Armenian Guest House

It was built in 1885 for the Armenian pilgrims who came from foreign countries to the Holy Land. It is located in the Old City, on the way of Via Dolorosa, the third and fourth stations. Few minutes far from the Holy Sepulcher and other Holy Places in Jerusalem.

Guest House Facilities:

- 20 Rooms & Dormitory Rooms for 40 Persons
- TV Room
- Half Board
- Dining Room
- Cafeteria
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Heating
- Public Telephones
- Payment in Cash

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Betharram Center
Sacred Heart Fathers of Betharram

That Betharramite religious are present in the Bethlehem and Nazareth at all is due to Providential intervention, centered on the persistence of Sister Mary of Jesus Crucified (now Blessed Miriam Bouardy). She was a Palestinian Christian Arab and a Carmelite Sister, whose story is a series of marvels too long to tell here. These two houses, were the centers of formation for all Betharramite religious from the 1880’s, when they were founded by Fathers Etchecopar and Estrade, until 1947. Today there are 9 religious residents, 4 in Nazareth and 5 in Bethlehem, together with some young Palestinians applying to joint the congregation.

Guest House Facilities:

- 26 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 21, Trp: 3)
- Full Board
- Dining room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 50 Persons
- TV and Telephones in Rooms
- Air Condition
- Heating
- Laundry Service
- Payment in Cash

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Casa Nova

Custody of the Holy Land

Built in 1866, this Franciscan-owned lodging has been putting up pilgrims ever since. The Casa Nova Jerusalem has an interesting history: From 1941 until 1946 Polish soldiers stayed there and in 1948 Palestinian refugees found shelter in it. The building was reconstructed in the late 1980, making it more comfortable for pilgrims. Franciscan hospitality, family atmosphere and the location of the Casa Nova within the walls of the Old City, only a few minutes walk from the Holy Sepulcher, make it an ideal spot for the pilgrim to stay.

Guest House Facilities:

- 87 Rooms (Sgl: 3, Dbl: 67, Trp: 14, Qdb: 3)
- Full Board
- Three Dining Rooms
- Cafeteria
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Two Lecture Halls (one for 150 Persons and the other for 50)
- Heating
- TV Room
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash

Casa Nova Street, New Gate
PO Box 1321
91043 Jerusalem
Tel. 00972-2-6282791
Fax. 00972-2-6264370
E-mail: casanovaj@custodia.org
Website: www.custodia.org/casanovaj
Adapting to the times, the Franciscans built houses separate from the monasteries. Thus began the “Casa Nuevo”, a hybrid word (Latin-Tuscan), to describe the hostel for pilgrims. (The Friars coined the name “Casa Nova”). By 1910, all the Franciscan Pilgrim lodgings had the same name.

According to a document from 1377 AD, near to the place of birth of Jesus, there was already a hostel for women. The present Casa Nova was completely reconstructed and inaugurated in 1986. Now it is one of the most modern of the Franciscan pilgrimage houses.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 63 Rooms (Dbl: 56, Trp: 6, Qdb: 1)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Lecture Hall for 132 Persons
- Heating
- Garden
- Telephones in Rooms
- Public Telephone
- Laundry Service
- Payment in Cash or Credit

**Beside Nativity Church**
PO Box 996, Bethlehem
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Fax. 00972-2-2743540
E-mail: fphbeth@palnet.com
Website: www.cnop-beth.org
Casa Nova Palace
Custody of the Holy Land

Casa Nova guest house overlooks the Manger Square of Bethlehem and it is few meters far from the beautiful Nativity Basilica, a world worship place. It recently restored and equipped with all mod cons, it is hospitable and pleasant and represents a perfect starting point to travel around this fascinating and historic land. The skilled staff is glad to welcome, Italian, English and French pilgrims, providing a hearty and relaxing ambiance.

