



# Pilgrimage to Fatima & the Camino

## 11- Days - October 15-25, 2025

*with Father Kevin Drew*



### HIGHLIGHTS & INCUSIONS

- First class hotels
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## **DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY**

D1 (WED, 15OCT): Depart from your home gateway for Portugal. Please call for airport other than Denver and Kansas City

D2 (THU, 16OCT): Arrive Lisbon

On arrival meet your tour escort and driver and transfer to your accommodation. Dinner and overnight at the hotel. (D) DoubleTree by Hilton or similar 4\* (1 night)

Attention: Schedule for this day is subject to change depending on flight details.

D3 (FRI, 17OCT): Santarem | Fatima

Today we will start with the orientation tour of Lisbon, starting with mass at St. Anthony's (subject to confirmation) and view of the Cathedral, la Seo. Proceed to Belem, where you will see Jeronimo's Monastery (from outside), Monastery to the Discovery (from outside) and Belem Tower (from outside). Leave towards Fatima. On our way stop in Santarem and the Sanctuary of the Eucharistic Miracle. The relic is venerated at Church of St Stephen in the historical center of the town. Upon arrival Fatima, check in to hotel. Dinner and overnight. Join the candlelight procession in the evening. (B,D)

Lux Fatima Park or similar

D4 (SAT, 18OCT): Fatima

Today we visit the Chapel of the Apparitions, the Basilica and the tombs of Francisco, Jacinta and Sr. Lucia. We also visit the Monument to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. In Aljustrel and Valinhos, we see the two homes of the little shepherds and site of the first and third visit of the "Angel of Peace." We stop at the Parish Church and the cemetery where Francisco and Jacinta were once buried. If available, we join the nightly candlelight procession. (B,D)

D5 (SUN, 19OCT): Fatima | Braga | Lugo

Today we will leave Fatima heading towards Lugo, our Camino starting point. On our way we would stop in Braga, visiting Bom Jesus do Monte, a vital pilgrimage sanctuary where we can celebrate Mass (subject to confirmation) and discover the many chapels, beautiful stairs, lush gardens, and the beautiful lake. On to Lugo. Relax before your Camino walk begins, perhaps strolling around the town and trying the famous octopus dish 'pulpo a la plancha' or some tapas. Dinner and overnight at our hotel in Lugo. (B,D)

Mercure Lugo Centro or similar

D6 (MON, 20OCT): Camino (walk: Melide – Arzua) | 8.5 miles

Note: Day trips are planned for those not doing the Camino.

Breakfast at hotel. Transfer to Melide, located along the most famous Camino Route – the French Way, approx. 45 kilometers (28 miles) from Santiago de Compostela. This is the perfect start as the stroll quickly leaves Melide and heads off into quiet countryside, along forest track and through a few hamlets. At Boente de Ariba, you will pass by the ancient Church of Santiago before continuing through a forest track and reaching Catanada. You will then cross a few streams, and then you are at the last stretch to Arzua. Once in Arzua, you will be picked up by the bus and transferred to your hotel in Lugo. (B,D)

D7 (TUE, 21OCT): Camino (walk: Arzua – A Rua or O Pino) | 10 miles

Breakfast at hotel. Transfer to Arzua to reassume our walk. In this stage, the Camino again passes among meadows together with oak and eucalyptus trees which surround small hamlets, some with place names with Jacobean echoes: A Calzada, A Calle, Ferreiros, A Salceda, A Brea, Santa Irene and A Rúa, which lies at the gates of Arca, the municipal capital of O Pino, the last municipality before Santiago. Transfer back to your hotel. We will enjoy dinner and stay for overnight in Lugo. (B,D)

D8 (WED, 22OCT): Camino (walk: A Rua – Santiago) 13 miles | Santiago de Compostela  
Today, you will culminate the walking portion of your journey. Today's part of the route passes next to the airport and starts the gentle descent towards A Lavacolla. A Lavacolla is located very close to the Monte do Gozo (Mount of Joy), a hill from where the pilgrims catch their first glimpse of Santiago's Cathedral. This is where today's mass could be celebrated. While the last miles take us through more urban terrain, these are also significant miles for every pilgrim that walks them as Santiago de Compostela approaches. Our walk ends at the Obradoiro square, nearby the Cathedral. Arrival into Santiago means the end of the Camino de Santiago. Dinner and overnight at hotel in Santiago de Compostela. (B,D) San Francisco Hotel Monumento or similar

Attention: If group not willing or would not be able to walk 13 miles on this day we can shorten the walk to the distance from Monte de Gozo to Santiago, which is approx. 3 miles distance.

D9 (THU, 23OCT): Santiago de Compostela

This morning, we will enjoy some free time for personal prayers, reflection and rest after a long walk. At noon time you are invited to join the Pilgrims' Mass at the Cathedral (subject to confirmation). Afterwards we will then enjoy a guided visit of the Cathedral (entrance included) and a walk through Santiago. Some stops on your tour include the Obradoiro Square, Fonseca Palace, Gelmirez Palace, Franco Street, and much more. Dinner and overnight in Santiago de Compostela. (B,D)

D10 (FRI, 24OCT): Santiago de Compostela | Porto

Today we will transfer from Santiago de Compostela to Porto. Upon arrival Porto celebrating mass at Porto Cathedral (included) followed by a tour of the city. This afternoon we will board on Porto Six Bridges River Cruise (included) for a panoramic tour of the city from a board of a traditional Rabelo boat. Afterwards we will enjoy a Porto wine tasting at a local winery (included). Dinner and overnight at the hotel. (B,D)  
Turim Oporto or similar

D11 (SAT, 25OCT): Depart for USA

Transfer to Porto airport for your flight back home. (B)

Itinerary is subject to change depending on conditions, traffic and circumstances beyond our control.