Travel Itinerary



ANNUNCIATION GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH



CAN BOOK FLIGHTS (ADDITIONAL COST)

(19-31 Oct 2026)



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NILE CRUISE INCLUDED

Welcome to Egypt

Follow in the footsteps of the Holy Family, Alexander the Great and ancient Pharaohs

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TRAVEL WITH AKTIV PLANET



Why Choose Our Travel Package?



CUSTOMIZED ITINERARY

TAILORED EXPERIENCES TO DISCOVER EGYPT'S MUST-SEES AND DISCOVER A PART OF YOUR SPIRITUAL HERITAGE



LOCAL GUIDES

KNOWLEDGEABLE GUIDES WHO PROVIDE INSIGHTFUL COMMENTARY AND ASSISTANCE

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SEAMLESS TRAVEL

ENJOY A HASSLE-FREE JOURNEY WITH THIS PRIVATE AND CUSTOM-CRAFTED TRAVEL ADVENTURE

Egyptian Wonders



\$2,645 PER PERSON *



EGYPTIAN WONDERS: IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE HOLY FAMILY, ALEXANDER THE GREAT AND ANCIENT PHARAOHS

13 DAYS / 12 NIGHTS

- 8 nights in hotel and 4-night Nile cruise
- Daily breakfast and lunch in Cairo
- Full board on Nile cruise
- Visa (processing and cost of) and VIP Airport Service
- All activities, entrance fees as per itinerary
- Airport transfers and local transportation in private vehicle with driver and guide
- Domestic round-trip flights

* Price per person in double room/cabin

FLIGHTS

Rochester (ROC) - Cairo (CAI)

aktiv planet works with a reliable flight consolidator and can book group flights. Just ask us at info@aktivplanet.com

All travelers must arrive in Cairo on the same day. If you wish to arrive earlier, you will need to arrange your own transfers and hotel.

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EXCLUDES

- Dinners in Cairo
- Drinks
- Optional activities
- Personal expenses
- Travel insurance
- International flights
- Tips
- Single supplement: \$ TBD



DAY 1 - 19 October 2026

Arrival in Cairo

• Arrive at international airport and private transfer to your hotel

DAY 2 - 20 October 2026 Holy Family Sites in Cairo

- Church of the Virgin Mary in Maadi, where it is believed the Holy Family boarded a boat to Upper Egypt
- Church of Abu Serga in Old Cairo, one of the oldest Coptic churches, built on the spot where the Holy Family is believed to have rested
- Virgin Mary's Tree in Matareya, a sacred spot known for its historical and spiritual significance
- Church of the Virgin Mary in Ain Shams, another important site where the Holy Family is believed to have passed

Accommodation Hotel in Cairo (Panorama View pyramids Cairo Hotel OR Similar)









DAY 3 - 21 October 2026

Wadi El Natroun, the heart of monasticism in Egypt

- Anba Bishoy Monastery, where the saint's body remains intact
- St. Macarius Monastery, founded in the 4th century
- The Virgin Mary (Syrian) Monastery, famous for its ancient architecture and icons
- The Monastery of Baramos, known for its rich history and peaceful atmosphere

DAY 4 - 22 October 2026

Cairo

- Grand Egyptian Museum, the largest archaeological museum in the world
- Great Pyramid of Khufu
- Pyramids of Khafra & Menkaura
- Valley Temple of Khafra
- Great Sphinx

Accommodation Hotel in Cairo (Panorama View Pyramids Cairo Hotel OR Similar)



Meal

- Breakfast
- Lunch



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- Breakfast
- Lunch



DAY 5 - 23 October 2026

Cairo

- National Museum of Egyptian Civilization and its famous Royal Mummies Hall
- Old Cairo with its historic churches and ancient streets
- Salah Eldeen Citadel and the Alabaster Mosque of Muhammad Ali

DAY 6 - 24 October 2026

Alexandria

- Alexandria National Museum
- Catacombs of Kom El Shoqafa, a Roman burial site with a unique blend of Roman, Greek and Egyptian styles
- Bibliotheca Alexandrina and its two museums (the Manuscript Museum and the Antiquities Museum) and the Planetarium Science Center

Accommodation Hotel in Cairo (Panorama View pyramids Cairo Hotel OR Similar)



Meal

- Breakfast
- Lunch



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DAY 7 - 25 October 2026 Memphis, Sakkara, and old Cairo tour

- El Muallaga Church(4th-5th century), destroyed by an earthquake in the 9th, rebuilt in the 11th, served as the center of the Coptic Church of Egypt until the 14th century
- Ben Ezra Synagogue, built sometime between the 6th and 9th centuries, is a temple containing a Jewish Heritage Library
- Memphis, legendary city of Menes, the King who united Upper and Lower Egypt, founded around 3,100 BC
- Ancient site of Saqqara, home to the Step Pyramid of Djoser (the first pyramid ever built) and numerous tombs and monuments

