicea** (present name Denizli) yet another of the Seven Churches of Asia Minor [Rev. 1:11; 3:14; Col. 2:1; 4:13 - 16]. We see the ancient theatre, the remains of basilica and ancient stone water pipes. **Aphrodisias** is our next stop. We visit the best - preserved ancient stadium ever excavated where the seating capacity was 30, 000. We see the odeon with its extraordinary blue marble stage, the Temple of Aphrodite that marks the site of ancient veneration, **Hadrian's Bath** and the **Bishop's Palace**, part of a building christened by the archaeologists. Lunch en route. Drive to Kusadasi, in the Turkish language, Kusadasi, this lovely and peaceful little port and fashionable resort, means "Island of Birds". It is built along the shores of a glittering bay, around a tiny islet covered with pine - trees and flowers. The terraced town overlooks the most beautiful bay of the Aegean Sea and seems it has been created purely for the delight of the holidaymaker. Dinner and overnight in Kusadasi.

# Day 8 - Ephesus - Kusadasi

(Breakfast and Dinner included)



Breakfast at the hotel. Today we enjoy a visit to the ancient city of **Ephesus** including the **Basilica of St. John**. The Apostle Paul preached to the Ephesians and lived here for three years. This church also received an epistle from him. We tour the spectacular ruins where excavations still continue in this once great and important city, which was founded in the 10th century BC. Walk through history along marble streets lined with wonderful public buildings, among them the Baths of Scholastica, the Library of Celsus, the Temple of Hadrian and the Theatre. The Temple of Diana of the Ephesians, another of the seven wonders of the ancient world, was built in this city. Lunch en route. We visit the Basilica of St. John. We visit **The House of Virgin Mary** where she spent her latest years. Overnight in Kusadasi.

# Day 9 - Izmir - End of Tour

(Breakfast included)

Pick up from hotel and transfer to Izmir Airport for flight back home. We hope your tour was a memorable one and we would like to see you in the future in one of our tours again. Have a nice trip back home and thanks for choosing TravelShop Booking.

# 9 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY INCLUDES:

- Arrival airport transfer from Istanbul airport
- 3 nights hotel in Istanbul
- 1 night hotel in Canakkale
- 1 night hotel in Izmir
- 1 night hotel in Pamukkale
- 2 nights hotel in Kusadasi
- 8 open buffet breakfasts
- 5 dinners
- Guided Istanbul City Tour
- Guided Bosporus Cruise
- Guided Troy tour
- Guided Thyatira Pergamum tour
- Guided Philadelphia, Sardes Smyrna tour
- Guided Laodicea Aphrodisias Kusadasi tour
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- Transportation in a fully air conditioned, non smoking coach
- Professional English speaking tour guides
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<b>Destination</b>		Low Season		High Season				
Room Type	Triple	Double	Star Single	Triple	Double	Star Single		
1 Pax	-	-	€ 3.454,00	-	-	€ 3.652,00		
2 Pax	€ 1.892,00	€ 1.914,00	€ 2.158,00	€ 1.994,00	€ 2.034,00	€ 2.356,00		
3 - 4 Pax	€ 1.460,00	€ 1.482,00	€ 1.726,00	€ 1.562,00	€ 1.602,00	€ 1.924,00		
5 -7 Pax	€ 1.114,00	€ 1.137,00	€ 1.380,00	€ 1.216,00	€ 1.257,00	€ 1.578,00		
8 - 10 Pax	€ 919,20	€ 942,00	€ 1.185,60	€ 1.021,20	€ 1.062,00	€ 1.383,60		



11 - 14 Pax	€ 910,00	€ 933,00	€ 1.176,00	€ 1.012,00	€ 1.053,00	€ 1.374,00
15 - 19 Pax	€ 826,00	€ 849,00	€ 1.092,00	€ 928,00	€ 969,00	€ 1.290,00
20 - 24 Pax	€ 768,00	€ 791,00	€ 1.035,00	€ 870,00	€ 911,00	€ 1.233,00
25 - 29 Pax	€ 758,00	€ 780,00	€ 1.024,00	€ 860,00	€ 900,00	€ 1.222,00
30 - 34 Pax	€ 727,00	€ 750,00	€ 994,00	€ 829,00	€ 870,00	€ 1.192,00
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Tour period	From 15.11.2024 to 31.03.2025 01.11.2025 to 31.03.2026			From 0	1.04.2025 to 31	.10.2025

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9 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY HOTEL LIST				
Destination	HOTEL NAMES			
Istanbul	5 Star La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul			
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Izmir	4 star Blanca Hotel			
Pamukkale	5 Star Pam Thermal Hotel			
Kusadasi	4 Star Odelia Resort Hotel			

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# **14 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY**

Tour Start Date: Every day from 15 November 2024 to 31 March 2026

#### TOUR ROUTE:

Istanbul - Adana - Tarsus - Antioch - Cappadocia - Lystra - Iconium - Pisidian Antioch - Laodicea - Colossea - Hierapolis - Philadelphia - Sardes - Smyrna - Miletus - Didyma - Kusadasi - Ephesus - Thyatira - Pergamum - Troy - Alexandra Troas - Assos - Nicea - Istanbul

#### **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:**

Istanbul: Topkapi Palace, Blue Mosque, Hippodrome, Grand Covered Bazaar and Grand Spice Bazaar. Adana - Mersin, Tarsus: Asia Minor; Apostle Paul, Gate of Cleopatra, archaeological remains of Selaucia and cave of Paul and Silas

Cappadocia: Asia Minor; Ihlara, Uchisar and Zelve Valley, Ozkonak Underground City, Göreme Open Air Museum and Fairy Chimneys

Konya: Asia Minor; Sultanhani Caravansary, Lystra, Iconium and Whirling Dervishes.

Pamukkale: Asia Minor; Antioch of Pisidia, Colossae, Hierapolis, Cotton Castle and Laodicea

Akhisar: Asia Minor; Sardis, Temple of Artemis, Temple of Cybele

Alasehir: Asia Minor; Philadelphia

Kusadasi: Asia Minor; Miletus, Didyma, The Virgin Mary House, Basilica of St. John and Ephesus; Library of Celsus, Theatre, Temple of Aphrodite, Town Overlooks, The Apostle Paul, the Temple of Hadrian, and the Temple of Diana.