Guest House Facilities:

- 24 Rooms (Dbl: 20, Trp: 4)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- Internet Service
- Elevator
- Garden
- Heating
- Air Condition
- TV and Telephones in Rooms
- Laundry Service
- Payment in Cash or Credit

Nativity Square
PO Box 996, Bethlehem
Tel. 00972-2-2742798
Fax. 00972-2-2741562
Website: www.casanovapalace.com
Located just in front of the entrance to the Basilica of the Annunciation and run by the Franciscan Custody of the Holy Land, the Casa Nova Nazareth is an ideal place for pilgrims to stay. The hostel is managed by the same Franciscans who maintain the Church of the Annunciation, and service is provided by religious sisters and a staff of 25 local Christians. The Casa Nova provides an intimate environment suitable for pilgrim groups or singles. It has all the necessary facilities for pilgrim groups, including an internal chapel where Liturgical Services can be celebrated, or one can pray and meditate. There is also a large conference hall which is ideal for pilgrim groups who wish to prepare their visits or have discussions on the progress of the pilgrimage.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 75 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 50, Trp: 23)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Cafeteria
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 100 Persons
- Air Condition
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Laundry Service
- Payment in Cash

**Casa Nova Street**  
**PO Box 198**  
**16100 Nazareth**  
**Tel. 00972-4-645660**  
**Fax. 00972-4-6579630**  
**Email: casanovanaz@bezekint.net.il**
In 1925 a Franciscan church and a hostel -Casa Nova- were built on the summit. A winding and rather difficult road leads to the summit of Mount Tabor. Vehicles reach the summit only, and visitors coming by bus may reach the top by a taxi service available at the parking lot at the foot of the mountain. Once the summit is reached, a magnificent view unfolds, encompassing all the Lower Galilee. The first structure the visitor sees on the site is the Gate of the Crusader Fortress known as the Gate of the Winds.

**Guest House Facilities:**
- 24 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 16, Trp: 2)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Soft Drinks
- Chapel
- Garden
- Lecture Hall
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash

PO Box 16
16100 Nazareth
Tel. 00972-4-6620720
Fax. 00972-4-6735466
Casa Nova
Custody of the Holy Land

The Casa Nova in Tiberias was built in 1903 and recently renovated. Although the Casa Nova of Tiberias primarily offers bed and breakfast facilities, it also has a small kitchenette where guests can prepare their own meals. For pilgrims and pilgrim-leaders, the Casa Nova is an ideal, expensive place to stay while visiting the Galilee area. In the evening, the balcony overlooking the Sea of Galilee is wonderful… and it fits every pilgrim’s “pocket-book” quite comfortably. It has 25 rooms with two beds (4 of these have three beds), and two dormitories (6 beds each).

The Casa Nova borders the Church of St. Peter on the North side. The Franciscan Friary borders the Church on the South. The church is open for pilgrim groups to come and pray, and for Eucharistic Celebrations. It is necessary to call the Friary in advance to make sure of time-reservations.

Guest House Facilities:

- 25 Rooms (Dbl: 19, Trp: 4, Qdp: 2)
- Dormitory with 12 Beds
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Chapel
- Lecture Hall for 50 Persons
- Air Condition
- Heating
- TV Room
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash

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PO Box 179
14101 Tiberias
Tel. 00972-4-6712281
Fax. 00972-4-6712278
Centre Charles De Foucauld
Latin Patriarchate
Sisters of the Holy Cross of Jerusalem

Taybeh owes its Pilgrim’s Hostel to the French Lieutenancy of the Knights of the Holy Sepulcher. One of its former Lieutenants, Général de Chizelles, informed of the desire of many pilgrims to come and stay in Taybeh, decided to finance the construction of the hostel. Inaugurated on April 17th 1986, by the general himself, it was blessed by the Patriarch. The French sisters of “La Sainte Croix de Jerusalem” are responsible for Pilgrim’s Hostel. This responsibility was given to them by the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem in 1998.

