Trip Information

Individuals who register will receive a welcome letter to include confirmation of payment.

Departure/Drop Off: Board bus at Diocese of Green Bay, 1825 Riverside Drive, Green Bay, WI 54301 - Lower lot at 7:45 a.m. on Wednesday, July 29, 2020. Arrive back at Diocese of Green Bay - Lower lot approximately 5:30 p.m. on Friday, July 31, 2020.

Accommodations: Stoney Creek Inn, 3060 S. Kinney Coulee Rd., Onalaska, WI 54650. Phone: 608-781-3060. Cost is based on double occupancy. Single-room supplement is $100. Roommate requests must be listed on the registration form of both pilgrims.

Meals: All meals are included throughout the pilgrimage.

Tips and Taxes: All tips and taxes are included.

Modern Coach Bus: Pilgrims will be traveling in a deluxe motor coach from Lamers Bus Lines, Inc.

Not Included: 1) Alcoholic beverages 2) Individual snacks

Assistance: Pilgrims who require personal assistance must be accompanied by a paying passenger who will provide that assistance. All pilgrims under the age of 18, must be accompanied by a paid adult.

Registration: To secure a registration, mail this form and your check to: The Compass, Wisconsin Pilgrimage, P.O. Box 23825, Green Bay, WI 54305-3825. Checks can be made payable to The Compass. Full refund will be given for cancellations on or before June 1, 2020; partial refund will be given for cancellations on or before July 1, 2020. No refund for cancellations after July 1, 2020.

Insurance: Insurance is NOT included in this pilgrimage.

Responsibility and Liability: All pilgrims must read and sign the Adult Hold Harmless/Indemnity Agreement on the registration form.

For further information, please contact:
Amy Kawula at The Compass
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Green Bay, WI 54305-3825
Phone: 920-272-8212
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Situated on 435 beautiful acres outside of Milwaukee, the Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary, Help of Christians, receives more than 500,000 visitors each year. Holy Hill was declared a Shrine with “Portiuncula Privilege” by Pope Leo XIII in 1903. As a result of the increasing number of pilgrims, the Discalced Carmelite Friars from Bavaria were invited to staff the Shrine in 1906. On November 19, 2006, the Shrine was elevated to the status of Basilica.

The National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help stands humbly, yet majestically, in a quiet and beautiful spot of rural northeast Wisconsin. Known as “The Chapel” by the local inhabitants, the National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help is built directly over the site where Mary, the Queen of Heaven, appeared to Adele Brise, a young Belgian immigrant, in October 1859, one year after the Marian apparitions occurred at Lourdes, France. For over 150 years, the faithful have come to this hallowed site seeking the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The Marian apparition at the Shrine was granted official Church approval on December 8, 2010.

Nestled amid the beautiful natural setting of southwest Wisconsin, the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe serves the spiritual needs of those who suffer poverty in body and soul. It is a place of ceaseless prayer for the corporal and spiritual welfare of God’s children, especially those most in need. Faithful to the message of the Blessed Virgin Mary through her appearances on the American continent in 1531 and funded entirely by private donations.

Day 1: Wednesday, July 29, 2020
- Board the bus at Diocese of Green Bay - lower lot at 7:45 a.m. and travel to the Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary, Holy Hill
- Time to pray the rosary and go to confession
- Holy Mass in the shrine church
- Lunch provided
- Shrine presentation
- Free time to pray, walk the grounds and visit the gift shop
- Dinner at North Country Steak Buffet, La Crosse
- Arrive for check in at Stoney Creek Inn, Onalaska

Day 2: Thursday, July 30, 2020
- Breakfast at hotel
- Travel to Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe, La Crosse
- Directed tour of the shrine church and artworks
- Time to pray the rosary and go to confession
- Holy Mass in the shrine church
- Lunch provided
- Free time to visit and pray at the many devotional areas on the shrine grounds and visit Flores Mariae Gift Shop
- Wine tasting and dinner
- Arrive at Stoney Creek Inn, Onalaska

Day 3: Friday, July 31, 2020
- Breakfast at hotel
- Board bus and travel to the National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help, Champion
- Welcome lunch at the shrine
- Shrine presentation
- Free time (gift shop, walk the grounds to visit Grottos, pray in the crypt)
- Time to pray the rosary and go to confession
- Holy Mass in the shrine church
- Board bus and return to Diocese of Green Bay at approximately 5:30 p.m.