



In the Footsteps of Saints & Divine Mercy A Catholic Pilgrimage through Poland and Central Europe Led by Father Matthew Flatley of the Diocese of Jefferson City March 1 - 16, 2027

This Catholic pilgrimage, led by Father Matthew Flatley of the Diocese of Jefferson City, invites you on a profound spiritual journey through the heart of Poland and into Central Europe in 2027. You will walk in the living footsteps of the saints who shaped the Catholic soul of nations—**St. Faustina Kowalska**, **St. John Paul II**, **St. Maximilian Kolbe**, **St. Adalbert**, and many more—while standing before the miraculous **Icon of the Black Madonna** and the original **Image of the Merciful Jesus**. Under Father Flatley's gentle pastoral guidance, each day unfolds as a chapter of grace: the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, moments of quiet prayer, and shared reflection that draw you ever deeper into the mystery of God's mercy, the witness of martyrdom, and the triumphant beauty of the Church across the centuries.



Day 1 – March 1, 2027 (Monday)

Your pilgrimage begins as you depart your home city aboard an international flight bound for Poland. Two meals are served in flight while you prepare your heart for the sacred ground that awaits.

Day 2 – March 2, 2027 (Tuesday): Warsaw arrival

Wheels touch down in Warsaw and you are warmly welcomed by your tour escort. After a smooth transfer and hotel check-in, you step into the first sacred space of the journey: **St. James Church**. Here, in 1925, a young **Helena Kowalska**—soon to become **St. Faustina**—knelt in tears, poured out her vocational struggles in confession, and received the decisive spiritual direction from Rev. James Dąbrowski that launched her into religious life and the worldwide mission of **Divine Mercy**. Dinner at the hotel brings the day to a peaceful close. Overnight at the hotel in Warsaw. (D)



Day 3 – March 3, 2027 (Wednesday): Warsaw Tour

After breakfast, the day opens with profound grace as you **Celebrate Mass at the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy**, the very convent where **Helena Kowalska** crossed the threshold on 1 August 1925, received the habit, and began the extraordinary revelations of **Divine Mercy** that would forever change the Church's prayer. You then journey through Warsaw's storied streets—passing the ancient Barbican and Market Square, **St. John's Cathedral** (coronation and burial place of Polish kings and saints), the Royal Castle, Presidential Palace, **St. Ann's Church**, **Holy Cross Church** (resting place of Chopin's heart), and the lively Nowy Świat—before driving the Royal Route to the romantic **Łazienki Park** with its Chopin monument and Palace on the Water. The afternoon is yours for quiet reflection, prayerful walks, or simply resting in the beauty of this resilient Catholic capital. Dinner at a traditional local restaurant in Warsaw . Overnight at the hotel in Warsaw. (B, D)

Day 4 – March 4, 2027 (Thursday): Warsaw – Toruń Tour

Breakfast is followed by departure for the medieval gem of **Toruń**, birthplace of the Catholic astronomer **Nicolaus Copernicus**. After lunch on your own (be sure to taste the legendary gingerbread that has been baked here for centuries), a guided walk reveals the perfectly preserved UNESCO Old Town founded by the Teutonic Knights in 1233. The highlight comes when you **Celebrate Mass at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist**, an awe-inspiring Gothic masterpiece whose 13th-century stained-glass windows have bathed eight centuries of Polish prayer in colored light. Hotel check-in and dinner complete this day steeped in faith and history. Overnight at the hotel in Toruń. (B, D)



Day 5 – March 5, 2027 (Friday): Toruń – Gniezno Tour – Poznań

After breakfast and check-out, you travel to **Gniezno**, Poland's first capital and the cradle of its Christianity. You enter the majestic **Gniezno Cathedral** to stand before its world-famous 12th-century bronze doors that dramatically depict the martyrdom of **St. Adalbert**, the apostle who brought the Gospel to the pagan Slavs and became Poland's first martyr. This is also the historic site where Poland's earliest kings were crowned.