Izmir: Asia Minor; Acropolis and Asclepion, Red Basilica, Thyatira and Altar of Zeus Canakkale: Asia Minor; Troy, Troas and Assos Bursa: Asia Minor; Nicea

### 14 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY SUMMARY:

Welcome to Turkey! Turkey. Follow in the footsteps of St. Paul's journeys in Turkey and the Seven Churches of Asia Minor. It includes the religious sites and places such as Tarsus, Antioch, Iconium, Laodicea, Hierapolis, Ephesus, Smyrna, Thyatira, Sardis and Nicea. A must pilgrimage for all the Christians and true believers.





#### 14 DAY BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY ITINERARY:

#### Day 1 - Istanbul - Arrival Day

Upon our arrival at Istanbul International Airport, your guide will meet, assist and transfer you to the hotel. Istanbul's original name is Byzantium then Constantinople. It is a most fascinating city, which actually crosses two continents Europe and Asia. It is a city of amalgamation of bazaars, minarets, mosques, churches, palaces, and restaurants catering to every one's taste, museums, customs and twelve million people. Overnight in Istanbul.

### Day 2 - Istanbul City Tour

#### (Breakfast included)

Our journey begins in Istanbul, the only city in the world situated on two continents. Today we wdiscover the Byzantine and Ottoman treasures of Istanbul. We visit **Hippodrome** and the Obelisk brought from Egypt. Then our next visit is the **Blue Mosque** with its six minarets. Afternoon we will visit the **Topkapi Palace**, which was the residence of the Ottoman sultans, with its fabulous treasure chambers. After the lunch, Murtis Tour will take you to the **Grand Spice Bazaar** which is a unique atmosphere with reasonable prices for your shopping. Here you will find; Exotic Spices and Herbs, Turkish Baklava, Turkish Delights, Turkish Coffee, nuts and fruits, small souvenirs such as Ceramic Handicrafts, Evil Eyes totems, all naturel olive oil, soaps and many other goods in Souvenir Shops and stores. After the tour, transfer back to your hotel. Overnight in Istanbul.

#### Day 3 - Istanbul - Adana - Tarsus - Selucia - Antioch

#### (Breakfast included)

Early morning flight to Adana, the country's fourth largest city. Adana is situated some thirty miles east of Tarsus, birthplace of the Apostle Paul. Upon arrival drive to Tarsus and visit the **Apostle Pauls** well, the **Gate of Cleopatra**, and the latest excavations. Then we visit the archaeological remains of **Seleucia**, the port from which Paul, Barnabas and John Mark departed from Antioch on the first missionary journey (Acts 13:4). Drive to Antioch for overnight Adana

# Day 4 - Antioch - Cappadocia

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

It was here at Antioch on the Orontes that believers were first called "Christians" (Acts 11:26). Visit **The Cave** where they met in secret. Paul and Silas departed from here on the second missionary journey (Acts 15:35 - 36). Discover the impact of leaders such as Ignatius of Antioch and John Chrysostom. In Acts 2:9, pilgrims from Cappadocia were assembled with the thousands in Jerusalem on the Day of Pentecost when they received the initial baptism of the Holy Spirit and heard the Apostle Peter preach his powerful message. We will travel to Cappadocia scenic **Ihlara Valley**, where early Christians carved some 3, 500 cave churches from the tufa rock. The beauty and quaintness of these chapels, with numerous wall paintings and Christian symbols, is astonishing. Persecuted Christians - tens of thousands of them - escaping into the earth to flee Arab invaders in the tenth century, tunneled out more than twenty underground cities of refuge here in Cappadocia. Such cities, with carved rooms for kitchens, sleeping quarters, stables, and chapels for worship, descend five to ten stories into the earth. At **Ozkonak Underground City**, one of the best preserved of these cities, you will enjoy your own guided tour into this amazing region. Overnight in a Cappadocia.

#### Day 5 - Cappadocia City Tour

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Cappadocia, with its center in Caesarea (Kayseri), was once the heart of the Hittite Kingdom of the Old Testament. This vast area is one of the most photogenic landscapes in the world. Extraordinary rock formations have become symbolic of this region, where you will enjoy the **Valley of the Fairy Chimneys** and **Goreme's breathtaking Open Air Museum**. Watch the potters at their craft, in the famous pottery; producing town of Avanos. Finally, savour the natural wonders of the **Citadel of Uchisar** and **Zelve Valley**. Overnight in a Cappadocia.



# Day 6 - Sultanhan - Lystra - Iconium - Konya

(Breakfast and Dinner included)

Drive to the **Sultanhani Caravansary** for a fascinating look at one of the rest stops for ancient camel caravans. Along the trade routes, such caravansaries appeared at intervals of some twenty - five miles, the average distance that camels could travel in a day. Continue on to **Lystra**, where a mob stoned Paul during his first journey (Acts 14:6 - 19), and where Timothy joined him during the second journey (Acts 16:1 - 3). Depart for **Iconium**, where Paul preached and encouraged believers during his first missionary journey (Acts 14:1 - 6). Iconium was once the home of the sect of mystical Muslims called **Whirling Dervishes**. Overnight in a Konya.

# Day 7 - Pisidian - Antioch - Colossea - Pamukkale

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Drive to **Antioch of Pisidia**, where nearly the whole city came to hear Paul preach during his first missionary journey (Acts 13:14 - 52). The marvelous excavations include the ancient church and the great first - century Temple of Augustus. Today, you will travel the Royal Road that once connected Ephesus with distant Babylon. Visit the unexcavated site of ancient **Colossae** by the village of Honaz. The Apostle Paul wrote one of his prison epistles to the church at Colossae, a city situated on the Lycus River. Then drive to Hierapolis (Pamukkale) and explore incredible excavations; including a Byzantine church, the Great Theatre, the Temple of Apollo, and the Plutonium, which pagan cults once called "the entrance to hell." Examine the intriguing sites of the Churches of Revelation. At **Hierapolis** (Pamukkale), enjoy the "Cotton Castles" of brilliant white calcium rock formations and hot - water travertines, where hot mineral waters emerge from the earth and cascade over cliffs. As the water-cools, the calcium precipitates and clings to the cliffs, forming snowy white travertines (waterfalls of white stone), which give credence to the name Pamukkale, meaning "cotton castle". This enchanting place is one of the natural wonders of Asia Minor. The churches here in Hierapolis, Colossae, and Laodicea once flourished under the ministry of Epaphras (Colossians 4:12 - 13). Overnight in Pamukkale.