Their Call:
Finding love, enthusiasm and dynamism in a passionate love of Jesus-Christ, “Loving the world in which we live, listening to his calls”, in particular those of the children, we want to help them becoming men and women of dignity, and followers of Jesus-Christ.

Their Mission…
In the Holy Land, welcoming the pilgrims and presence for the local youth in France, in Chili, in Tchad, education and evangelization.

Guest House Facilities:

- 17 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 6, Trp: 8, Qdp:1)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Internet Service
- Church
- Lecture Hall
- Heating
- Air Condition
- Payment in Cash Only

PO Box 904
91001 Jerusalem
Tel. 00972-2-2899364
Fax. 00972-2-2899364
Website: www.Taybeh.info
Dom Polski (Musrara)
Archdiocese of Warsaw/Poland
Sisters of Saint Elizabeth

Dom Polski guest house is located in Jerusalem a few minutes far from the Old City and Holy Places. It’s a calm house for pilgrims to enjoy during their trip to the Holy Land. The guest house is related to a church in Poland.

Guest House Facilities:

- 23 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 14, Trp: 6, Qdp: 1)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Soft Drinks
- Chapel
- Lecture Hall for 50 Persons
- Heating
- TV Room
- Payment in Cash

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Dom Polski (Old City)
Archdiocese of Warsaw/Poland

Located in the Old City of Jerusalem, the guest house is directed by sisters of St. Elisabeth. It is a nice and ideal place to stay in it during the guest’s trip, it’s located near the Holy Places which the guest is interested to visit. Dom Polski guest house offers nice accommodation for the guest while his visit to the Holy Land.

Guest House Facilities:

- 5 Rooms (Sgl: 1, Dbl: 4)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Soft Drinks
- Chapel
- Lecture Hall for 9-10 Persons
- Heating
- TV room
- Payment in Cash

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Ecce Homo Pilgrim House
Religious of our Lady of Sion
& Chemin Neuf Community

Within the Old City Walls near Damascus Gate and its “sook” (bazaars), the Ecce Homo Convent brings you right away into the heart of Jerusalem. From the terraces which overlook the Temple Area with the Dome of the Rock, the Western Wall and the Holy Sepulcher, the pilgrims enjoy a magnificent view over all the Old City and the hills surrounding Jerusalem.

Guest House Facilities:

- 31 Rooms (Sgl: 3, Dbl: 25, Trp: 1, Qdp:2) and Cubicles
- BB/ Half Board/ Full Board
- Dining Room
- Chapel
- Elevator to Some Parts of the House
- Lecture Halls for 50/35/20 Persons
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms for Incoming Calls Only
- Payment in Cash: NIS, Euros & USD

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91190 Jerusalem
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Website: www.eccehomoconvent.com
The first stone of Bethany was installed in the beginning of the 20 years. Lately Bethany was changed to Foyer De Garcon. It’s managed by the community of Daughters of Charity Saint Vincent de Paul and reconnected with Hospice of Jerusalem. Nowadays Foyer de Garcon welcomes 40 girls who live in it. The Guest House welcomes pilgrims anytime and any season of the year.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 32 rooms (Sgl: 5, Dbl: 23, Trp: 4)
- Full Board / Half Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 50 Persons
- TV Room
- Public Telephones
- Payment in Cash or Cheques

Al-Shayah Street,  
PO Box 19080  
91200 Jerusalem  
Tel. 00972-2-6284726  
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Foyer Des Pelerin guest house is situated in the heart of the Old City of Jerusalem, a few steps from the Jaffa Gate. From there the guest have a wonderful view of the Old City and the New Gate. It is in walking distance to all the holy places. It has recently been modernized and offers the pilgrims the comforts of a very pleasant journey in Jerusalem. The church of the Patriarchate was recently re-decorated with frescoes in Byzantine style, and offers opportunity for Liturgical celebration in all rites. A priest is always ready to give information to the pilgrims and to hold lectures about Eastern Churches and on other religious and social topics.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 42 Rooms (Sgl: 10, Dbl: 26, Trp: 6)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Bar
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Heating
- Lecture Hall for 50 Persons
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Payment in Cash

**Jaffa Gate**
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Foyer Mar Maroun
Maronite Patriarchal Exarchate
Maronite Sisters of Saint Theresa of C.J.

