

# ITINERARY, JORDAN PROGRAM 2020

**Monday, June 8,** Transfer from Israel to Jordan via Allenby Bridge; traditional baptismal site (Bethany-Beyond-Jordan?). Overnight in Larsa Hotel in Amman.

**Tuesday, June 9,** Lectures. Overnight in Larsa Hotel in Amman.

**Wednesday, June 10,** The Land of Ammon Field Trip: Rujm al-Malfouf (Ammonite tower); Amman Citadel (Rabbath-Ammon); remains of Philadelphia (Theater, Odeon, Nymphaeum); Tall al-`Umayri; Kh. es-Sar; Iraq al-Amir. Overnight in Larsa Hotel in Amman.

**Thursday, June 11,** Upper Gilead Field Trip: Tall adh-Damiyya (ancient Adam) (view from road); Tulul adh-Dhahab (Mahanaim?); Tall Dayr `Alla (Penuel?); Tall Ahsas (view from road); Ajlun Castle; Mar Elias, Listib, and Umm al-Hedamus (Tishbe?, home of Elijah). Overnight in Ajloun Baptist Center in Ajlloun.

**Friday, June 12,** Lower Gilead Field Trip: view of Tall al-Maqlub (Jabesh-Gilead?) from the village of Judeita; Tabaqat Fabel (Pella); Umm Qeis (Gadara); Tall ar-Rumeith (Ramoath-Gilead?). Overnight in Olive Branch Hotel near Jerash.

**Saturday, June 13,** Jerash (Gerasa); Tall al-Birah. Overnight in Mosaic Hotel in Madaba.

**Sunday, June 14,** Free Day. Overnight in Mosaic Hotel in Madaba.

**Monday, June 15,** Exam and lectures. Overnight in Mosaic Hotel in Madaba.

**Tuesday, June 16,** Medeba Plateau Field Trip: Tall Hisban (Heshbon); Kh. al-Mukhayyat (ancient village of Nebo); Mt. Nebo; Kh. `Attarus, Mukhawir (Machaerus); Tall Dhiban (Dibon); Tall Ara'ir (Aroer); W. Mujib/Arnon River Gorge Overnight in Falcon Rock Hotel in Kerak.

**Wednesday, June 17,** Moab and Edom Field Trip: Kerak Castle; Sela (climb); Buseira (Bozrah); view of W. Danna. Overnight in Petra Palace Hotel in Wadi Musa.

**Thursday, June 18,** Little Petra (Siq al-Barid) and Petra. Overnight in Petra Palace Hotel in Wadi Musa.

**Friday, June 19,** Caravan Routes East and South of Petra: `Udruh (Roman Fort); Humayma (ancient caravan stop); W. Ram/Disi; W. Yitm. Overnight in Mina Hotel in Aqaba.

**Saturday, June 20,** Wadi Arabah Field Trip: ancient Copper Mines at Feinan and fort at Kh. en-Nahas; Sanctuary of St. Lot/Deir `Ain Abata including museum; Bab adh-Dhra (view from bus); hot springs of Callirhoe. Overnight in Mosaic Hotel in Madaba.

**Sunday, June 21,** Exam. Overnight in Mosaic Hotel in Madaba.

**Monday, June 22,** Madaba Mosaic Map and new Archaeological Museum in Amman; return to Jerusalem via Allenby Bridge.