# Day 8 - Laodicea - Philadelphia - Sardis

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast drive to Laodicea (Rev. 3:14 - 22), which will take you back to the first century. At Philadelphia (Rev. 3:7 - 12), your Bible will come alive as you read it in light of firsthand study. This city was located along the important trade route that linked Pergamum in the north with Laodicea to the south. In A.D. 17, an earthquake devastated twelve Asian cities, including Philadelphia, and for a time the people lived in fear of aftershocks. Philadelphia was rebuilt with help from Emperor Tiberius. At Sardis (Rev. 3:1 - 5), your thoughts will turn to the Old Testament period following the 586 B.C. destruction of Jerusalem. That was the time when the phrase "rich as Croesus" originated. Croesus (560 - 546 B.C..) was the king of Lydia, and Sardis was his capital. Gold was discovered in the Pactolus River at Sardis and it was here that coinage began, as we know it. Cyrus and the Persians defeated and captured Croesus for all his wealth and made Sardis the administrative center for the western part of their empire. The fabled Royal Road connected Sardis with the Persian cities to the east. Sardis was the hardest hit of the twelve cities destroyed in the earthquake of A.D. 17. Emperor Tiberius, according to the Annals of the historian Tacitus, gave much relief towards its rebuilding. Your visit to Sardis will include the imperial court and the ancient Jewish synagogue. You will rest in the shade of the Temple of Artemis, while studying in the light of prophetic Scripture. Dinenr and overnight in Kusadasi.

# Day 9 - Miletus - Didyma - Kusadasi

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Drive to **Miletus**, home of ancient philosopher Thales (640 - 546 B.C.), one of the fathers of Greek geometry, astronomy, and philosophy. It was here, in the first Christian century, that the Apostle Paul,



on his third missionary journey, called for the Ephesians elders and preached a powerful message to them (Acts 20:15 - 38).. It was also here that Paul left his friend Trophimus, who was too ill to continue (II Timothy 4:20). As a port at the mouth of the Meander River, Miletus was a natural outlet for Phrygian trade. Like the one at Ephesus, however, Miletus's sea harbor eventually filled with silt, and commerce dwindled. The city's remote quietness makes it special to devout students of Scripture. Its ancient ruins include the marvelous 15, 000 - seat theatre. Nearby, at **Didyma**, visit the massive Temple to Apollo, one of the most impressive sites in Anatolia. Ordinary people did not reside in ancient Didyma. This was home only to a priestly family whose oracle came from Delphi and who lived in luxury, as they guarded their temple treasuries supplied by the people they deceived. Continue to Kusadasi for overnight.

# Day 10 - Ephesus Tour

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast drive to **Ephesus** (Rev. 2:1 - 7), major port city on the Aegean, was the commercial, political, and religious center of all of Asia Minor. After a lunatic completely burned, the Temple of Diana (Artemis) on the night that Alexander the Great was born in 356 B.C. the Ephesians worked for 120 years to complete a magnificent reconstructed temple, one of the Seven Wonders of the ancient world. The city became part of the Roman Empire in the second century B.C. As a Roman capital of Asia Minor, Ephesus boasted a population approaching 250,000 people. The Apostle Paul's first visit to Ephesus was brief—during his second missionary tour (Acts 18:19 - 21). His second visit lasted about three years—during his third missionary tour (Acts 19:1 to 20:31). Luke's account of the worship of Diana appears in Acts 19:34 - 35. The Great Theatre (stadium) mentioned in Acts 19:29 - 31 could seat 25,000 people. Walk the marble - paved street with grooves made by chariot wheels. See the Fountain of Trojan, the Library of Celsus and the Great Theatre. Visit the Chapel of the Virgin Mary (Double Church), where the Third Ancient Council convened. We visit **The House of Virgin Mary** where she spent her latest years. Enjoy **St. Johns Basilica** (built on the site of the Apostle John's tomb) and ponder the remains of the Temple of Diana. Overnight in Kusadasi.

# Day 11 - Thytira - Pergamon

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Today, we will visit our final two of the Seven Churches of Revelation. At **Thyatira** (Rev. 2: 18 - 28), you will see the ruins of an ancient commercial center, located in the fertile valley where the trade route passed. One of the towns cloth and dye merchants was a woman named Lydia, who conducted business as far away as Philippi, where she became the first European convert to Christianity, during Paul's second missionary journey (Acts 16:11 - 15). A most memorable experience will be **Pergamum**, with its **Acropolis** and Great Theatre, the steepest of the ancient world. Revelation 2:12 - 16 describes the city as "where Satan's seat is," a reference to the altar of Zeus, where we pause for reflection on the fulfillment of Scripture. Nearby, visit the **Red Basilica**; once a pagan temple, it later converted into a Christian church. Finally, walk through the Pergamum **Asclepion**, the famous medical center of antiquity. Overnight in Izmir.

# Day 12 - Troy - Alexandra Troas - Assos - Canakkale

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Enjoy a fascinating visit to recent excavations of ancient **Troy**, made legendary by Homer's story of Helen and the Trojans' wooden horse. Then drive to **Troas**, founded about 300 B.C. by one of the generals of Alexandria the Great. During the Apostle Paul's second missionary journey, it was from Troas that he received the "Macedonian call" to Europe. This is where Luke's account changes from "they" to "we" (Acts 16:6 - 12), indicating that he joined Paul's team at Troas. Returning from Macedonia during his third journey, Paul was in Troas for a week, when the young man Eutychus fell from the third loft as Paul preached. Paul soon walked some thirty miles to Assos, where we will follow the apostle's footsteps to the old city walls (Acts 20:5 - 14). You will walk the old marketplace of Assos and see the council chamber and Temple to Athena. Overnight in Canakkale.



# Day 13 - Nicea - Istanbul

# (Breakfast included)

Drive to **Nicea** through Bursa. At Nicea, you will see remains of Constantine's palace, now covered by the water at the shore of Lake Iznik. It was here in this palace chapel that the First Ancient Church Council convened in A.D. 325 to produce the Nicene Creed. Enjoy Nicea's St. Sophia Church, where the Seventh Church Council convened in 787. Continue to Istanbul. Overnight in Istanbul

# Day 14 - Istanbul - End of Tour

# (Breakfast included)

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# **15 DAY ST. PAULS BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY**

Tour Start Date: Every day from 15 November 2024 to 31 March 2026

# TOUR ROUTE:

Istanbul - Ankara - Cappadocia - Adana - Mersin - Antalya - Pamukkale - Kusadasi - Pergamon - Istanbul

# TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

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Adana: Asia Minor; St. Pauls Well, Cleopatra Gate and Ancient City.

