



March 17th – 27th, 2018

Depart D.C. on the 17th, Arrive in Italy on the 18th, & Return to D.C. departing from Italy on the morning of the 27th

Trip Cost: \$3,395

Join Liberty University's School of Divinity as we travel to Italy to walk in the same footsteps of Paul and other writers of the New Testament. See the Colosseum, the Cathedral of Florence, St. Peters Basilica, and the Mamertine Prison (where Paul was imprisoned in Rome) amongst other beautiful sites. Explore the rich heritage of our faith and experience the Bible like never before.

FINANCES

- \$3,395 Includes:
 - o Airfare
 - o Lodging (2 per room)
 - o Transportation In-Country
 - o Touring (Fees & Tips)
 - o 24/7 Tour Director
 - o All Breakfasts
 - o Travel Insurance
 - o Administrative Fee
 - o Roundtrip transportation to Dulles from Lynchburg
- Trip price does **NOT** include:
 - o **Course Credit & Fees**
 - o Lunches & Dinners
 - o Meals in Transit
 - o Souvenirs
 - o Stateside Transit to/from D.C. if not traveling from Lynchburg
 - o Passport/Visa Costs

ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT

- Enroll in one of the following courses along with the trip to **enhance learning opportunities**. Course will still include **pre and post work** in conjunction with the trip.
 - BIBL 110 – 2 Credits
 - THEO 201; 202 – 2 Credits
 - BIBL 364; 425; 460; 472 – 3 Credits
 - THEO 362 – 3 Credits
 - NBST 510; 515; 520 – 3 Credits
 - CSER
- *Please remember that taking a course is a requirement for going*

ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- This trip will consist of a dynamic blend of touring the sights and sounds of Italy while also intentionally engaging in the culture and serving the community, fostering a holistic experience!
- Regarding serving, plan to take part in **two full days of serving opportunities** to give back to the local community. Details will be confirmed closer to departure time.

MAJOR CITIES/LOCATIONS

- **Milan**
- **Pisa**
- **Florence**
- **Assisi**
- **Rome**

KEY SIGHTS & ACTIVITIES

- El Duomo
- Tower of Pisa
- Cathedrals in Assisi
- Academia Gallery
- San Clemente
- Palatine Hill
- Pantheon
- Vatican Museums
- **& More!**

ITINERARY DISCLAIMER

Final itinerary will be sent closer to departure. LU Send works closely w/ the Tour Provider and Professors to provide the best tour possible, **however the itinerary is subject to change** due to risk considerations, scheduling conflicts, etc.

TRAINING & TEAM MEETINGS

- As part of the LU Send experience, if you **live in Lynchburg***, you will be expected to attend anywhere from **3 – 8 pre-trip meetings**. These gatherings will give opportunity to **meet your professors and other leaders**, as well as **other travelers**. You will also work through some short, basic training including topics such as **Cultural Intelligence, Safety & Health, and Gospel & Contextualization**. Exact details of meeting times and locations will be given once team is complete. **If you are outside of the Lynchburg area, you will be responsible for reviewing the information provided post-meeting/training.*

DIETARY CONSIDERATIONS

- Meals in Italy generally consist of a variety of options, many of which are very fresh. **You can expect to see some of the following on menus:**
 - o Breads
 - o Cheeses
 - o Fruits & Vegetables
 - o Meats
 - o Seafood
 - o & more!
- Please ensure LU Send is informed about specific dietary needs you may have prior to the trip.

PAYMENT DEADLINES

- THANK YOU for working diligently to **make your payments on time**. This will allow LU Send to make timely payments to airfare & tour providers!
\$200 – Due *within 2 weeks of approval*
\$799 – Due October 15th
\$799 – Due November 15th
\$799 – Due December 15th
\$798 – Due January 15th
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- \$3,395 – Total Paid**

TRAVEL CONSIDERATIONS

- Certain days could include anywhere from **5 – 10 miles of walking**
- An 11 day tour consisting of numerous cities will include **multiple hours in the bus on certain days**
- **No single rooms available**
- **Lunches in Italy usually range from 12 – 20 USD**
- In addition to learning, engaging, and serving, **expect to have regular debrief meetings** with your leaders & teammates.

PARTICIPANT REQUIREMENTS

- *The School of Divinity* welcomes all undergraduate and graduate students who will be enrolled in one of the course offerings at the time of the trip.
- Students of other majors considering CSER and other Assignment Replacement options will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

AIRFARE

- The flight itinerary will be distributed closer to departure, once everything is ticketed.
- Projected Airlines: Lufthansa
- Projected Flight Itinerary: Itinerary will either be direct OR include one layover in Europe – Your transatlantic flight should consist of one - two meals.

DO YOU HAVE ANY ADDITIONAL LOGISTICAL QUESTIONS?

Stop by the LU Send Office located in **Green Hall 2500**, call an LU Send representative at 434-592-6455, or email lusendinternational@liberty.edu