Mar Maron guest house was founded in April 1895, part of the building of the Maronite Patriarchal Vicariate in Jerusalem which is located in the Old City of Jerusalem near Jaffa Gate. The house is managed by Maronite Nuns from the congregation of St. Therese of the Child Jesus, who are also responsible of other parochial activities concerning the Maronite Parish in Jerusalem. In 1999, just before the Jubilee year the house was renovated so that each room now has its private bathroom and the other common areas are better lit and renovated so that our guests would have a more agreeable and convenient stay in our house.

There are many reasons that pilgrims keep coming back and tourist agencies insist on reserving places for their groups at our house. Some of these reasons are:
* The great location of the house being in the Old City and very close to the Holy Sepulcher.
* The friendly atmosphere which is filled with love and hospitality that they find from the Nuns and the employees at the house.
* The simplicity of the relationship between the guests and the hosts.

In short the beauty of our guest house is that the pilgrims feel that they are at home, and this is exactly what we aim for.

Guest House Facilities:

- 27 Rooms (Sgl: 4 with big beds, Dbl: 19, Trp: 2, Qdp: 2)
- Full Board.
- Dining Room
- Soft Drinks
- Chapel
- Lecture Hall for 40 Persons
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Heating
- Payment in Cash

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Website: www.maronitejerusalem.org
Hospice of the Holy Family
Archdiocese of Vienna

Founded in 1857, the Austrian Hospice of the Holy Family is the oldest national pilgrim’s house in the Holy Land. Since its opening in 1863 the building in the style of a Viennese Ring Palace has encountered a variety of fates due to local and world history. After about 40 years of housing the hospital for the Old City it was reopened as a guesthouse in 1988 and has welcomed guests from all over the world ever since. The Austrian Hospice has always regarded itself as Austria’s culture bearer in the Orient and is a meeting place for people from different cultures and religious backgrounds.

Guest House Facilities:

- 26 Rooms (Dbl: 12, Trp: 14)
- Five Dormitory Rooms with 5 up to 12 Beds Each
- Dining room
- Full Board
- Viennese Coffee House
- Chapel
- Garden Terrace
- Panorama View over the Old City from the Roof
- Two Lecture Halls (One seat 35, the other up to 100)
- Concert Hall
- Central Heating
- Elevator
- TV Room
- Telephones in Rooms
- Free Internet Service
- Parking
- Payment in Cash

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Website: www.austrianhospice.com
Located in the North-Western corner of the Old City, the Knights Palace is easily accessed through the New Gate or Jaffa Gate (See Map). Vehicular access is possible to the entrance of the premises through the narrow and sometimes congested street. With the major tourist, religious and cultural sites within a short walking distance, the Knights Palace is the ideal place to be when visiting the Holy City. Although the present building dates mostly to the 1880s (with later additions), some parts date back to at least the 11th and 12th Century.

Guest House Facilities:

- 52 Rooms all with en-suite Bathrooms
- Full Board
- Family Rooms Available
- Dining Room
- Garden Bar
- Free Wireless Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Gardens
- Lecture Hall for 100-120 Persons
- Direct Dial Telephones in all Rooms
- Satellite TV (12 Channels)
- Heating
- Air Condition
- Laundry Service
- Credit Cards Accepted

New Gate
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91141 Jerusalem
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E-mail: kp@actcom.co.il
Website: www.knightspalace.com
The Maison d’Abraham was founded in 1964, in an old Benedictine Monastery by Mgr. Rodhain, President of the Secours Catholique, upon a request by the Pope Paul VI. The house provides simple but comfortable accommodation. From the park of 2 hectares or from the terrasse you can admire the Old City of Jerusalem, which is only at few minutes walk from the house. A collective taxi or bus will drop you quickly to one of its gates. The Maison d’Abraham is managed by a director with the collaboration of a chaplain, the Dominican Sisters of the Presentation of Tours, international volunteers and local employees.

