

*See first-hand what a ‘baptized’ culture can be, experience the continuity, warmth, and hospitality of the Orthodox faithful in dynamic, historic Romania—*



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## “SPIRITUAL TREASURES OF ORTHODOX ROMANIA 6.0”—



*A Unique Pilgrimage—*

**15-29 May 2024**

“Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also” (Matt 6:21). Holy Archangels Orthodox Mission in Annapolis, MD is offering a unique pilgrimage to all those desiring to strengthen their faith in Christ and see and experience the riches of the spiritual legacy of the Orthodox Church in Romania.



### The Pilgrimage Leader

The Rev. Fr. Robert Miclean is pastor of Holy Archangels Orthodox Church in Annapolis, MD and is OCF Chaplain at the U.S. Naval Academy and St. John’s College, where he has served for twenty years. Fr. Robert has led pilgrimages and mission trips to Romania, the land of his forefathers, since 2011 and enjoys sharing with others the riches of Romanian Orthodox spirituality and helping all to grow in the love of Christ. He, his wife and six children live on “Terra Dulcis” farm in Denton, MD.



### Be Refreshed in Christ and the Holy Orthodox Faith

Focus more on Christ and grow in your faith. Experience the spiritual treasures of Orthodox Romania! Be inspired by the Romanian people and the Saints of the Church. Visit some of the most beautiful churches, monasteries in the world. Experience Romanian hospitality, learn to love more as Christ loves. Venerate the relics of the Saints, wonder-working icons. Be strengthened to witness to the truth of Christ upon your return.

**Dates:** 15-29 May 2024

**Cost:** \$3,975/\$3,825 for accompanying spouse/child, **assumes double-occupancy** and is valid for registrations received by 15 Feb. with half of the payment (*non-refundable after 15 Feb.*). **Limit: first 8 to register. 2<sup>nd</sup> half of pymt. is due by 14 April (Sunday of St. John Climacus). Pymt made by Paypal via our website (plus 3.5%), pilgrimage tab (OrthodoxAnnapolis.org) or by check: Holy Archangels Orthodox Church, 11126 Tuckahoe Rd., Denton, MD 21629.**

**Departure/Return:** Dulles Int’l Airport, Washington, D.C.

**Included:** Int’l Airfare to/fro Dulles, great meals, accommodations in Romania, transportation, experienced pilgrimage leader.

**Not included:** Domestic airfare to/fro Dulles, airport food, tips, donations, travel insurance, personal items you wish to purchase on the trip.



**Important:** Pilgrims must be in good health, able to walk reasonable distances (3 miles/day) and adhere to the teachings of the Orthodox Church.

### Highlights

We arrive in Bucharest, travel to the unique ProVita orphanage and ministry begun by Fr. Nicolae Tanase, home to over 300 children. We visit the holy monastery of Crasna nestled in the beautiful foothills of the Carpathian Mountains, journey to the breathtaking mountain town of Sinaia and Peleş Castle, home to the kings of Romania. From there we head north to the regions of Moldova and Bucovina to visit the holy monasteries of Bistrița, Pângarati, Petru Voda, resting place of Fr. George Calciu, Sihăstrie, resting place of Elder Cleopa, and Agapia, followed by the world-renowned painted monasteries Putna, resting place of St. Stephen the Great, Voroneț, Moldovița, and Sucevița—all UNESCO World Heritage Sites. We return to Bucharest for our final days and the Great Feast of Ascension, visit St. Nicholas (the ‘Russian’ church of the University, built by Czar Nicholas II, Antim Monastery, home to the “Burning Bush” movement that prepared the Church for Communist persecution, venerate the hand of St. Nicholas, the relics of St. Spiridon, St. Dimitrie the New, and many other Saints. We will venerate at the Patriarchal Cathedral and see the new Cathedral.







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