

COMMUNITY MISSION TO ISRAEL

WITH OPTIONAL CYCLING EXCURSION*

MISSION HIGHLIGHTS

DAY 1

Travel day
Evening departure
November 11

DAY 2

Arrive Ben Gurion Airport 4:10 PM and proceed to Haifa. Experience the incredible view from the stunning vacation site of Zikhron Ya'akov, one of the first Jewish settlements for dinner and wine tasting.

DAY 3

Track 1: Gear up for a cycling excursion throughout the Carmel Mountains. Cyclists receive their gear and meet up with their Hadera friends.

Track 2: Walk the ancient streets of Akko and Rosh Hanikra. Explore the beautiful Roman capital of Palestine, Caesaria, before being welcomed into our sister city of Hadera for an evening of fun and friendship!

DAY 4

Track 1: Cyclists will be welcomed by an exciting Partnership Ride with our sister city throughout Hadera.

Track 2: Spend the morning in the hills of Haifa in the Druze village of Daliat El Carmel where we will be welcomed with the warmest hospitality and excellent food.

In the afternoon, we will make our way up to the stunning capital city of Jerusalem. Tour the glorious sites of the Old City and explore thousand of years of history.

DAY 5

Shabbat in Jerusalem is a truly spiritual experience. Spend it as you choose - optional synagogue visits and tours will be available.

DAY 6

Tour Jerusalem in the morning, then join thousands of Jewish people from around the globe as the UJC General Assembly begins.

DAY 7

UJC General Assembly Continues...

DAY 8

Choose from over 50 different General Assembly tracks that provide a day of exploration in sites throughout Israel.

DAY 9

GA ends. After learning the most up to date news of the Jewish people, spend the rest of the day visiting the newly remodeled Yad Vashem Holocaust Museum.

DAY 10

Travel to Tel Aviv and visit Independence Hall, the site of the signing of the Declaration of Independence of the State of Israel in 1948. Tour the Palmach Museum followed by a leisurely afternoon walking the cobblestone alleys and artist studios in Old Jaffa. Evening flight back to Charlotte on Continental Airlines.

DAY 11

Arrive back in Charlotte
November 21

Stay in fabulous
FIRST CLASS hotels:

- ◆ Haifa (2 nights)
DAN CARAMEL
- ◆ Jerusalem (6 nights)
DAN PANORAMA

\$100
EARLY BIRD
DISCOUNT
thru June 13, 2008

NOVEMBER 11 -21, 2008

MISSION AND AIRFARE

\$ 3,800**

MISSION FACTS:

- MISSION COST: \$3,800 per person, double occupancy
✦ Single Supplement is \$800
- \$100 EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT through June 13, 2008
- Roundtrip transportation from Charlotte to Israel with connections through Newark on Continental Airlines.
- Six nights in Jerusalem and two nights in Haifa.
- First Class Hotels
- Fabulous Israeli breakfasts daily, four lunches and six dinners.
- Sight-seeing in a climate controlled luxury motor coach led by one of Israel's top tour guides.
- UJC Health/Accident Insurance coverage while in Israel
- Appropriate security arrangements
- \$500 deposit per person is required by Monday, June 30, 2008. Full payment is due by Friday, August 8, 2008.

Mission applications are available for download at www.jewishcharlotte.org or by contacting Sarah Kaplan, Community Relations and Israel Affairs Coordinator, at sarah.kaplan@jewishcharlotte.org or 704.944.6751.

* additional costs will be incurred for cycling excursion

** includes \$500 Federation subsidy, contingent upon a minimum gift of \$500 to the 2009 Annual Campaign.