Mersin / Iskenderun: Asia Minor; St. Peters Grotto, Mosaic Museum and old city of Iskenderun.

Antalya: Asia Minor; Side, Perge, Aspendos, Monophystie Archbishop of Seleucia

Pamukkale: Asia Minor; Hierapolis, Cotton Castle and Laodicea

Akhisar: Asia Minor; Sardis, Temple of Artemis, Temple of Cybele

Alasehir: Asia Minor; Philadelphia

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Izmir: Asia Minor; Acropolis and Asclepion, Red Basilica, St. Policarp Church and Altar of Zeus Bursa: Asia Minor; Nicea

# 15 DAY ST. PAULS BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY SUMMARY:

Welcome to Turkey!

Following the footsteps of Saint Paul, this trip will be a great opportunity to visit the major landmarks from Istanbul to Ankara, Cappadocia to Adana, Antakya to Antalya and finally the wonders of Aegean Region.





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#### Day 3 – Istanbul to Ankara City Tour

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast, we drive to Ankara. Arrive in Ankara (Capital of Turkey), sight - seeing of Ankara: see the **Anatolian Civilization Museum**, the **Temple of Augustus** and **Ataturk's Mausoleum**. Drive to our hotel for dinner and overnight stay in Ankara.

#### Day 4 - Ankara - Cappadocia

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast, Continue to Cappadocia with a lunch / rest stop in Aksaray. We will travel to Cappadocia scenic **Ihlara Valley**, where early Christians carved some 3, 500 cave churches from the tufa rock. The beauty and quaintness of these chapels, with numerous wall paintings and Christian symbols, is astonishing. Persecuted Christians - tens of thousands of them - escaping into the earth to flee Arab invaders in the tenth century, tunneled out more than twenty underground cities of refuge here in Cappadocia. Such cities, with carved rooms for kitchens, sleeping quarters, stables, and chapels for worship, descend five to ten stories into the earth. At **Ozkonak Underground City**, one of the best preserved of these cities, you will enjoy your own guided tour into this amazing region. Overnight in a Cappadocia.

# Day 5 - Cappadocia City Tour

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Full Day excursion of Cappadocia to see the surreal landscapes of volcanic ash, formed 3 million years ago: spectacular red rock cones, troglodyte churches and homes dating from 4000 BC Now visit **UCHISAR, GOREME** and **ZELVE**, then **AVANOS**, to visit one of its famous, pottery workshops. Later return to your hotel for overnight stay.

# Day 6 - Tarsus - Adana

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast drive to Tarsus, birthplace of St. Paul. See **St. Pauls Well, Cleopatras Gate** and the **Ancient City**. It was near here that a Great Fish "vomited out Jonas upon the dry land". Later return to your hotel. Dinner and overnight in Adana.

# Day 7 - Antakya - Antioch - Mersin



#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Full Day excursion to Antakya (Antioch). Here Jesus followers were first called Christians (Acts 11:26) Peter, Paul and also Barnabas preached here. Visit **St. Peters Grotto** and the exquisite **Mosaic Museum.** View the old city of **Iskenderun** before beginning the return, driving to Mersin for dinner and overnight stay.

# Day 8 - Anamur - Antalya

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Depart westward along the Mediterranean shoreline, a famous coastal road. Take a lunch break in Anamur. See City of the **Monophystie Archbishop of Seleucia**. Dinner and overnight in Antalya.

# Day 9 – Antalya Side/Perge & Aspendos Ancient City

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Continue to the ancient city of **SIDE**, the old port where Paul, Barnabas and Mark landed during their missionary journeys. Later they sailed from here to Antioch. Than visit **PERGE**, where St. Paul preached when arriving from Cyprus (Acts 13 - 14), and to **ASPENDOS** with its magnificent theater. Next, drive to Antalya for dinner and overnight stay.

# Day 10 – Pamukkale City Tour

#### (Breakfast and Dinner included)

After breakfast drive to **Laodicea** (Rev. 3:14 - 22), which will take you back to the first century and was condemned by St. John in Revelation Acts (4:15). Then drive to Hierapolis (Pamukkale) and explore incredible excavations; including a Byzantine church, the Great Theatre, the Temple of Apollo, and the Plutonium, which pagan cults once called "the entrance to hell." Examine the intriguing sites of the Churches of Revelation. At **Hierapolis** (Pamukkale), enjoy the "Cotton Castles" of brilliant white calcium rock formations and hot - water travertines, where hot mineral waters emerge from the earth and cascade over cliffs. As the water-cools, the calcium precipitates and clings to the cliffs, forming snowy white travertines (waterfalls of white stone), which give credence to the name Pamukkale, meaning "cotton castle". This enchanting place is one of the natural wonders of Asia Minor. The churches here in Hierapolis, Colossae, and Laodicea once flourished under the ministry of Epaphras (Colossians 4:12 - 13). Dinner and overnight in Pamukkale.

# Day 11 - Philadelphia - Sardes - Kusadasi

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# Day 12 - Ephesus - Kusadasi

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# Day 13 - Izmir (Smyrna) - Pergamon

# (Breakfast and Dinner included)

This morning take a beautiful drive to Izmir (ancient Smyrna), After visiting the **St. Policarp church** in Izmir, continue to **Pergamum**, with its **Acropolis** and Great Theatre, the steepest of the ancient world. Revelation 2:12 - 16 describes the city as "where Satan's seat is," a reference to the altar of Zeus, where we pause for reflection on the fulfillment of Scripture. Nearby, visit the **Red Basilica**; once a pagan temple, it later converted into a Christian church. Finally, walk through the Pergamum **Asclepion**, the famous medical center of antiquity. Overnight in Izmir.

