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**Tue. June 12<sup>th</sup>** Depart Orlando for overnight flight to Ireland.

**Wed. June 13<sup>th</sup>** After arriving in Dublin you will complete customs and immigration formalities. Then your CIE Tours driver/guide will welcome you to Ireland and escort you and your luggage to the coach. We will begin our journey through Co. Wicklow to visit Glendalough, a 6<sup>th</sup> Century monastic ruins. We continue on to the medieval city of Kilkenny. We will check into our hotel and have plenty of time to relax and freshen up and explore this great city before meeting the group for dinner. **Hibernian Hotel, Kilkenny** 

Thurs. June 14<sup>th</sup> After breakfast we'll make the short drive to New Ross, Co. Wexford and visit the **Dunbrody Famine Ship**, a replica of a 19<sup>th</sup> century vessel that carried emigrants from Ireland. We continue on to the city of Waterford where we will tour the **House** of Waterford and see demonstrations of glassblowing and cutting.. We return to Kilkenny with the remainder of the afternoon free for exploring. Tonight we meet for dinner in our hotel. **Hibernian Hotel**,

Fri. June 15<sup>th</sup> This morning we make the drive to Dublin where we will join in the Eucharistic Congress

**Celebrations**. "Exploring Suffering and its Potential to Exclude and Isolate People. Mass with Anointing of the sick." After the celebrations we return to our hotel with time to relax before meeting for dinner. Westgrove Hotel, Clane

Sat. June 16<sup>th</sup> This morning we join the Eucahristic Congress Celebrations: "Exploring and Celebrating the Word of God which nourishes our Communion; Mary as a "hearer of the Word" par excellence". We will return to our hotel and relax before meeting for dinner. Westgrove Hotel,

**Sun. June 17<sup>th</sup>** Today we take part in the Closing Liturgy – This afternoon you will have some free time to explore Dublin on your own before returning to our hotel for dinner. **Westgrove Hotel** 

**Mon. June 18<sup>th</sup>** Depart this morning and head west through the midlands with a visit to **Clonmacnoise**, an ancient Monastic Site dating back to 545 AD. We continue on to Co. Mayo and visit the **Shrine in Knock** where the Blessed Mother, St. Joseph & St. John the Evangalist appeared in 1759 to a group of fifteen people. Here we will **celebrate Mass**. We then continue on to our final destination of Galway city. Tonight we will meet for dinner in our hotel. **Meyrick Hotel, Galway** 

**Tue. June 19<sup>th</sup>** You will have a free morning in Galway before we depart and drive through the **Burren**, an area of Limestone hills containing a wealth of rare flowers and prehistoric stone monuments. We continue on down the road to view the majestic **Cliffs of Moher**, an impressive wall of rocks rising 700 feet above the Atlantic stretching for five miles along the coast. Our final destination today is the lovely town of Ennis. Tonight we will enjoy a medieval banquet in **Bunratty Castle. Old Ground Hotel, Ennis** 

**Wed. June 20<sup>TH</sup>** We journey back today across the midlands to Tipperary and visit the stately 12<sup>th</sup> century **Rock of Cashel.** After our tour we will make a short visit to a local farm for tea and scones and a sheep dog demonstration. We complete our journey in Dublin where we will meet tonight for a farewell dinner. **BURLINGTON HOTEL** 

**Thurs. June 21<sup>st</sup>** Sadly today our journey together in Ireland ends. We make the short trip to Dublin airport with plenty of time for any last minute duty free shopping before boarding our flight back to the USA.

<u>Cost: \$3,099.00</u> per person departing from Orlando based on a minimum of 35 passengers. If we do not reach a minimum the tour may be cancelled or there will be a slight price adjustment. You will be notified 100 days prior to departure. Arrangements may be made to join us from other cities.

**<u>Single Supplement:</u>** A single room is available for an additional \$415.00

**Price Includes:** Roundtrip airfare from Orlando, Florida to Dublin, Ireland. Transport by luxury motorcoach with driver/guide for 9 days. Hotel accommodations at 4 star hotels for 8 nights; 8 full breakfasts; 8 dinners including Medieval banquet at Irish Castle. Visits and admissions to: Rock of Cashel, Dunbrody Emigrant Ship,House of Waterford Crystal, Glendalough, Clonmacnoise, Knock Shrine, Vist to Farmhouse for tea and scones and the Cliffs of Moher. Hotel porterage, service charges and government taxes; flight bags, ticket wallets, baggage tags and identifying strap.

**Trip Cancellation Insurance** is available for an additional \$179.00

#### Not Included:

Tickets for the Eucharistic Congress are an additional \$85.00 per person for three day event.

#### Tip to the driver

(recommended \$10 per person per day)

Deposit: \$250.00 per person is due immediately to secure a space.\$100 will become non-refundable.

# This tour is limited to the first 46 to sign up.

#### Deposit Deadline: Feb. 29 2012. Final Payment is due by March 25, 2010

If paying by check please make payable to Tours Galore and mail to: 8961 Lake Drive #303 Cape Canaveral, FL 32920 All major credit cards are accepted.

Please visit our website where you can download the registration form

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You can view full Eucharistic Congress Celebrations on their website: <u>www.iec2012.ie</u>

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