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The School of Evangelization is pleased to announce plans to participate at the 8th World Meeting of Families. All the faithful of the Diocese of Brooklyn are invited!

September 22 - 25*, 2015

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See option to extend your stay on the inside of this brochure.





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Love is Our Mission: The Family fully alive



Day 1 September 22, Tuesday: Depart for Philadelphia

Early morning, depart Brooklyn by private coach. Arrive at the Pennsylvania Convention Center in Philadelphia in time for Registration. Independent lunch with time to familiarize ourselves with the layout of the Convention Center.

This afternoon we will attend the Opening Ceremony, followed by Keynote Session A, *Living as the Image of God: Created for Joy and Love.* Participate at evening Mass. Independent dinner.

Overnight at Philadelphia Marriott West in Conshohocken.

Day 2 September 23, Wednesday: World Meeting of Families

Today's WMOF schedule is as follows:

8:30 – 10:00 am: **Mass**

10:30 am – 11:30 am: Keynote Session B - *The Light of the Family in a Dark World*.

11:45 am – 12:45 pm: Breakout Sessions

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm: Free time/Independent Lunch

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm: Keynote Session C - *Creating the Future: The Fertility of Christian Love.*

4:15 pm – 5:15 pm: Breakout Sessions

Independent dinner

Overnight at Philadelphia Marriott West in Conshohocken.

Day **3** September 24, Thursday: World Meeting of Families

Today's WMOF schedule is as follows: 8:30 – 10:00 am: **Mass** 10:30 am – 11:30 am: Keynote Session D - *A Gift From God: The Meaning of Human Sexuality.* 11:45 am – 12:45 pm: Breakout Sessions 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm: Free time/Independent Lunch 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm: Keynote Session E - *The Family: A Home for the Wounded Heart.* 4:15 pm – 5:15 pm: Breakout Sessions Independent dinner

Overnight at Philadelphia Marriott West in Conshohocken.

Day4 September 25, Friday: 8th WMOF Closing

8:30 – 10:00 am: **Mass**

10:30 am – 11:30 am: Keynote Session F - *The Joy of the Gospel of Life*.

11:45 am – 12:45 pm: Breakout Sessions

1:00 pm: Closing Ceremony

Closing Events include Festival of Families

Afternoon Optional Touring (*costs and logistics to be advised*): Philadelphia Museum of Art, The Barnes Foundation, The Liberty Bell Center at Independence Hall, City Hall, National Constitution Center, The Franklin Institute, Please Touch Museum (for children), Fairmount Park, Philadelphia Zoo, Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel.

This evening, we will celebrate family life together with the leadership of the Diocese of Brooklyn. Enjoy a festive group dinner at a restaurant in Philadelphia.

Overnight at Philadelphia Marriott West in Conshohocken.

Day **5** September 26, Saturday: Festival of Families

8th WMOF events include today's Festival of Families, an intercultural celebration of family life around the world. Afternoon optional visits to Places of Worship: Cathedral

Basilica of Saints Peter and Paul, The Archdiocesan Shrine of Saint Gianna Beretta Molla, National Shrine of St John Neumann, National Shrine of St Katherine Drexel, National Shrine of St Rita of Cascia, Miraculous Medal Shrine (*details to come in Spring 2015*).

Overnight at Philadelphia Marriott West in Conshohocken.

Day **6** September 27, Sunday: Papal Mass

This morning's Papal Mass will take place on the Benjamin Franklin Parkway in the heart of Philadelphia. Today, attend Mass with our Holy Father, Pope Francis (*The Papal visit has been confirmed by the Vatican*).

Afternoon at leisure in Philadelphia.

Overnight at Philadelphia Marriott West in Conshohocken.