# Day 14 - Pergamon - Nicea - Istanbul

# (Breakfast included)

After breakfast long drive to **Nicea** through Bursa. At Nicea, you will see remains of Constantine's palace, now covered by the water at the shore of Lake Iznik. It was here in this palace chapel that the First Ancient Church Council convened in A.D. 325 to produce the Nicene Creed. Enjoy Nicea's St. Sophia Church, where the Seventh Church Council convened in 787. Continue to Istanbul. Overnight in Istanbul

# Day 15 - Istanbul - End of Tour

# (Breakfast included)

After breakfast, check out from the hotel. We hope your tour was a memorable one and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another TravelShop Booking Tour. Have a safe trip back home and thanks for choosing TravelShop Booking.

# 15 DAY ST. PAULS BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY INCLUDES:

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- 3 nights' hotel in Istanbul
- 1-night hotel in Ankara
- 2 nights' hotels in Cappadocia
- 1-night hotel in Adana
- 1-night hotel in Mersin
- 2 nights' hotel in Antalya
- 1-night hotel in Pamukkale
- 3 nights' hotel in Kusadasi
- 14 open buffet breakfasts
- 11 dinners
- Istanbul City tour
- Guided Ankara tour



- Guided Cappadocia tour
- Guided Adana tour
- Guided Mersin / Antakya tour
- Guided Antalya tour
- Guided Pamukkale tour
- Guided Kusadasi tour
- Guided Ephesus tour
- Guided Pergamum tour
- Guided Nicea Tour
- All entrance fees mentioned in the itinerary
- Transportation in a fully air conditioned, non smoking coach
- Professional English speaking tour guide
- Return airport transfer
- Hotel room taxes
- City Tax

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3 - 4 Pax	€ 2.394,00	€ 2.439,00	€ 2.865,00	€ 2.583,00	€ 2.649,00	€ 3.237,00
5 -7 Pax	€ 1.818,00	€ 1.863,00	€ 2.289,00	€ 2.007,00	€ 2.073,00	€ 2.661,00
8 - 10 Pax	€ 1.494,00	€ 1.538,40	€ 1.964,40	€ 1.682,40	€ 1.748,40	€ 2.336,40
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20 - 24 Pax	€ 1.242,00	€ 1.287,00	€ 1.713,00	€ 1.431,00	€ 1.497,00	€ 2.085,00
25 - 29 Pax	€ 1.224,00	€ 1.269,00	€ 1.695,00	€ 1.413,00	€ 1.479,00	€ 2.067,00
30 - 34 Pax	€ 1.174,00	€ 1.218,00	€ 1.644,00	€ 1.362,00	€ 1.428,00	€ 2.016,00
35 - 40 Pax	€ 1.122,00	€ 1.167,00	€ 1.593,00	€ 1.311,00	€ 1.377,00	€ 1.965,00
Tour period		5.11.2024 to 31.0 1.2025 to 31.03.2		From (	01.04.2025 to 31.	10.2025

# EXCLUDES:

- International flights
- Insurance: All types
- Turkey entry visa
- Items of a personal nature such as alcoholic drinks, cold drinks, laundry
- Any others expenses which are not mentioned at the included section
- Tipping



15 DAY ST. PAULS BIBLICAL TOUR TURKEY HOTEL LIST					
Destination	HOTEL NAMES				
Istanbul	5 Star La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul				
Ankara	4 Best Western 2000 Hotel				
Cappadocia	El Puente Cave Hotel				
Adana	4 Star Anemon Adana				
Mersin	4 Star Anemon Mersin				
Antalya	4 Star Best Western Khan Hotel				
Pamukkale	5 Star Pam Thermal Hotel				
Kusadasi	4 Star Odelia Resort Hotel				
Izmir	4 Star Blanca Hotel				

**PS:** If This hotel list not available at the time of your booking then we will arrange similar other hotel for your group. If you prefer a Different category hotel, there might be an additional cost.



# 20 DAY ST. PAULS MISSIONARY TOUR

Tour Start Date: Every day from 15 November 2024 to 31 March 2026

# TOUR ROUTE:

Ankara - Cappadocia - Adana - Mersin - Antalya - Pamukkale - Kusadasi - Ephesus - Izmir - Pergamon - Iznik - Istanbul - Kavala - Thessaloniki - Kalambaka - Athens

# **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:**

Ankara: Asia Minor; Anatolian Civilization Museum, the Temple of Augustus and Ataturk's Mausoleum. Cappadocia: Asia Minor; Ihlara Valley, Uchisar, Zelve, Goreme Open Air Museum, Avanos and Ozkonak Underground City

Adana: Asia Minor; St. Pauls Well, Cleopatra Gate and Ancient City.

Mersin / Iskenderun: Asia Minor; St. Peters Grotto, Mosaic Museum and old city of Iskenderun.

Antalya: Asia Minor; Side, Perge, Aspendos, Monophystie Archbishop of Seleucia

Pamukkale: Asia Minor; Hierapolis, Cotton Castle and Laodicea

Akhisar: Asia Minor; Sardis, Temple of Artemis, Temple of Cybele

Alasehir: Asia Minor; Philadelphia

Kusadasi: Asia Minor; The Virgin Mary House, Basilica of St. John and Ephesus; Library of Celsus, Theatre, Temple of Aphrodite, Town Overlooks, The Apostle Paul, the Temple of Hadrian, and the Temple of Diana.

Izmir: Asia Minor; Acropolis and Asclepion, Red Basilica, St. Policarp Church and Altar of Zeus Bursa: Asia Minor; Nicea

Istanbul: Hagia Sophia, Topkapi Palace, Bosphorus Cruise, Blue Mosque, Hippodrome, and Grand Spice Bazaar.

Kavala: Alexandroupolis, Strong Church,

Thessaloniki: Byzantine mosaic, monument, Byzantine monasteries,

Kalambaka: Delphi, Sanctuary of Apollo, Bronze Charioteer, Athlete Aghias,

Athens: Saronic Gulf, Corinthian Canal, Arthenon Erechtheum

# 20 DAY ST. PAULS MISSIONARY TOUR SUMMARY:

Welcome to Turkey!

You will not just be visiting the major attractions in Turkey on the path to Saint Paul's Missionary but will be crossing borders to neighboring country of Greece that is full of legends and myths to explore further from one capital to another.





# 20 DAY ST. PAULS MISSIONARY TOUR ITINERARY:

# Day 1 - Ankara - Arrival Day

(Dinner included)

Arrive in Ankara (Capital of Turkey), Meet your guide who will transfer you to your hotel for dinner and overnight stay in Ankara.