Guest House Facilities:

- 24 Rooms (Sgl: 3, Dbl: 12, Trp: 7, Qdp: 2)
- 17 Bungalows for 5 Persons Each
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Small Cafeteria
- Internet Service for Pilgrims
- Chapel
- Big Garden with Panorama of the Old City
- Lecture Hall for 60 Persons
- Heating
- TV Room for all the Guests
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash or Cheques

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After the experience of Bethlehem, the Bridgettine Sisters, on December 8th 2006, have opened a new foundation in Jerusalem: the Gohn Paul II centre. The House itself, standing on a site of two hectares and located at the foot of Mount of Olives, was built during the period of 1974-76 as a medical research centre, the Gedda Institute, named after its founder Prof. Luigi Gedda. The property was subsequently donated to the Holy See and in 2004 Pope John Paul II entrusted it to the Bridgettine Order to establish a foundation devoted to Christian Unity and to Inter-Religious Dialogue. On December 8th 2006, After two years of repair work, the building has been adapted as: Convent for the resident community of sisters, guest house for pilgrims and visitors, conference centre and meeting hall.
The Centre overlooks the Old City of Jerusalem; Gethsemane, the Tomb of Our Blessed Lady and other Shrines are within easy reach.
Individuals or small groups are always welcome for short or long stays; to meditate, to reflect or to write; the choice is yours.

* From Damascus Gate, bus 75 runs frequently and stops just near our Centre.

Guest House Facilities:
- 8 Rooms (Sgl: 4, Dbl: 4, Trp: 3)
- FB Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Garden
- Lecture Hall
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- Parking
- Payment in Cash

Mount of Olives
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91000 Jerusalem
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Mary’s House
The Bridgettine Sisters

The Bridgettine Sisters Guest House was opened in 2002. The purpose was to help the pilgrims who visit the Holy Land and offer them accommodation. The house became a place where the pilgrims can rest, pray and receive help during their stay in Bethlehem.

Guest House Facilities:

- 14 Rooms (Sgl: 4, Dbl: 7, Trp: 3)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 60 Persons
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- Payment in Cash

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91000 Jerusalem
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Mater Misericordiae
Silent Workers of the Cross

It’s located in Al Shayah on the way to Betfage. It’s an ideal place for all the activities and especially the religious one. Luigi Novarese and Sister Elvira Myriam Psorulla established it since more than 50 years ago. Nowadays sisters are living in silent workers of the Cross Guest House and ready to welcome anytime pilgrims with pleasure.

Guest House Facilities:

- 23 Rooms (Sgl: 20, Dbl: 3)
- Full Board
- Two Dining Room
- Parking
- Coffee Powder, Tea, Milk available in the Rooms
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 27 Persons
- Heating
- Service for Disabled
- Payment in Cash or Cheques

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Mount Of Beatitudes
A.N.S.M.I
Franciscan Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Early in this century Senator Schiaparelli, the founder of the association, bought a portion of the mountain known as that of the “Beatitudes”, and specifically the part overlooking the lake of Tiberias (or sea of Galilee) and in 1907 began to build a hospice to provide accommodation for the pilgrims visiting the area comprising the ruins of Capharnum, the little church of primacy of Peter and that of the multiplication of loaves and fishes. That building was not finished until 1922 and was entrusted to the Franciscan Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary who still run it today. In 1938 the adjacent Sanctuary, designed by the Architect Barluzzi, was also completed. Unfortunately, due to the building’s age and the nature of the soil, composed of basalt blocks with layers of clay. Now the Hospice provides accommodation for pilgrims from all over the world and made it possible to hold study and prayer courses. Now a project to add more rooms for the guest house and be a Spiritual Center for a retreat is under construction to be ready in 2008.