Here you **Celebrate Mass at Gniezno Cathedral**. You then continue to Poznań for hotel check-in and dinner. Overnight at the hotel in Poznań. (B, D)

Day 6 – March 6, 2027 (Saturday): Poznań Tour – Czestochowa

The morning brings a guided tour of Poznań's sacred heart: **Ostrów Tumski** and the **Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul**, the oldest cathedral in Poland. You **Celebrate Mass at the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul on Ostrów Tumski**, where tradition tells us **Mieszko I** received baptism in 966, an event that officially Christianized the Polish nation and gave birth to Catholic Poland. From there the coach carries you onward to **Częstochowa**. After check-in and dinner, the evening may offer the moving opportunity to walk to the Shrine for the nightly veiling of the **Icon of the Black Madonna**. Overnight at the hotel in Czestochowa. (B, D)



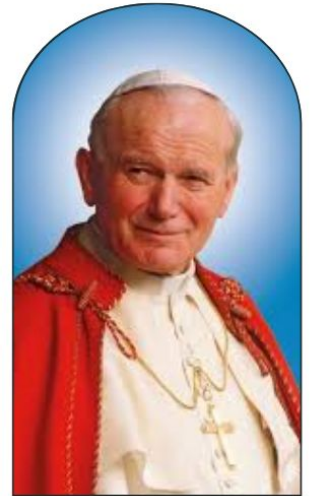
Day 7 – March 7, 2027 (Sunday): Czestochowa Tour – Kalwaria Zebrzydowska – Kraków



Your day begins with a guided visit to the towering **Jasna Góra Monastery**, Poland's greatest pilgrimage shrine since 1382 and home of the miraculous **Icon of the Black Madonna**—venerated for over six centuries, credited with saving the nation during the Swedish Deluge, and still drawing millions in prayer. You will also explore the magnificent Treasury. You **Celebrate Mass at Jasna Góra Monastery** in one of its intimate chapels. The journey then leads south, pausing in **Kalwaria Zebrzydowska**, the only Calvary on the UNESCO World Heritage List, where forty chapels and churches recreate the entire **Way of the Cross** and the Passion of Our Lord on a hillside modeled after Jerusalem itself. Continuing to Kraków, Dinner at a traditional local restaurant in Krakow. Overnight at the hotel in Kraków. (B, D)

Day 8 – March 8, 2027 (Monday): Kraków Tour + afternoon free – Kraków

After breakfast you ascend **Wawel Hill** to visit **Wawel Cathedral**, the spiritual heart of Poland where monarchs were crowned and buried and where **St. John Paul II** offered his first Mass as bishop. You then walk through Europe's largest Market Square via Kanonicza Street, pausing at the **Papal Window** of the Bishop's Palace from which **St. John Paul II** so often greeted his beloved people, and at the historic patio of **Collegium Maius** where he studied as a young man. The tour culminates inside **St. Mary's Church** before the breathtaking Wit Stwosz wooden altar that tells the story of the Virgin Mary in carved splendor. You **Celebrate Mass at St. Mary's Church**. Lunch is on your own, and the entire afternoon is left free for personal prayer, quiet exploration, or simply resting in the beauty of this royal city of saints. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at the hotel in Kraków. (B, D)



Day 9 – March 9, 2027 (Tuesday): Kraków – Zakopane – Kraków

The morning drive carries you into the dramatic Tatra Mountains to **Zakopane**, Poland's winter capital. After lunch on your own you visit the enchanting **Jaszczurówka Chapel** and the lively bazaars of Krupówki Street before riding the funicular to **Mt. Gubałówka** for sweeping views. A deeply personal stop follows at the **Sanctuary of the Holy Virgin of Fatima**, built in 1999 in heartfelt thanksgiving for **St. John Paul II's** survival of the assassination attempt on 13 May 1981. You **Celebrate Mass at the Sanctuary of the Holy Virgin of Fatima**. Lunch at a traditional local restaurant in Zakopane with highlander folk music. You return to Kraków for dinner and overnight. (B, D)



Day 10 – March 10, 2027 (Wednesday): Kraków – Wieliczka – Łagiewniki (Divine Mercy Sanctuary) – Kraków

After breakfast you descend into the astonishing **Wieliczka Salt Mine**, where generations of devout Catholic miners carved a subterranean cathedral of salt—most famously the breathtaking **Blessed Kinga Chapel** dedicated to the Virgin Mary.

