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10 DAYS • 13 MEALS • GDANSK > KRAKÓW

PRIDE OF POLAND

Tour Dates: September 14-23, 2027

From Gdansk's "Royal Way" to the longest pier in Europe; from the vibrant, historic capital of Warsaw to Kraków's charming Old Town with its Market Square and 16th-century Cloth Hall, you'll see it all on this Mayflower holiday. Visit historic castles, beautiful cathedrals and sites of great religious significance. And journey to Auschwitz and the Kazimierz Jewish District to gain insight into a painful period in Polish History. You'll truly experience the Pride of Poland during this ten-day adventure.





Gdansk, Poland

DAY 1 Depart the USA

Depart the USA on your overnight flight to Gdansk, Poland.

DAY 2 Gdansk, Poland

Upon arrival, you'll be met by a Mayflower Cruises & Tours representative and transferred to your hotel. Flights should arrive by 3:30pm. The remainder of the day is free for you to relax or explore on your own. Tonight, join your Tour Manager and fellow travelers for dinner. [Meal: D](#)

DAY 3 Gdansk / Gdynia / Sopot

After breakfast, a tour of Gdansk will familiarize you with Lech Walesa - the Solidarity activist and winner of the Nobel Peace Prize. Walk along the "Royal Way", see the 17th-century Golden Gate, the Neptune Fountain situated in front of the Artus Court, and the City Hall, which dates back to the 14th and 15th centuries. Visit St. Mary's Church, the largest Gothic church in Poland, before traveling to Sopot for a walk along the longest pier in Europe. Your journey continues to Gdynia, whose harbor is home to many ships open to the public. The destroyer *Blyskawica* is a national treasure and the only remaining ship built before World War II, and the *Dar Pomorza* is a Polish sailing

frigate now preserved as a museum ship. Return to the hotel in Gdansk after a day of exploration. [Meal: B](#)

DAY 4 Gdansk – Malbork – Warsaw

The day begins as you travel to Malbork to visit the Castle of the Teutonic Knights, a mighty Gothic fortress built in the 13th and 14th centuries and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. An outstanding example of medieval defensive and residential architecture, the area consists of three castles surrounded by separate fortifications. After exploration of the castle, continue on to Warsaw, the largest city in Poland. Dinner is included this evening. [Meals: B, D](#)

DAY 5 Warsaw

Steeped in history, Warsaw is one of the most strategic cities in Europe. Discover this capital city on an included full-day excursion. Stroll along the Royal Way to view some of the most beautiful sites in the Old Town and quaint Market Square. Pass St. John's Cathedral and visit the Royal Castle, faithfully restored to its pre-World War II splendor and retaining many of its original furnishings. Formerly the official residence of Poland's kings and home of the Parliament, it now houses the Castle Museum. During the visit to the Warsaw Rising Museum, an architectural monument from the early 20th century, see how the interior multimedia effects bring the reality of the insurgence to life. Lakes, pavilions, mansions, an Observatory, the Orangery, formal manicured gardens, and a multitude of palaces await your discovery during the visit to Lazienki Park. The statue of Frederic Chopin, built to honor Warsaw's favorite son, is another highlight in the park. After a full day of touring, the evening is yours to experience Warsaw on your own. [Meal: B](#)

DAY 6 Warsaw – Częstochowa – Kraków

After breakfast, depart for the charming town of Kraków. Along the way, lunch is included at a local restaurant followed by a visit to the famed Monastery of Jasna Góra in Częstochowa – the third largest Catholic pilgrimage site in the world and the national shrine of Poland. The miraculous icon of Our Lady of Częstochowa is housed in the Chapel of the Black Madonna. For centuries, the Polish people have believed that this reverent painting holds supernatural powers. Check into the hotel in Kraków and enjoy an evening at leisure. [Meals: B, L](#)