Guest House Facilities:

- 28 Rooms (Sgl: 5, Dbl: 18, Trp: 5)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 50 Persons
- Heating
- Air Condition
- TV Room
- Service for Disabled
- Payment in Cash

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Notre Dame of Jerusalem Center
Holy See - Vatican
Legionaries of Christ

Originally called Notre Dame de France. The complex was built by French Assumptionist Fathers between 1884 and 1904 to accommodate French Pilgrims. Badly damaged during the war of 1948, it was eventually turned over to the Holy See on March 2, 1972. By special decree of Pope John Paul II on December 13, 1978, it was erected as a Pontifical Institute. Pope John Paul II entrusted the Pontifical Institute Notre Dame of Jerusalem Center to the care of the Legionaries of Christ in November 2004.

Guest House Facilities:

- 150 Rooms
- Full Board
- Parking
- Chapel
- Daily Mass in English at 18:30
- Sundays at 9:30 and 18:30
- Dining Room
- Coffee Shop
- La Rotisserie French Restaurant

- 5 Equipped Lecture Halls
- Auditorium for 500 Persons
- Telephones in Rooms
- Wireless Internet Service
- Heating
- Air Condition
- TV Room
- Laundry Service
- Public Telephones

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The convent of Notre Dame de Sion at Ein-Karem was built in 1861 by Alphonse Ratisbonne (called “Father Mary”), the brother of the founder of the order, Theodore Ratisbonne. After the massacre in Lebanon, Alphonse opened an orphanage and a school for the Arab population of the village. The Sisters kept the school until 1948, when this population fled the village. Since that time it has developed as a guest house, very much appreciated by the local population of the country both Jews and Arabs, Israelis and Palestinians, as well as by pilgrims groups, who enjoy the beauty and the quiet of the place. Two communities of sisters of “Notre Dame de Sion” live in Ein Karem: on contemplative and one apostolic, together with another community called “Chemin Neuf” founded in 1973. All are at the service of the welcoming of the numerous guests and groups.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 26 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 13, Trp: 9, Qdp: 2)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- TV Room
- Chapel
- Garden
- Lecture Hall
- Heating
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash or Cheques

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Notre Dame Arche d’Alliance
Sister of St. Joseph of the Apparation

Notre Dame Arch D’Alliance is the Biblical Site where the Ark of the Covenant dwelt for 20 years or more before being taken to Jerusalem by King David. Today, there is a beautiful church dedicated to Mary, Ark of the Covenant, built on the ruins of the 5th Century, Byzantine Church. On a clear day, from the garden you can see the Mediterranean to the West and a wonderful view of the road leading up to Jerusalem 12 Km away. The Sisters of St. Joseph of the Apparition cherish a spirit of hospitality and on this Holy Place built a beautiful Prayer and Pilgrim Center, open to people from all nations. These Facilities are available also for various activities such as conferences, seminars, meetings, private or group retreats but especially for quiet reflection. From the height of this magnificent hill in the heart of the Judean Mountains - the crossroads of the Christian, Jewish and Moslem worlds - the words Shalom, Salaam, Peace welcome you.

Guest House Facilities:

- 24 Rooms (Sgl: 4, Dbl: 18, Trp: 2)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 60 Persons
- Heating
- Air Condition
- TV Room
- Service for Disabled
- Wireless Internet
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash or Cheques

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The Oasis San Francesco guest house was built in 1907 by ANSMI (National Association for Assistance to Italian Missionaries). It was a school for children up to the war, and a Training Center for young African Sisters till the 95th. In 2001 Emmanuel Community opened the house as a guest house to receive pilgrims and groups living in Holy Land.

The place with a large terrace and a beautiful garden is adapted to welcome families and small groups, in an atmosphere of kindness. The simplicity of the rooms is compensated for the eyesight overlooking the lake and Golan Heights. A chapel is at visitor’s disposal.