Lunch is on your own before you travel to **Łagiewniki** and the **Divine Mercy Sanctuary**. Here you will venerate the original **Image of the Merciful Jesus**, pray before the relics of **St. Faustina**, and stand in the very convent chapel where she breathed her last and first recorded the Lord's words of mercy. You **Celebrate Mass at one of the Shrine's chapels**. Nearby, the **Have No Fear Centre** invites you to pray before the relics of **St. John Paul II** before returning to Kraków for dinner outside of the hotel and overnight. (B, D)



Day 11 – March 11, 2027 (Thursday): Kraków – Auschwitz – Wadowice – Kraków

This day of solemn remembrance begins with a guided visit to **Auschwitz-Birkenau**, the Nazi concentration camp where **St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein)** gave her life in the gas chamber and where **St. Maximilian Kolbe** offered himself in starvation in the Death Block, exchanging his life for that of a fellow prisoner in an act of perfect Christ-like love. After lunch on your own you travel to **Wadowice**, birthplace of **St. John Paul II**. You will visit his childhood home (now a moving museum, and **Wadowice Basilica** (the Church of the Presentation of the Virgin Mary) where he was baptized and where his priestly vocation was first kindled. You **Celebrate Mass at Wadowice Basilica**. You return to Kraków for dinner and overnight. (B, D)

Day 12 – March 12, 2027 (Friday): Kraków – Prague

After breakfast you **Celebrate Mass at one of the local churches** near the hotel in Kraków. The coach then carries you across the border into the Czech Republic and the golden city of Prague for check-in and dinner. Overnight at the hotel in Prague. (B, D)



Day 13 – March 13, 2027 (Saturday): Prague Tour

A full day of wonder awaits in Prague. You begin at **Hradčany Castle** (included) with its soaring **St. Vitus Cathedral**, the Royal Palace, and **St. George's Basilica**. The journey continues to the beloved **Church of Our Lady Victorious**, home of the miraculous **Statue of the Infant Jesus of Prague**—a 16th-century treasure that has worked countless healings and continues to draw the faithful from every nation. You **Celebrate Mass at the Church of Our Lady Victorious**. After lunch on your own you cross the majestic Charles Bridge into the Old Town, stand before the famous Astronomical Clock in the Market Square, walk Wenceslas Square, and explore the historic Jewish quarter of Josefov. The remainder of the day is yours for peaceful wandering and prayer. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at the hotel in Prague. (B, D)



Day 14 – March 14, 2027 (Sunday): Prague – Brno – Vienna

Following breakfast and check-out you travel toward Vienna, pausing in the Moravian capital of Brno. After independent lunch and a short stroll past the legendary dragon of the Old Town Hall and the modernist masterpiece of Tugendhat Villa, you enter the majestic **Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul**. You **Celebrate Mass at the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul**, whose twin towers have watched over the faith of Moravia since medieval times. The journey continues to Vienna for hotel check-in. Farewell dinner at a local restaurant in Vienna with a classical music concert. Overnight at the hotel in Vienna. (B, D)





Day 15 – March 15, 2027 (Monday): Vienna Tour + free afternoon – Vienna

Your final full day opens with a panoramic drive along Vienna's elegant Ringstrasse followed by a walking tour of the Old Town—from the University to the Opera House—passing the **Donner Fountain, Belvedere Palace Gardens, Hofburg Palace, Albertina**, Spanish Riding School, and culminating at the towering **St. Stephen's Cathedral** (ance fee included). This Gothic masterpiece has been the spiritual heart of Austria for centuries; **St. John Paul II** himself celebrated Mass here during his historic 1983 visit. You **Celebrate Mass at St. Stephen's Cathedral**. Lunch is on your own and the afternoon is free for personal prayer or quiet reflection in this imperial city of faith. Dinner at the hotel. Overnight at the hotel in Vienna. (B, D)

Day 16 – March 16, 2027 (Tuesday): Vienna departure

After breakfast you check out and board the coach for your transfer to Vienna International Airport, carrying the graces, memories, and friendships of this unforgettable pilgrimage home in your heart. (B)





✠ ✠ ✠ INCLUDED FEATURES ✠ ✠ ✠

- ROUND TRIP AIR FARE (WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE END OF MAY 2027)
- DAILY BUFFET BREAKFAST & DINNERS
- 14 NIGHTS IN 4 STAR HOTELS
- POZNAŃ, KRAKOW, WARSAW, AUSCHWITZ, CZĘSTOCHOWA, PRAGUE. VIENNA
- FAREWELL DINNER & SPECIALTY MEALS



- IN COUNTRY TOUR MANAGER
- TRAVEL TYME HOST
- HEADPHONES ON TOURS WHERE APPLICABLE
- DAILY MASS AT SHRINES & CHURCHES PER ITINERARY
- TIPS AT HOTELS, RESTAURANTS & GUIDES

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PER DAY: DRIVER 5 EURO & 10 EURO FOR TOUR MANAGER
YOU MUST BE ABLE TO WALK A MINIMUM OF 5 MILES PER DAY UNDER YOUR OWN POWER

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