Castle of the Teutonic Knights, Malbork



DAY 7 Kraków

Kraków is the former capital of Poland, the home of the late Pope John Paul II and the only major city in Poland to remain unscathed by World War II. Meander along the cobblestone lanes on a walking tour through the Old Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. See the Market Square, the biggest in Europe, which is home to Cloth Hall - the world's oldest 'shopping mall'. Visit St. Mary's Church where the fireman trumpeter plays the Kraków Hejnal (bugle call) daily at noon. Wawel Castle, coronation site of Polish monarchs, perched atop a hill, overlooks the Vistula River. As you visit Wawel Cathedral, get up close to the Sigismund Bell, the largest bell in Poland, and enjoy a wonderful view of the Old Town from the tower. This afternoon enjoy an included visit to the Wieliczka Salt Mine, another UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the most famous attractions near Kraków. Walk through 20 chambers on three underground levels to explore the amazing grottoes of crystalline carvings, the subterranean lake with stunning colors and the Chapel of St. Kinga, an impressive "cathedral" with every feature carved out of solid salt. Meal: B

DAY 8 Kazimierz / Auschwitz

Today's journey takes you to the Auschwitz-Birkenau Concentration Camp Museum of Martyrdom. Between 1940 and 1945 more than one million prisoners perished in the gas chambers of this Nazi concentration camp. In 1947, the Polish government preserved these grounds as a State Museum and in 1979 it also became a UNESCO World Heritage Site, symbolizing the horrors of the Holocaust. The visit includes a film showing the camp's liberation, the flower-strewn Death Wall, national memorials, the railway line and the remains of hundreds of barracks, all of which constitute a moving testimony to the number of lives lost. This afternoon, visit the Kazimierz District which showcases the historic center of Jewish culture since the 16th century. The main attractions of the district are Szeroka Street (where *Schindler's List* was filmed); Isaac, High and Old Synagogues; Remu'h Synagogue and its cemetery and the "Pod Orlem" (Eagle) Pharmacy. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner. Meals: B, D

DAY 9 Zakopane

Depart on a scenic full-day excursion to Zakopane, capital of the Tatra Mountains, and well known for its unique wooden architecture. Visit the village of Chocholow, famous for its highlander architecture, where you'll taste the traditional sheep cheese Oscypek in one of the shepherd's huts. A lunch of typical highlander cuisine is provided at a local restaurant before returning to Kraków. Meals: B, L



TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- 13 Meals: 8 breakfasts, 2 lunches and 3 dinners
- Airport transfers on tour dates when air is provided by Mayflower Cruises & Tours
- Two nights in Gdansk
- Full-day sightseeing tour of Gdansk with visits to St. Mary's Church and Sopot Pier
- Visit to the Castle of the Teutonic Order of Knights in Malbork
- Two nights in Warsaw
- Full-day sightseeing tour of Warsaw with visits to the Royal Castle and Warsaw Rising Museum
- A visit to Częstochowa to visit Jasna Góra, the most important Marian shrine in Poland
- Four nights in Kraków
- Walking tour of Kraków with a local, English-speaking guide with visits to Wawel Cathedral and St. Mary's Church
- Included excursion to the Wieliczka Salt Mine
- Included excursion to the Auschwitz-Birkenau Concentration Camp Museum
- Visit to the Jewish Quarter of Kazimierz
- Discover unique architecture and local flavors in the scenic town of Zakopane

DAY 10 Kraków / USA

This morning, transfer to Kraków Airport for your flight home. All too soon your adventure comes to an end but you'll bring back memories of Poland's history, charm and beauty to last a lifetime. Meal: B

Itinerary subject to change.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Days 2 and 3 - Mercure Stare Miasto, Gdansk, Poland

Days 4 and 5 - Hotel Polonia Palace, Warsaw, Poland

Days 6 through 9 - Vienna House Andels, Kraków, Poland

PRIDE OF POLAND



Old Town Warsaw

Pride of Poland		Tour Code 562PP
2027 Departure Date	Per Person Twin	Single Room add
September 14	\$4,999	+ \$1,929

Pricing includes local Little Falls area pickup (w/10), round trip MSP air, land package, hotel baggage handling, 13 meals, professional tour manager and hosted by Kim!

Air itineraries may not be available until documents are received. Air seats are assigned by the airline for the entire group and may not be available until airport check-in. Seat changes can only be attempted at the airport and may not be possible. If specific seat assignments are vital to your reservation, we recommend booking air on your own rather than booking air with the group.