# Day 2 - Ankara - Cappadocia

#### (Breakfast and dinner included)

After breakfast, sight - seeing of Ankara: see the **Anatolian Civilization Museum**, the **Temple of Augustus** and **Ataturk's Mausoleum**. Continue to Cappadocia with a lunch / rest stop in Aksaray before a short ride to **Ihlara Valley**, where early Christians carved some 3, 500 cave churches from the tufa rock. The beauty and quaintness of these chapels, with numerous wall paintings and Christian symbols, is astonishing. Persecuted Christians - tens of thousands of them - escaping into the earth to flee Arab invaders in the tenth century, tunneled out more than twenty underground cities of refuge here in Cappadocia. Such cities, with carved rooms for kitchens, sleeping quarters, stables, and chapels for worship, descend five to ten stories into the earth. Enjoy your dinner and overnight stay in Cappadocia.

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# Day 4 - Tarsus - Adana

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# Day 11 - Izmir (Smyrna)

#### (Breakfast and dinner included)

This morning take a beautiful drive to Izmir (ancient Smyrna), After visiting the **St. Policarp church** in Izmir. Continue to in Akhisar, ancient commercial place in connection with TROY and Sardes. Dinner



and overnight in Izmir.

# Day 12 - Pergamon

#### (Breakfast and dinner included)

After breakfast early departure to **Pergamum**, with its **Acropolis** and Great Theatre, the steepest of the ancient world. Revelation 2:12 - 16 describes the city as "where Satan's seat is," a reference to the altar of Zeus, where we pause for reflection on the fulfillment of Scripture. Nearby, visit the **Red Basilica**; once a pagan temple, it later converted into a Christian church. Finally, walk through the Pergamum **Asclepion**, the famous medical center of antiquity. Dinner and Overnight in Izmir.

# Day 13 - Pergamon - Nicea – Istanbul Half Day City Tour

# (Breakfast included)

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# Day 14 – Istanbul Half Day City Tour/Bosphorus Cruise

# (Breakfast included)

Our journey begins in Istanbul, the only city in the world situated on two continents. Today we wdiscover the Byzantine and Ottoman treasures of Istanbul. We visit St. Sofia, the (church of the sacred wisdom), converted to a mosque from a Christian basilica after the fall of Constantinople in 1453. We will visit the Topkapi Palace, which was the residence of the Ottoman sultans, with its fabulous treasure chambers. Lunch break at 13:00 pm. After the lunch, Murtis Tour will take you to the Grand Spice Bazaar which is a unique atmosphere with reasonable prices for your shopping. Here you will find; Exotic Spices and Herbs, Turkish Baklava, Turkish Delights, Turkish Coffee, nuts and fruits, small souvenirs such as Ceramic Handicrafts, Evil Eyes totems, all naturel olive oil, soaps and many other goods in Souvenir Shops and stores. BOSPHORUS BY BOAT; a traditional excursion by boat along the waterway separating Europe and Asia. The shore lined with old wooden villas, palaces of marble, fortresses, and small fishing villages. During the excursion, you will see the magnificent sights of the following attractions from your boat. See Dolmabahce Palace, and further along, the parks and imperial pavilions of Yildiz Palace. On the coastal edge of this park, is Ciragan Palace, 300 meters of its marble facade faces the shore. At Ortakoy a great variety of artists, gather every sunday to display their work along the street. Ortakoy is a symbol of tolerance with a church, a mosque and a synagogue existing side by side for centuries.

RUMELI FORTRESS (view from boat), Built by Mehmet the Conqueror in 1452 prior to the conquest of Istanbul was completed in only four months to control and protect the infamous Bosporus passage. It is one of the most beautiful works of military architecture anywhere in the world. BEYLERBEYI PALACE (view from boat), is the summer residence of Ottoman sultans exists in its original renovated glory featuring original antique furniture and magnificent gardens with the Harem on the Asian side of Istanbul. Return to the hotel for overnight.

# Day 15 – Istanbul to Kavala - Border Crossing

# (Breakfast and dinner included)

After breakfast we will start our journey to border of Greece. At noon we are meet by our Greek guide as we drive from the Greek/Turkish borders to Kavala passing by **Alexandroupolis**. Dinner and overnight at Hotel in Kavala.

# Day 16 - Kavala - Philippi - Thessaloniki

(Breakfast and dinner included)



After breakfast at hotel, we drive to **Philippi**, the site where the apostle Paul came and worked, establishing a strong church. We see the river where Lydia is thought to have been baptized, the ruins of a Prison where Paul and Sylas had been kept, the Agora, 5th and 6th century Basilica and the Theater. Late that afternoon we arrive at Thessaloniki for dinner and overnight.

# Day 17 - Thessaloniki - Veria - Meteora - Kalambaka

#### (Breakfast and dinner included)

In the morning, after a short city tour of Thessaloniki, we drive to Berea. We see the Byzantine mosaic in the monument commemorating his preaching. Lunch on your own. Then we proceed our drive to **Meteora** where we visit in the afternoon the fantastic and breathtaking Byzantine monasteries. Monks seeking isolation and spiritual salvation first built those monasteries in the 14th century. Dinner and overnight at Kalambaka.

# Day 18 - Kalambaka - Delphi - Athens

#### (Breakfast and dinner included)

After breakfast at Hotel drive to Delphi, we visit the archaeological site of **Delphi: the Sanctuary of Apollo, the Treasury of the Athenians, and the Museum** containing such masterpieces of ancient Greek sculpture as the bronze Charioteer and the famous athlete Aghias. Lunch on your own. Drive to Athens for dinner and overnight at hotel.

#### Day 19 - Athens - Corinth

#### (Breakfast and dinner included)

At 08:00 a.m. our excursion out of Athens takes us by the **Saronic Gulf**, where in 480 BC history root was changed. We stop at the historic **Corinthian Canal** where we take pictures. We arrive at ancient **Corinth**. Here, we see all of the sites associated with his ministry: **the Agora**, **the Temple of Apollo**, **the Roman Odeon**, **the Bema and Gallios Seat**. We see the ruins of early Christian 5th century **basilica in Cenchreae** before returning to Athens. In the afternoon we enjoy our half - Day sightseeing tour of Athens. We climb up to the marble - capped **Acropolis** and visit among the other buildings the famous **Parthenon and the Erechtheum**. We now have become time travelers! Then, we go to nearby **Mars Hill** (Areopagus) (Acts 17:22) where the Apostle Paul delivered his soul - stirring sermon to the giants of philosophy, logic and learning. Our tour continues with the highlights of modern Athens. In the evening optional dinner in Greek traditional restaurant with music and dance. Return to hotel late at night for dinner and overnight.

