

## The March: Bearing Witness to Hope Berlin and Poland

# DRAFT ITINERARY Subject to change

<u>SUMMARY</u>		
Day 1	Mon May 16	— outbound flights: YYZ – Berlin. Overnight: Airplane
Day 2	Tues May 17	— Arrive Berlin 11AM. Overnight: Berlin
Day 3	Wed May 18	— Berlin. Overnight: Berlin
Day 4	Thurs May 19	<ul><li>Berlin —&gt; Krakow by bus. Kazimierz sites. Overnight: Krakow</li></ul>
Day 5	Fri May 20	<ul> <li>Auschwitz-Birkenau. Overnight: Krakow</li> </ul>
Day 6	Sat May 21	— Kazimierz/Podgorze. Overnight: Krakow
Day 7	Sun May 22	— Krakow —> Warsaw. Overnight: Warsaw
Day 8	Mon May 23	— Lublin and Majdanek. Overnight: Warsaw
Day 9	Tues May 24	<ul> <li>Tycochin/Lopuchowa Forest and Treblinka. Overnight: Warsaw</li> </ul>
Day 10	Wed May 25	— return WAW-FRA-YYZ

#### Outbound flights:

Mon May 16: LH 471 YYZ-FRA 6:40P-8:15A (+1) Tues May 17: LH 178 FRA-TXL 9:45A-10:55A

#### DAY 1: Tuesday MAY 17

10:55 AM Arrive in Berlin

Good snack on arrival at airport

Afternoon: Walking Tour of Berlin

- Scheunenviertel neighbourhood: Neue Wache War Memorial (Mother and Son)
- Bebelplatz, site of the infamous 1933 Nazi book burning
- Reichstag/Brandenburg Gate/ Parizerplatz

• Tiergarten: (1) memorial to gay victims & (2) Roma and Sinti memorial

Check in: between 4:00-5:00 PM. Time for showers, relaxing

T:00 PM Welcome at Hotel before dinner (very brief, informal)

7:30 PM Dinner at the Hotel (private room)

Group Gathering → early night!!

Overnight: Berlin

#### DAY 2: Wednesday MAY 18 - with Prof. Matthias Hass

Morning: • Bayerische Platz

• Track 17: Memorial at Grunewald Train Station

Wannsee Haus

Lunch: • Packed lunch

Afternoon: • Memorial to the Murdered Jews of Europe and Museum

Topography of Terror Museum

Dinner: On Own - probably no Group Gathering

Overnight: Berlin

#### DAY 3: Thursday MAY 19

Morning: Depart for Krakow, Poland

Lunch: En route on own. Afternoon: Arrive Krakow.

Walking tour Kazimierz, including

Remuh Synagogue & Cemetery
 Tampal or other synagogue

Tempel or other synagogue
 Meeting with Dr. Jonathan Webber (TBC)

Dinner: Hotel or restaurant

**Group Gathering** 

Overnight: Krakow

#### DAY 4: Friday MAY 20

Morning: • Guided visit Auschwitz I

Lunch: Pizza lunch. Possible visit to Auschwitz Jewish Center Afternoon: • At "Judenramp": "Who are you marching for?"

• walk from the "Judenramp" to Birkenau

Visit Birkenau

Dinner: Shabbat Program and Dinner at Restaurant

Evening: Group gathering

Overnight: Krakow

### DAY 5: Saturday May 21

Morning: Podgorze

Schindler's Factory – enter museum or drive by TBD

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Lunch: lunch -- restaurant or boxed

Afternoon: Plaszow

Meeting with Righteous Among the Nations (Krakow OR Warsaw)

Free Time

Dinner: Market Square (restaurant TBC)

Overnight: Krakow

#### DAY 6: Sunday May 22

Morning: Depart for Warsaw

Stop in Kielce (time permitting)

Lunch: Lunch on own - on way
Afternoon: 3:00 pm Arrive in Warsaw

Umschlagplatz Heroes Walk, Mila 18, Rapoport Monument

• Museum of the History of Polish Jews

Meeting with Righteous Among the Nations (Krakow OR Warsaw)

7:00 PM Check in 7:30-8:30 Dinner

9:30 Group gathering

Overnight: Warsaw

#### DAY 7: Monday May 23

Morning: Drive to Lublin

Lunch: on own

Visit Majdanek

Dinner: Restaurant, Warsaw Evening: Group gathering

Overnight: Warsaw

#### DAY 8: Tuesday May 24

Morning: Drive to Tycochin Lunch: Boxed lunch Afternoon: Visit Treblinka

Return to Warsaw

Evening: Final Dinner at hotel

Closing Group Gathering

Overnight: Warsaw

#### DAY 9: Wednesday May 25

Morning: Depart to the Airport

Return flights: LH 1611 WAW-MUC 8:55A-10:30A

LH 494 MUC-YYZ 11:55A-2:59P

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