Upgrade Your Flights To Business Class from An Additional \$6,000 per person*

*Upgrades must be purchased at least 120 days prior to departure and are subject to availability. Some domestic flights within the United States and Europe may require travel in Economy class. If our contracted levels of business class are sold out, we will advise of the price of published fares, if available, at time of confirmation and before purchase. Business Class must be ticketed immediately and is non-refundable.

Travelers Protection Plan (TPP)– \$449 per person OPTIONAL

This nonrefundable fee waives all cancellation fees when we are notified of cancellation one day before the tour departs. If you must leave the tour early due to personal illness, illness or death of a member of your immediate family, TPP guarantees full refund for any unused services after the departure of the tour. Other benefits include medical expenses for illness and injury, emergency transportation, 24 hour hot line, and lost or stolen baggage assistance. Return air transportation is included ONLY if your air tickets were provided by Mayflower Cruises & Tours. If you purchase the optional Travelers Protection Plan (TPP), you will be refunded all payments, including deposit amount, less the TPP premium amount.

Cancellation Charges Without Traveler's Protection Plan (TPP)

- 91 days or more: Deposit Amount
- 90 to 45 days prior: 20% of tour cost
- 44 to 15 day prior: 30% of tour cost
- 14 to 1 day prior: 50% of tour cost
- Day 1 of departure or early departure from tour: 100% of tour cost
- No refund on unused portions of the tour

Exclusions: Mayflower Cruises & Tours reserves the right to alter its refund and cancellation policy when a substantial amount of cancellation or postponement of travel is attributable to: conditions resulting from an act of God, natural or man-made disaster, fire, government action, civil disorder, war, hostilities between nations, or unavailability of transportation through no fault of Mayflower Cruises & Tours.

FOR RESERVATIONS OR INFORMATION CONTACT:

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RESERVATION FORM – WORLD HOLIDAYS



Tour: _____ Departure Date: _____

Group Name: _____ Group Number: _____

For Reservations Contact: _____

IMPORTANT: Please print your name **EXACTLY** as it appears on your **passport**. We require a copy of your passport at the time of initial reservation or no later than two (2) weeks after making your reservation. Name corrections, after final payment due date, or after tickets have been issued, will result in additional fees being assessed.

Today's Date: _____

YOUR INFORMATION: (Please print your name **EXACTLY** as it appears on your passport)

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Salutation (Mr., Mrs., Rev): _____ Preferred name on nametag: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Email Address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Date of Issue (m/d/y): _____ Date of Expiration (m/d/y): _____

Place of Issue (Authority): _____ Nationality: _____ Global Entry/TSA # _____

Date of Birth (m/d/y): _____ Place of Birth: _____ Gender: Male Female

Passport photo page attached/included with reservation form.

EMERGENCY CONTACT: (Please provide contact information of person **NOT** traveling with you)

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Cell Phone #: _____ Home Phone #: _____

AIR AND ROOMING INFORMATION:

Departure airport: _____ Mayflower Air Writing Own Air

Food Allergies or Special Dietary Requirements: Yes No

Are you bringing a Sleep Apnea Machine: Yes No

Are you bringing any Mobility Aids: Yes No

(If you checked YES to any of the above, you are required to fill out the corresponding information form.)

ROOM CATEGORY:

Single (Select one bed *or* two beds) **Twin** (two beds) **Double** (one bed) **Guaranteed Share**

Rooming with: _____ **Please complete separate reservation form for traveling companion.**

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

By placing a deposit, you understand and accept the terms and conditions of Mayflower Cruises and Tours and Scenic Group.

Purchasing Travelers Protection Plan (TPP): Yes No

Travelers Protection Plan Amount: \$ _____

Deposit Amount: \$ _____ + Travelers Protection Plan: \$ _____ = Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Final Payment Due By: _____ Make Checks Payable To: _____

Mail Deposit To: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Mail Final Payment To: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

CREDIT CARD INFORMATION:

If you would like to make your deposit by credit card, please provide the information to your group leader who will make your payment directly to Mayflower. VISA, MC, and Discover are accepted.

2027 WORLD HOLIDAYS

Booking Conditions

Payments: All deposits and final payments can be made by check or credit card. We accept the following credit cards: Visa, MasterCard and Discover.