# Day 20 - Athens - End of Tour

#### (Breakfast included)

After breakfast, we check out from the hotel. We hope your tour was a memorable one and we look forward to seeing you in the future on another TravelShop Booking Tour. Have a safe trip back home and thanks for choosing TravelShop Booking.

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25 - 29 Pax	€ 1.850,00	€ 1.961,00	€ 2.729,00	€ 2.069,00	€ 2.195,00	€ 3.197,00			
30 - 34 Pax	€ 1.782,00	€ 1.894,00	€ 2.662,00	€ 2.002,00	€ 2.128,00	€ 3.130,00			
35 - 40 Pax	€ 1.713,00	€ 1.825,00	€ 2.593,00	€ 1.933,00	€ 2.059,00	€ 3.061,00			



Tour period

#### From 15.11.2024 to 31.03.2025 01.11.2025 to 31.03.2026

# From 01.04.2025 to 31.10.2025

# **EXCLUDES:**

- International flights
- Insurance: All types
- Turkey entry visa
- Items of a personal nature such as alcoholic drinks, cold drinks, laundry
- Any others expenses which are not mentioned at the included section
- Tipping

HOTEL LIST						
Destination	HOTEL NAMES					
Ankara	4 Best Western 2000 Hotel					
Cappadocia	El Puente Cave Hotel					
Adana	Anemon Adana					
Mersin	Anemon Mersin					
Antalya	4 Star Best Western Khan Hotel					
Pamukkale	5 Star Pam Thermal Hotel					
Kusadasi	4Star Odelia Resort Hotel					
Izmir	4 Star Blanca Hotel					
Istanbul	5 Star La Quinta by Wyndham Istanbul					
Kavala	Airotel Galaxy Hotel					
Thessaloniki	Anessis Hotel Thessaloniki					
Kalambaka	Divani Hotel					
Athens	Titania Hotel					

**PS:** If This hotel list not available at the time of your booking then we will arrange similar other hotel for your group. If you prefer a Different category hotel, there might be an additional cost.

# PRIVATE 20 DAY ST. PAUL'S MISSIONARY TOUR TURKEY PRICES NOTE:

The term "Private Turkey Tour" is widely used and interpreted differently by different Turkey destination management companies. Murti's Tours' definition of **PRIVATE 20 DAY ST. PAUL'S MISSIONARY TOUR TURKEY** means your tour, where your very own personal guide, with a private vehicle and chauffeur, provides all ground services exclusively for your party – nobody else. Private tour you will get more flexibility, better comfort and personalized service so you can experience the Orient the way you have always dreamt of it to be. Our private tour rates available from 1 pax to 40 pax. You will get best personal services that you will enjoy to the fullest. When you book your private



Turkey tours with our company, you will sit back and enjoy your vacation. Our experienced and friendly team will treat as you have never have been before.

#### What are the discounts for children?

Under 2 years of age, your child will travel free of charge by land. Flight ticket insurance cost will be 20 Euro only.

Children under 6 years of age charged at 50% of a full priced adult tour

Children 7-11 years of age charged at 75% of a full priced adult

Children above 11 years are full priced adult fares

#### Please Note:

If you are a travel agency or tour operator, please <u>register</u> on our agency section for special B2B rates. Please contact us for requests and more information

#### **CANCELATION POLICY**

As a company, we are always honored to protect the benefits of our business partners and guests, and to always provide the best price, the best package and convenience in cancellation conditions for them.

Below cancellation policy is only for land services and we will follow the cancellation policy of airline companies for domestic flights.

• If the booking is canceled 8 weeks to the departure you can get full refund.

• If the booking is canceled 7 weeks to the departure, we will refund 100 EUR only.

• If the booking is canceled 3 weeks prior to the departure, you will not be refunded.

Under any circumstances, there will be no refund for the promoted tours. The balance will be identified as "Future Tour Credits" to use in the future. Please contact help@travelshopbooking.com or your tour operator to change tour dates and other details.

# DOMESTIC FLIGHT PAYMENTS AND CANCELLATIONS:

As we strive to refund our guests fully, we have not included our domestic flights. Each domestic flight has its own set of regulations applicable. Therefore, to cover you and keep from no-show penalties, we will provide our tours without the calculation of domestic flights. Domestic flight price for adult travelers is approximately 80 Euro for 1 way and for under 2 years old, approximately 20 Euro per child as an insurance policy. When your booking is ascertained, we will require flight ticket price in full. If cancelled, we will comply by Airline Company's cancellation policy. This way, we would be able to ease the process and provide a comfortable and worry-free travel.

# WE TRULY APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION

We would like to underline one more time that our purpose is to cover you from any harm due to this virus issue and help as best we can. You may direct this information to your guests with a comfort and the fact that no loss on their part that, this may help you to travel to Turkey as a popular destination that TravelShop Booking caters for. TravelShop Booking has over 1.000 tours in 30 different categories that you can book and purchase with a comfort and confidence as no cancellation fees deducted from you.

Please let us know in case of any further assistance required by yourselves that we are willing to help in every way that we can.

P.S. Besides from the Updated Terms & Conditions, Cancellation Procedures and Domestic Flights Regulations as listed above, all current terms and conditions on these itineraries still valid and applicable respectively.



# TRAVEL SHOP BOOKING FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

We would like to provide some valuable information for you to have a hassle-free holiday and enjoy your time with us to the fullest. Please check below our FAQ information that you may need during your travel.

# DOMESTIC FLIGHTS:

Many of our Tours include domestic flights. These flights have a limitation of 15 to 20 kg of luggage with 8 kg of in-cabin weight depending on the Airlines. Please abide by these in-flight regulations. You should be present at the Airport an hour prior to flight times. We reserve and book your flight Tickets a week before the travel dates with the names provided by yourselves. If there is a typo or a lettering mistake on the names, our company holds no responsibility of any inconvenience that may be experienced so it is best to have a copy of the passport provided to your representative.

# COACH TRANSFER:

Our vehicles differ in line with group sizes. Until 8 pax, we have Van, until 14 pax, we provide Sprinter, until 29 pax, we have midi buses and finally until to 45 pax, we have coaches available. Taking into consideration of guest's luggage we make an arrangement as below:

Until 8-pax we will use Van: Maximum 5 persons.