**Guest House Facilities:**
- 13 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 7, Trp: 4)
- 7 Dormitories
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Chapel
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 20 Persons
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash

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Paulushaus in Jerusalem, near Damascus Gate, was established in 1908. Because of the political situation it had been used for different purposes, although originally it was built as a pilgrims’ house. There is also a girls’ school attached to it which is called Schmidt’s Girls’ College. The whole property belongs to the German Association of the Holy Land and is run by this Institution.

Guest House Facilities:

- 32 Rooms (Sgl: 4, Dbl: 23, Trp: 3, Qdp:2)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Soft Drinks
- Internet Service for Guests
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 35 Persons
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Laundry Service
- Payment in Cash

2 Nablus Road
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91190 Jerusalem
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In 1889, the first building of the pilgrim house was established in Tabgha at the Sea of Galilee. New guest house fashionably furnished with view to the lake and the surrounding mountains are arranged around the old hospice with Foyer Chapel, cafeteria and dining room. The expanded pilgrim house located in the middle of an area parks. The historical pilgrim house at the Sea of Galilee has been restored, expanded, modernized and reopened in 2001.

Guest House Facilities:

- 68 Rooms (Sgl: 8, Dbl: 57, Trp:3)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Two Lecture Halls.
- Heating
- Air Condition
- TV and Telephones in Rooms
- Payment in Cash or Cheques or Credit

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In a city that blends the past and the present, the Rosary's Guest House is located in the heart of Jerusalem. It is well-known for its unique atmosphere, comfortable facilities and the friendly hospitality it extends to guests from all parts of the world. The Rosary Congregation was founded by God's revelation to our foundress, in Jerusalem in 1880. The Rosary Sisters are dedicated to the education of young Arab Girls as well as to doing pastoral and social work and caring for the sick. The first mother house was built in 1892 and the beautiful church was built in 1937. We started to welcome pilgrims to the Holy Land in 1960.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 27 Rooms (Sgl: 2, Dbl: 16, Trp: 5, Qdp: 4)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Chapel
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 40 Persons
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Payment in Cash

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It was in 1893 when the first Sisters came to the Holy Land and opened an infirmary and a dispensary in the German Colony, Jerusalem. These were the beginnings of St. Charles Convent. Apart from nursing the sick and old people, the Sisters took care of orphans and homeless children by offering them shelter and giving them a good education. In 1905 the Sisters could move into their new convent building, the original part of the present St. Charles Convent. In 1934 the first Holyland pilgrims were given accommodation and were offered meals for groups and from this source of income could be financed school, boarding and shelter for poor children.

World War II entailed hard times for the German Convent. All German Sisters in Palestine as well the Benedictines of the Dormition Abbey in Jerusalem were interned in St. Charles Convent. In addition, British officers occupied a number of rooms. After the war, the Sisters took on another work of charity; they offered shelter to German Jews who had survived the Holocaust in concentration camps and had emigrated to Israel.

In the years to come St. Charles Convent saw an ever increasing flow of pilgrims who wanted to visit and worship the Lord in Jerusalem, the heart and origin of our Christian faith. The traditional hospitality of the Sisters of St. Charles Borromeo makes their guests feel at home in the peaceful atmosphere of the house and in the friendly and comfortable rooms. Apart from their various activities the Sisters run a kindergarten and a pre-school class in the building next to the convent.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 50 Rooms
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking also for Buses
- Soft Drinks
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Heating
- TV only in Salons
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash

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Saint Charles Guest House
Latin Patriarchate
Rosary Sisters

On one of the port area’s major throughfares, this hospice is surprisingly quiet, set back from the street in a large, stone-walled 120-year-old complex of gardens and stone buildings. The hospice is operated by the Sisters of Rosary.
You’re welcome to use the kitchen to prepare meals and to relax in the large garden. At night the place closes at 10, check out is at 9am.