Prices Subject to Change: We reserve the right to vary itineraries and prices and substitute facilities, hotels or events of equal or better quality if necessary.

Guaranteed Share Program for Single Travelers: If you are traveling alone and would like a roommate for cost savings, let us know at the time of booking your reservation. Travelers must be non-smokers, cannot use a medical sleeping device or have specific needs like Handicapped room etc. to be eligible. Participants will be paired with another traveler of the same gender at the twin rate. If no roommate is available, you will get a single room at the twin rate. Guaranteed share reservations are available up to 180 days prior to tour departure and based on availability.

Roommate Cancellation: If you are booked as a "twin" and your roommate cancels their reservation, and you cannot find another roommate, you may either travel as a guaranteed share (see above) or travel as a single and pay the single supplement.

Health and Walking on Tour: Some sites visited have limited motorcoach access and may involve considerable walking, stairs or inclines. Travelers should be in reasonably good health. Some programs include destinations in higher elevations that may have varying effects on individual travelers. Tour Managers and Coach Drivers cannot lift or assist travelers into transportation vehicles. Mayflower Cruises & Tours requires that persons requiring assistance be accompanied by a companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the assistance.

Revision Fees: A fee of \$25 per person per transaction will be charged for any changes, revisions or alterations made to your reservation after confirmation.

Luggage Handling: The tour cost includes portage for one average size suitcase. A charge of \$5.00 per hotel will be collected by the Tour Manager for each additional piece of luggage that you bring.

Travel Documents: Your travel documents will be in your possession approximately 14 days prior to departure. Documents include tour itinerary, departure and arrival information and times, hotel information, clothing suggestions, baggage tags, plus any helpful hints.

Mayflower Loyalty Program: Earn \$100 travel credit for every World Holiday taken with Mayflower Cruises & Tours. No restrictions on the amount of credits an individual can acquire. Loyalty Credits can be applied to any reservation traveling within one year of the return of the tour they were earned on. Multiple credits can be used on a single tour. Credits are nontransferable but can be combined with Mayflower promotional savings. Some restrictions apply, call for details.

Smoke Free Environment: Although smoking is not allowed on the motorcoach, frequent rest/smoking stops are made.

Travelers with Special Needs: You must advise Mayflower at the time your booking is made of any disability requiring special attention. Mayflower will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of our travelers. Be aware that the Americans with Disabilities Act is applicable only within the United States and that accommodations for disabled travelers outside the United States may be more limited. If a traveler requires assistance, we require that he/she be accompanied by a companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the assistance. Neither Mayflower personnel, nor its suppliers, may lift or physically assist travelers. If a traveler thinks he/she might need assistance during a trip, he/she should call Mayflower to determine what assistance might reasonably be provided. If special arrangements are provided, and these arrangements add to the Tour Operator's cost, the Tour Member will be responsible to pay the additional costs. Mayflower cannot provide special individual assistance to travelers with special

needs for walking, dining or other routine activities. Travelers requesting a handicapped room cannot be booked with Guaranteed Share accommodations.

Membership: Mayflower reserves the right to withhold tour membership, or to require any traveler to leave a tour at any time, when such action is determined by Mayflower to be in the best interests of the traveler or the tour group. Children must be at least 10 years of age and accompanied by a guardian at all times.

Force Majeure: Except where otherwise expressly stated in these terms and conditions we cannot accept liability or pay any compensation where the performance or prompt performance of our obligations under our contract with you is prevented or affected by or you otherwise suffer any damage, loss or expense of any nature as a result of Force Majeure. "Force Majeure" means any event which we or the supplier of the services in question could not, even with all due care, foresee or avoid.

Responsibility: These tour programs are operated by Mayflower Cruises & Tours, Inc. 650 Warrenville Rd. Suite 500, Lisle, IL 60532. In common with other companies, Mayflower acts only as an agent for Tour Members in arranging room accommodations, transportation, sightseeing, admissions and restaurants. Mayflower reserves the right in its sole discretion to make changes in the itinerary and is not responsible for expenses, loss of time, money or other occurrence resulting from a change of tour scheduling made for Tour Members. Mayflower reserves the right to accept, decline or retain any person as a member of the tour, and is not responsible for any losses or damages of personal property, or for injuries, expenses or damages incurred by any Tour Member.