Until 14-pax we will use Sprinter: Maximum 10 persons.

Until 29-pax we will use midi bus: Maximum 24 persons.

Until 45-pax we will use coach: Maximum 40 persons.

Our vehicles are fully equipped with A/C, refrigeration, clean, comfortable and brand new or latest models. For long bus rides, we will have regular breaks in rest points on highways for a quick coffee and food, rest room breaks and such necessities.

# TOUR GUIDE:

All of our Tours include professional and knowledgeable Tour Guides. Our guides have all the information that requested by yourself whether historically, culturally or locally with very good English spoken.

# ACCOMMODATIONS:

We use mostly 4 star, 5 star or boutique hotels for your convenience and comfort. For example, in Istanbul and other regions we have 4-5 star hotel where for Cappadocia and such areas, we use classy cave resorts. On guaranteed tours, we declare the accommodation venues but it may differ for private ones within the same category, with good reviews.

# MEALS:

Dinners usually served in the hotels on half board category. Lunches will be served in restaurants on the destination route. Meals are mostly served as Set Menu or Open Buffet Style. If you have meal preferences or special diet requirements, please inform us beforehand for necessary arrangements during your tour confirmation.



#### MUSEUM:

On our Tour Routes, we include all the "must see" museums and sightseeing venues in our itinerary. This service is included within the Tour price. Some museums have different operation days and times but we will have similar sites to fill in for them.

#### SHOPPING:

Turkey is a great destination for shopping opportunities especially Turkish rugs/carpets, jewelry, leather, textile, ceramics and many other hand made artifacts. During the tours, we recommend some of the reliable and reasonable shopping venues to be visited. Our shopping stops are consisted of trustworthy, guaranteed vendors. Our guide will direct you to such stores during the tours. Our guide in regards to shopping matters while on the tour may inform you. Some of our shopping venues may apply group discount that you may want to take advantage.

#### TIPPING:

It is not a -must- to tip on our tours. However, if you are satisfied with the services provided by driver and the guide, you may consider tipping them accordingly as 2 EUROS for the guide and 1 EURO for the driver. It is customary in Tourism industry in line with customer expectations and we inform our personnel to provide the best of our services whether or not tip is given.

#### **OPTIONAL TOURS:**

Most of major sightseeing, museums included within the tour prices. However, some of the activities and excursions that are not favored everyone, are not included. Such as Hot-Air Ballooning, Paragliding, Dinner Cruise, Turkish Night Shows, Whirling Dervishes Ceremony and Turkish bath visits may be extra upon requests.

The prices for such exclusions are available on our website. We recommend that you book before the booking of your tour to make sure the availability. You may not find space for some of these activities on the last minute or once you have arrived.

#### AIRPORT TRANSFER SERVICES:

We provide your airport transfers for arrival and returns. Please, provide us the flight details when purchasing the tour for proper arrangements with flight code, destination, date and arrival timing. Our airport officer will be present to welcome you after you pass the customs, luggage claim and greet you with a name board outside the gates.

#### SEASONS OF TURKEY

**Winter Season:** Between the months of December, January, February as the weather is around 10 degrees Celsius.

Spring: Between the months of March, April and May as the weather is around 22 degrees Celsius.

Summer: June, July and August are summer time with approx. 30 degrees Celsius.



**Autumn:** September through November considered autumn with a national average of 20 degrees Celsius.

Have your attire accordingly and dress with proper clothing as per the guidance above.

# THINGS TO BE CARED FOR AND BROUGHT ON YOU

Turkey is a very modern Islamic country. You may just have fun and go around as in any European country when you are in Turkey. Only a few things to pay attention for such as entering into a Mosque with an alcoholic beverage in hand. Women should be carefully head-covered when in a holy environment. Rest is pretty much the same as in any western city. Bars, cafes and restaurants are open until late nights and people get entertained safely. We suggest for you have the items listed below.

- 1- Travel Insurance that covers health as well.
- 2- Globally recognized credit cards
- 3- Cash needed for small purchases where cards are not accepted. It is best to use an official exchange office for Turkish currency transactions.
- 4- Clothing in line with seasonal standards as indicated above.
- 5- Camera
- 6- Universal adaptor and charger equipment for electronical devices.
- 7- Comfortable trekking shoes for walking around as the tours most likely to have walking distances
- 8- International Telephone Communication checked
- 9- Have a copy of your flight ticket with you
- 10- Have a personal identification on you at all times

# THINGS TO BE CHECKED PRIOR THE TOUR;

Please check the information below before your departure

- 1- International Flight Tickets
- 2- Tour itinerary
- 3- Confirmation received from us to include hotel reservations etc.
- 4- Domestic Flight Tickets if any (Please check your title/name spelling printed correctly)
- 5- Passport Validation Terms
- 6- Visa if needed (check before your trip for the dates on your visa)
- 7- If visa needed, please ask us for invitation letter to ease the visa application process
- 8- Flight details for on time Airport transfer services
- 9- Observe the luggage limitation by Airlines for domestic flights if any
- 10- Obtain emergency contact details from our office

If you have any further information that is not listed above, please contact us by the details below:



Please email us at headoffice@travelshopbooking.com

20 DAYS ST. PAULS MISSIONARY TOUR - DISTANCES							
Distances	Kilometer	Miles	Hours	Tour Start Time	Tour End Time		
Istanbul – Ankara	533	332	5	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Ankara – Cappadocia	290	180	3:30	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Cappadocia – Adana	452	281	5:15	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Adana – Mersin	85	53	1:20	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Mersin - Antalya	630	392	6	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Antalya - Pamukkale	243	151	3	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Philadelphia – Sardis	58	36	1	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Sardis - Kusadasi	97	61	1:30	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Kusadasi - Ephesus	18	12	20 min	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Kusadasi - Izmir	98	61	1:20	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Izmir - Pergamon	100	62	1:30	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Pergamon - Nicea	359	223	4	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Nicea - Istanbul	133	83	2:10	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Istanbul - Kavala	443	278	5	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Kavala - Thessaloniki	153	95	1:40	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Thessaloniki - Kalambaka	230	143	2:40	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		
Kalambaka - Athens	352	219	4	8:30 AM	17:00 PM		

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