Day 7 September 28, Monday: Depart for home

<u>Package Option I</u> Tuesday, 9/22 - Friday 9/25, 2015 WMOF Congress Only (3-nights) Adult: ^{\$1} ,045.00 per person double occupancy Child: ^{\$920.00} per person double occupancy Single Room Supplement: \$695 • Reduction for Triple/Quad TBA	 Travel Package Options I & II Include: One round trip motor coach transfer: Brooklyn/Phila./Brooklyn. <u>Option I:</u> Three (3) night's accommodation based on double occupancy at The Philadelphia Marriott West, Conshohocken. <u>Option II:</u> Six (6) night's accommodation based on double occupancy at The Philadelphia Marriott West, Conshohocken. <u>WMOF Adult Registration</u> (Early Registration by 4/30 is \$250 per person over 18 years of age. Adult Congress Registration package includes a \$100.00 Debit Card to use during the Congress) WMOF Child Registration (\$125 per person ages 6 - 17) Participation in Opening and Closing communics of the 8th WMOE
ALL PRICING IS BASED ON A <u>MINIMUM OF 30 PAYING</u> PARTICIPANTS. IF GROUP DOES NOT REACH THIS NUMBER, THE PRICE OR PROGRAMMING MAY BE ADJUSTED.	 Participation in Opening and Closing ceremonies of the 8th WMOF SEPTA Train Pass (for daily transfers to/from Convention Center). WMOF Welcome Kit Participation in various workshops (schedule will be provided) Festive Group Dinner, together Diocesan Families and Leadership. Porterage of one piece of luggage per person at hotels. Gratuities to coach driver. Portfolio of travel documents, for each participant.
Package Option II *Final Dates and Hotel Rates for Option II will be confirmed in January 2015. Tuesday, 9/22 - Monday 9/28, 2015* WMOF Congress + Weekend (6-nights) Adult: \$1,795.00* per person double occupancy Child: \$1,670.00* per person double occupancy Single Room Supplement: \$1,445* • Reduction for Triple/Quad TBA	 Fortiono of traver documents, for each participant. <u>Items not included in Options I & II:</u> Health, trip cancellation/interruption or baggage insurance. All are strongly recommended. Peter's Way offers a comprehensive policy at additional cost. Private coach transfers to/from Convention Center are not included. Tour Manager (Services of a Tour Manager/Escort are not included) Items of a personal nature (hotel extras, laundry, phone calls, etc.). Meals not specified in the program. Optional Guided Tours (to be advised).
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I would like to partipate in the 8th World Meetin Please select ONE Package Optio	g of Families with the Diocese of Brooklyn Group

Please select ONE Package Option for each Registrant and mail a completed enrollment form for each participant traveling with the signed credit card authorization <u>or deposit by check made payable to</u>: **Peter's Way Tours Inc.** 500 North Broadway - Suite 221 • Jericho, New York 11753

> E-mail: __ Pastor:

Adult Roommate:

Name of child in room:

Full First / Middle / Last Name: ____

FAMILIES

MEETING OF

2015 Philadelphia

Date of birth: (month/day/year)		(Male	/ Female)
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:_	
Home Phone:	Mobile		
Parish/Town:			

Signature:__

(Signature of parent or guardian of child)

Payment Schedule & Optional Travel Insurance

Enclosed is my/our deposit of \$250.00 per person

(Plus Insurance Premium of \$100 or \$175 if "Yes" is checked below.)

Deposit (\$250.00): January 15, 2015

2nd Payment* (\$500.00): March 6, 2015

Balance Due: July 6, 2015

*Enrollments after March 6, 2015 are not guaranteed hotel space.

Peter's Way Travel Insurance:

Travel Protection Plan payment: For a "Total Package Price" from \$0.00 - \$1,500.00 the cost of Peter's Way Travel Insurance is \$100.00 per person; from \$1,501.00 - \$52,500.00 the cost of Peter's Way Travel Insurance is \$175.00 per person. See T&C for Land Only rates. **Pre-existing conditions** will be covered if your insurance premium is received with your deposit or within 21 days from the date of the Peter's Way Tours "Tour Deposit Acknowledgement Letter".

