



MEJDI TOURS

A Reason For Hope
November 2 – November 11, 2018

Itinerary:

Day 1 – Friday, November 2: Jerusalem

- Arrival into Ben Gurion Airport, transfer to the hotel

Overnight in Jerusalem (Dinner included)

Day 2 – Saturday, November 3: Jerusalem - Perspectives of 3 religions

- Breakfast at the hotel
- Lecture with Galia Golan: background on political situation and Peace camp.
- A Geopolitical tour of Jerusalem.
- Walk to lunch in the Old City.
- Church of the Holy Sepulcher along the Via Dolorosa
- Visit the Church of the Holy Sepulcher
- Free time until evening
- Meet with members from CFP + Screen the movie + Q&A session and Dinner together.

Overnight in Jerusalem (Breakfast & Dinner included)

Day 3 – Sunday, November 4: East Jerusalem & Geo-politics of the region

- Visit Temple Mount/Al-Aqsa Mosque/Dome of the Rock
- Meet with the a local Imam
- Western Wall visit
- Meet with a local Journalist / Media Expert
- Visit City of David Excavations and later Meet with residents of the area to hear their narrative
- Join a Palestinian family from East Jerusalem for dinner and music

Overnight in Jerusalem (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included)

Day 4 – Monday, November 5: From the Holocaust to the State

- Visit Yad Vashem and have a short introduction to the museum. Explore the memorial site on your own with the museum audio-guide
- Hear the testimony of a holocaust survivor (if available).
- Have lunch at Machne Yehuda
- Tour of neighborhoods of West Jerusalem, the Knesset (from outside), and learn about the political system in Israel
- Meet with a local Rabbi, an expert on religion and conflict resolution

Overnight in Bethlehem (Breakfast included)

Day 5 – Tuesday, November 6: Palestinian Narrative Day in Bethlehem

- Tour of Hebron
- Tour of Susya
- If time allows, spend the afternoon in Bethlehem - walk the Wall, visit the Banksy Museum and the Walled Off Hotel
- Dinner in Bethlehem

Overnight in Bethlehem (Breakfast included)

Day 6 – Wednesday, November 7: Ramallah

- Tour of a refugee camp
- Drive up north towards Ramallah
- Lunch in Ramallah as a group at Reef Restaurant
- Tour Old Ramallah and visit Arafat Museum
- Meet with a Palestinian businessman and advocate to learn about the economic reality of the West Bank and Gaza
- Group Dinner

Overnight in Bethlehem (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included)

Day 7 – Thursday, November 8: Jaffa and Tel Aviv

- Cross Qalandia in the morning

- Drive towards Tel Aviv
- Visit Rabin Museum
- Lunch
- Continue for a walking dual narrative tour of Jaffa and Neve Tzedek and Rothschild Avenue.
- “Night out” in Tel Aviv with CfP activists

Overnight in Tel Aviv (Breakfast included)

Day 8 – Friday, November 9: Freedom March & Shabbat dinner

- Meet with CFP Activists for a Q & A Session
- Have a workshop with the CFP Theater Group
- Dinner – Shabbat of a Lifetime

Overnight Bethlehem (Breakfast & Dinner included)

Day 9 - Saturday November 10: Volunteer Day

- Visit the Jordan Valley with members of the CFP, learn about the life in the area and hear stories from CFP members.
- Volunteer Day
- Farewell dinner

Overnight Bethlehem (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner included)

Day 10 – Sunday, November 11 2018, Departure