Guest House Facilities:

- 14 Rooms (Sgl: 4, Dbl: 4, Trp:4, Qdp: 2)
- Bed & Breakfast
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 30 Persons
- Air Condition
- Heating
- Laundry Service
- Payment in Cash

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St. Thomas Home
Syrian Catholic Patriarchal Exarchate

The Syrian Catholic Church of Antioch is one of the first communities in Christianity. It had shared from the beginning with Jerusalem the Liturgy of St. James and the Aramaic or Syriac, language spoken by our Lord, the Virgin Mary and the Apostles. We still recite the Pater Noster as Jesus pronounced it. St. Thomas was the Apostle who evangelized Mesopotamia (today, Iraq and North of Syria and South of Turkey) and India. Owned by the Syrian Catholic Exarchate of Jerusalem, St. Thomas Home is a hospice for pilgrims, located in the city centre, near Damascus Gate, opposite to the Ecole Biblique of Dominicans, 15 minutes walk from the Holy Sepulcher.

Guest House Facilities:

- 28 Rooms (Sgl: 7, Dbl: 11, Trp: 10)
- Half Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Soft Drinks
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 50 Persons
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Payment in Cash

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Saint Joseph Guest House
Syrian Catholic Patriarchate Exarchate

St. Joseph home was built by the efforts of the previous parish priest Fr. Pierre Abdel Ahad (now the Syrian Catholic Patriarch in Beirut) in the year 1973 and was completed in the year 1976. It was intended to be an orphanage, to integrate with the parish school existing since the year 1925. It was transformed gradually to a pilgrims’ house with 80 beds in 37 rooms. A major expansion of the guesthouse is now going on to add another 14 double rooms. Recently a new lobby, a big lift, and added a new dining room.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 38 Rooms (Sgl: 5, Dbl: 22, Trp: 6, Qdp: 5)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Cafeteria
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Lecture Hall for 140 Persons
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Payment in Cash

450 Nativity Street,
PO Box 199, Bethlehem
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It was established in 1855, Sister Marian was the first local Sister of Nazareth. At first was opened as a school, later on, it was changed to be a guest house to welcome pilgrims. Since the very beginning the house has belonged to the religious of Nazareth. Guests can enjoy the view of the Basilica from their rooms.

**Guest House Facilities:**

- 46 Rooms (Sgl: 11, Dbl: 31, Trp: 4)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Soft Drinks
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Two Lecture Halls (one for 50 Persons and the other for 20 Persons)
- Air Condition
- Heating
- Bathrooms Inside Each Room
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash

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Stella Maris Pilgrim Centre
Discalced Carmelite Order
Carmelite Sisters of St. Therese de Florence

The “Stella Maris” center offers a warm welcome to pilgrims who visit the Holy Land. It also receives groups that wish to organize days of prayer and reflection. It has a wonderful Panorama of Haifa city which is on the Mediterranean Sea.

Guest House Facilities:
- 50 Rooms (Sgl: 14, Dbl: 29, Trp: 7)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Coffee Bar
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator
- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 60-80 Persons
- Air Condition
- Heating
- Telephones in Rooms
- TV Room
- Payment in Cash

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White Sisters
Franciscan Missionary Sisters of Mary

Franciscan de Marie guest house was opened in 1972. It was established by the Franciscan de Marie. The purpose was to help the pilgrims who visit the Holy Land and offer them accommodation. The house became a place where the pilgrims can rest, pray and receive help during their stay in Jerusalem.

Guest House Facilities:

- 29 Rooms (Sgl: 4, Dbl: 21, Trp:4)
- Full Board
- Dining Room
- Parking
- Bar
- Internet Service
- Chapel
- Elevator

- Garden
- Lecture Hall for 58 Persons
- Heating
- Air Condition
- Telephones in Rooms
- Service for Disabled
- Public Telephone
- Payment in Cash

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