Peter's Way Travel Insurance Upgrade:

(Yes_/No_)

(Yes_/No_)

For an additional \$100.00 you may upgrade to Cancel for any Reason: By purchasing the Cancel For Any Reason upgrade, you can cancel up to 2 days prior to departure and receive reimbursement of up to 75% of your total tour costs. Plan payment for the upgrade must be received with your insurance premium at the time of deposit or within 15 days from the date of the Peter's Way Tours "Tour Deposit Acknowledgement Letter".

□Package Option I □Package Option II □Adult □Child

Name of child in room:

Credit Card Authorization

I, _______, authorize Peter's Way Tours Inc. to charge \$250 per person deposit <u>plus</u> insurance premium, <u>if applicable</u>, and subsequent payments to the following credit card:

Card Type: (please check one) **VISA MC AMEX DISCOVER**

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Security Code: _____

Name on Card: ____

Billing Address:

Participant Name(s):____

(if different from cardholder)

*If the amount charged applies to more than one participant, please specify names. I accept all terms and conditions as noted in this brochure.

Signature:_

PAYMENT: Deposits and insurance payments will be accepted in the form of check, money order or credit card. If final payment is not received by the balance deadline, Peter's Way Tours reserves the right to cancel your reservation.

CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS: From the time your deposit is received up to March 6, 2015, there is a \$100.00 nonrefundable cancellation fee per person. From March 7, 2015 to July 6, 2015, there is a \$250.00 nonrefundable cancellation fee per child and \$375.00 nonrefundable cancellation fee per adult. From July 6, 2015 to departure, the cancellation fee is 100% of all payments made per person including Congress Registration, single supplement, travel insurance payments and any other costs incurred. Travel insurance is offered as protection for cancellations due to medical reasons such as illness or injury, please see TRAVEL INSURANCE. Travel insurance payments are nonrefundable upon receipt. Refund requests can only be honored when submitted in writing to Peter's Way Tours. All refund requests are subject to cancellation restrictions as set forth above. No refund will be made for any accommodations or services included in the tour that you do not use.

NAME CHANGES: Name changes will be permitted up until June 30, 2015. There will be a \$50 cancellation fee per individual registration or \$100 per family cancellation. From July 1, 2015 until departure, no name changes will be permitted.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: All participants must have a valid government issued photo ID.

TRANSFERS AND PORTERAGE: Round-trip motor coach transfers are included. Porterage of one piece of luggage throughout your tour at hotels is also included.

ACCOMMODATIONS/SINGLE TRAVELERS: Price per person is based on two persons sharing twin bedded rooms with private facilities in hotels throughout your tour. Triple and Quad rooms are available for families. Contact Peter's Way Tours for information regarding cost reduction for Triple and Quad accommodations. Single rooms may be requested at time of booking but cannot be guaranteed. If a single room is confirmed, the additional cost per person for Option I is \$695.00, and or Option II, \$1,445.00 per person. We will make every effort (if you so desire) to match you with a same gender roommate when we receive your application, but we do not guarantee a roommate can be matched. If a single room must be assigned due to your roommate's cancellation, incompatibility or for any other reason we must charge you the tour's single supplement or pro-rated amount.

MEALS: Festive Group Dinner at a restaurant in Philadelphia. All other meals are on your own.

GRATUITIES & SERVICE CHARGES: Gratuities for your coach driver are included in the package price. Other gratuities are usually handled individually. All service charges and local taxes as imposed by hotels are included in the program rate. Although service charges are included, it is customary to leave \$ 1.00 per person per day for the maid/bell boys.

TRAVELER HEALTH ADVISORY: All passengers must ensure that they are medically and physically fit for travel and that such traveling will not endanger themselves or others as our pilgrimages entail a lot of walking, which may involve stairs, hills, cobblestone roads and uneven pavement. Additionally, most motor coaches are not equipped with wheelchair ramps. It is each passenger's responsibility to be aware of his or her limits with regard to travel and group activities. Any person with a disability requiring special attention must advise Peter's Way Tours of the situation at time of enrollment. A qualified companion must accompany any passenger requiring special assistance. Peter's Way Tours will make reasonable attempts to accommodate disabled passengers with special needs, but shall not be held responsible in the event we are unable to do so. Moreover, Peter's Way Tours is not responsible for the denial of services by any carriers, hotels, restaurants, or other independent suppliers.