United States Tour Operators Association \$1 Million Travelers Assistance Program: Mayflower Cruises & Tours, Inc., shares the coverage available under the United States Tour Operators Association ("USTOA") \$1 Million Travelers Assistance Program with affiliates of Mayflower Cruises & Tours who, as an Active Member of the USTOA is required to post \$1 Million with USTOA to be used to reimburse, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the USTOA Travelers Assistance Program, the advance payments of Mayflower Cruises & Tours travelers in the unlikely event of Mayflower Cruises & Tours bankruptcy, insolvency or cessation of business. Further, you should understand that the \$1 Million posted by Mayflower Cruises & Tours may be sufficient to provide only a partial recovery of the advance payments received by Mayflower Cruises & Tours. Complete details of the USTOA Travelers Assistance Program and a list of affiliates may be obtained by writing to USTOA at 345 Seventh Avenue, Suite 1801, New York, NY 10001, or by email to information@ustoa.com or by visiting www.ustoa.com.

Tour Activity Level: Travelers should be in reasonably good health. Please consult your physician for pre-departure health advice.

1. This program has a leisurely pace with minimal activity such as climbing stairs, boarding the motorcoach and walking within the hotels.
2. Average physical activity on this program requires the ability to climb stairs and walk reasonable distances, sometimes over uneven surfaces.
3. A blend of longer and shorter touring days with walking tours. Expect more of the touring to be over uneven surfaces and involve more stairs.
4. Longer touring days with more walking tours mixed with some periods of standing. Expect more of the touring to be over uneven surfaces and involve stairs.
5. A more physical touring experience based on the destination. Involves longer walking tours, on uneven surfaces, may involve inclines, stair climbing, windy or wet conditions at sites and periods of standing. Expect some of the experiences to occur during the evening.

Payment Information

Listed below is a schedule of deposit and final payment due dates. You will note that the first category includes an optional Travelers Protection Plan (TPP). Within five business days of making your reservation, you must make your initial trip deposit. Once your trip

deposit is made, you then have 24 hours to add on the Optional TPP if you choose to purchase. Please see "Travel Protection Plan (TPP)" section on the next page for further explanation of this offering. Rates below represent the F431L plan.

WORLD HOLIDAYS DEPOSIT SCHEDULE:

Land tour price up to \$3,500

Land Tour with Air*	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$649	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

Land Tour Only	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$599	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

DEPOSIT SCHEDULE: Land tour price from \$3,501 and up

Land Tour with Air*	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$699	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

Land Tour Only	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$649	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

DEPOSIT SCHEDULE: Wonders of Australia and New Zealand

Land Tour with Air*	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$749	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

Land Tour Only	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$649	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

DEPOSIT SCHEDULE: Wonders of Australia and New Zealand with Post-trip North Island Optional Extension

Land Tour with Air*	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$849	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

Land Tour Only	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$749	90 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	90 Days

DEPOSIT SCHEDULE: Japan - Land of the Rising Sun (F431G ONLY)

Land Tour with Air*	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$819	120 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	120 Days

Land Tour Only	Deposit Per Person	Final Payment
With TPP Coverage	\$819	120 Days
Without TPP Coverage	\$250	120 Days

Refund and Cancellation Policy

Payments for land and air arrangements, ticketed by Mayflower Tours & Cruises (less the deposit amount) will be refunded when cancellations are received prior to the final payment due date noted above. The Refund and Cancellation Policy is offered by Mayflower Tours & Cruises and is separate from the Travel Protection Plan.

If it is necessary to cancel your reservation, and you meet the reimbursement terms under Part A of the F431L plan, you may be refunded all payments, including the deposit amount, less the TPP plan cost. For full coverage and cancellation details, please go to www.tripmate.com/wpf431L.

*Excludes Japan - Land of the Rising Sun. If you booked the Japan - Land of the Rising Sun and purchased the F431G Travel Protection Plan please visit www.tripmate.com/wpf431G for full coverage and cancellation details.