



# St. Juan Diego Volunteer Service Pilgrimage

June 14-25, 2019

New York JFK and Atlanta ATL Departures

## About Youth and Young Adult Pilgrimage

Youth volunteers (14-17 yrs.) accompanied by young adult (18-24 yrs.) volunteers and parent chaperones offer junior service to our Advance Team. Together, the Advance Team and Youth/Young Adult Pilgrimage volunteers support our St. Marianne Special Needs Pilgrimage. Service duties include dining room, housekeeping, hospitality, transportation assistance for all outings to Masses, processions, tours and visits, as well as the final clean out.

Our Youth Catechesis program is coordinated to the volunteer service pilgrimage opportunities and schedules. Youth Chaplain and Catechist provide daily catechesis, developing the Message of Lourdes. We maintain a ratio of 4:1 youth to adult chaperone during training service and all pilgrimage activities. Youth and young adult volunteers, as well as chaperones, are expected to fully participate daily in catechesis, prayer, pilgrimage transportation and service as assigned. Youth and young adult volunteer service in Lourdes is truly life changing! **God is good, all the time!**

**JFK Departure \$2,799.00**

**ATL Departure \$2,899.00**

- 12 days/11 Nights
- Airfare, taxes and fuel-surcharge (FSC)
- Ground Transfers
- Shared Sanctuary accommodations
- Three self-service meals daily
- Chaplain, Catechist, and Youth Leader
- Youth backpack (shirts and supplies)
- Orientation and training
- Guided visits and tours

## Forms and Requirements

All youth, young adults & parent chaperones must provide:

- Application and Health Form
- Registration Form
- Copy of Valid US Passport
- 2 Passport size and quality photos
- Connecting Travel Form
- Letter of recommendation from priest
- Safe Environment Verification Form (18 and older)
- Signed Youth Protection Policy (18 and older)
- Signed Youth Code of Conduct (youth only)
- Copy of Notarized Parent Consent Form (youth only)



## Payment Schedule:

Upon Reservation \$ 1,000.00 Deposit + Insurance  
March 15, 2019 \$ 1,799.00 or \$ 1,899.00 Final Payment  
Through March 15 \$ 500.00 Cancellation Fee  
March 16 through departure All Payments Non Refundable  
All checks payable to *Lourdes Volunteers*; credit cards accepted.  
Final payments are due 90 days prior to departure.

*\*Does not include mandatory travel and medical insurance; premium based on trip cost & age and is due at reservation with deposit. See Travel Guard Group Description.*



# Youth Catechesis = LEARNING, LIVING and LOVING! The message of Lourdes through service!!

## Catechesis & Service Itinerary

- Day 1 Depart on Air France overnight international flight. Dinner and breakfast in flight.
- Day 2 Arrival in Paris; connecting flight to Pau; private coach transfer to Lourdes for afternoon arrival, Welcome Mass, Grotto visit, dinner. Good night! Wake up on French Time!
- Days 3-4 Orientation, training and preparations for Special Needs Pilgrimage Arrival at the Accueil Notre-Dame!!
- Days 4-9 Catechesis & Service are assigned in Dining, Housekeeping, Hospitality and Transportation Services.
- Day 10 Assist pilgrims for departure and prepare Accueil for the next pilgrimage; late afternoon at leisure.
- Day 11 Bartres excursion to visit the Bergerie where Bernadette prayed the rosary while she tended the sheep.
- Day 12 Early departure from Lourdes returning via Paris to arrive in the USA! Welcome Home!!



*Eucharistic Blessing and Candlelight Rosary Procession,  
Mass and Sacrament of Reconciliation,  
are available daily throughout pilgrimage.*



**Air France Travel Itinerary available upon request!**

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