DISCLAIMER OF RESPONSIBILITY: Peter's Way Tours is only acting as intermediary and agent for the suppliers identified on this, or any accompanying documents, in selling services, or in accepting reservations or bookings for services that are not directly supplied by Peter's Way Tours (such hotel accommodations, ground transportation, meals, tours, etc.). Peter's Way Tours shall not be responsible for breach of contract, bankruptcy or any intentional or careless actions or omissions on the part of such suppliers, which result in any loss, damage, delay, or injury to any traveler, travel companions or group member. Peter's Way Tours shall not be held responsible for any changes made in the schedule of liturgies throughout the pilgrimage or any changes in the Vatican Calendar and the appearance of the Holy Father for the WMOF Congress and Papal Masses. Unless the term "guaranteed" is specifically written on the ticket, invoice or reservation itinerary, Peter's Way does not guarantee any supplier's rates, bookings or reservations. Peter's Way Tours shall not be responsible for any injuries, damages, or losses caused to any traveler in connection with terrorist activities, social or labor unrest, airline strikes, mechanical or construction difficulties, diseases, local laws, climatic conditions, abnormal conditions or developments, or any other actions, omissions, or conditions outside Peter's Way Tours control. By embarking upon the trip, the traveler voluntarily assumes all risks involved with such travel, whether expected or unexpected. The traveler is hereby warned of such risks and is advised to obtain appropriate insurance coverage against them. A signed enrollment form shall constitute consent to the above terms and conditions and an agreement on the traveler's part to convey the contents of this disclaimer to your travel companions and group members.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: It is strongly recommended that all participants purchase insurance when they travel since the tour operator is not responsible for non-refundable payments, damaged luggage or trip interruption. Peter's Way Tours offers an optional Passenger Travel Protection Plan. These benefits and services help insure the well being of the passenger while traveling worldwide. The plan payments are based on total package price, including taxes, fuel surcharges, single supplements, deviation fees, late charges, etc. The plan payment for total package prices from \$0.00 to \$1,500.00 is \$100; and \$1,501.00 to \$2,500.00. If the plan payment is made at the time of deposit or within 21 days from the date of the Peter's Way Tours "Tour Deposit Acknowledgement Letter," the passenger will be covered for preexisting conditions. However, the insurance plan can be purchased at any time thereafter, excluding coverage for pre-existing conditions, until final payment has been made. Plan payments will not be accepted after final payment has been made. All plan payments are nonrefundable. If you choose to extend your stay or embark on a pre-tour program, travel insurance can be purchased for an additional \$4.00 per day. Additional coverage needs to be requested. The insurance plan will not automatically be extended. The extended insurance plan will only cover pre-paid arrangements made through Peter's Way Tours. The Passenger Travel Protection Plan includes coverage for the following: trip cancellation/interruption/delay, baggage/personal effects, emergency evacuation, repatriation, accident/sickness medical expenses, accidental death dismemberment & 24-hour Emergency Assistance Services. These benefits and services are provided by Seven Corners, Inc. Upon claim approval, reimbursement is up to 100% of the non-refundable payments for your trip. Cancellation For Any Reason upgrade can be added to your policy for an additional \$100.00. This includes reasons for cancellation not otherwise covered by the regular policy. You can cancel up to 2 days prior to departure and receive reimbursement of up to 75% of the non-refundable payments for your trip. Payments must be received for the upgrade with your insurance premium at the time of deposit or within 15 days from the date of the Peter's Way Tours "Tour Deposit Acknowledgement Letter". PLEASE NOTE: For complete details of coverage, terms, conditions, exclusions, and pre-existing conditions for the insurance protection provided, refer to the Description of Coverage, which you will receive with your travel documents. If you need further information, please call Seven Corners, Inc. at 1-800-371-0926 or 317-575-2656 and ask for Customer Service. Travel insurance is underwritten by United States Fire Insurance Company, Eatontown, NJ under policy number FSG12-120116-01RT.