DAY 8 - 26 October 2026

Travel to Luxor, East Bank Nile Cruise Sightseeing

- Early flight from Cairo to Louxor (included in your package)
- Karnak Temple, the largest cult temple ever built in Ancient Egypt
- Temple of Luxor

Accommodation Hotel in Cairo (Panorama View pyramids Cairo Hotel OR Similar) Nile cruise boat (5-star - highest level as per Egyptian norms)



Meal

- Breakfast
- Lunch



Meal

- Breakfast
- Lunch
- Dinner



DAY 9 - 27 October 2026

Luxor West Bank Tour

- Optional hot air balloon flight
- Valley of the Kings, including the unique two tombs of Rameses V & VI
- Mortuary Temple of Queen Hatshepsut
- Colossi of Memnon, the only standing monument of Amenhotep III's temple on the west bank of Thebes

DAY 10 28 October 2026

Edfu, Kom Ombo, Aswan

- Temple of Edfu, dedicated to the god Horus, built between 237-57 BCE and one of Egypt's best-preserved temples
- Temple of Kom Ombo, dedicated to the gods Sobek and Horus, built between 180 and 47 BCE
- Sailing on the Nile to reach Aswan

Accommodation Nile cruise boat (5-star - highest level as per Egyptian norms)

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- Dinner





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DAY 11 - 29 October 2026 Aswan

- Aswan High Dam
- Philae Temple, dedicated to the goddess Isis
- Felucca ride on the Nile + Nubian village optional tour
- Optional Sound and Light show

DAY 12 - 30 October 2026 Travel back to Cairo

- Optional Abu Simbel tour (we highly recommend discovering this site, which serves as a testament to Ramses II's legacy)
- Flight from Aswan to Cairo (included in your package)

DAY 13 - 31 October 2026 Departure

• Private transfer to the Cairo airport for your return back to the US

Accommodation

Nile cruise boat (5-star - highest level as per Egyptian norms) Hotel in Cairo (Panorama View pyramids Cairo Hotel OR Similar)

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- Lunch
- Dinner

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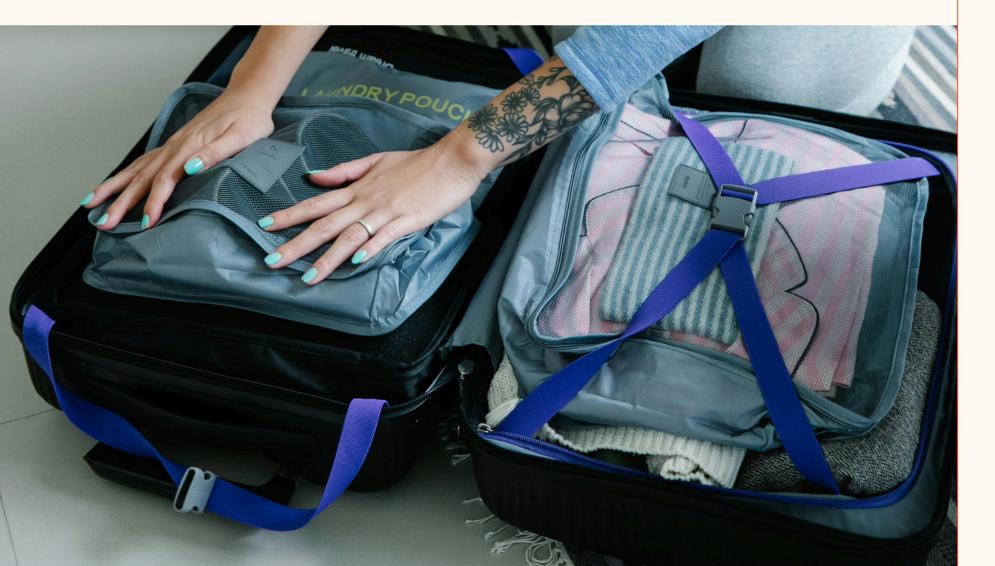






Travel Tips and Essentials

PACKING LIST AND MORE





We are delighted to handle your visa free of charge to you



Opt for loose, lightweight fabrics (cotton, linen) to stay comfortable. Pack long sleeves and long pants for visiting religious sites, like mosques and temples. A shawl or scarf for women can be helpful for covering your shoulders. Don't forget walking shoes, a widebrimmed hat, sunglasses and sunscreen



Egyptians are known for their hospitality. A handshake is common when meeting people and it's polite to greet with "As-Salaam-Alaikum" (Peace be upon you). Egypt is a conservative country: avoid public displays of affection; modest dress is appreciated

VISA REQUIREMENTS



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CULTURAL ETIQUETTE

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