

Travel with CTU's Biblical Study and Travel Program to

# ROME

AUGUST 10-16, 2013

*Paul in Rome provides an opportunity to tour the Eternal City with a focus on the Apostle Paul. Can be taken alone or in conjunction with Turkey and Greece. Not available for graduate credit.*

**Aug. 10-11** - Arrive at Leonardo Da Vinci (Fiumicino) airport by 10 a.m. on August 11; transfer to Lay Centre at Foyer Unitas. Orientation at the Lay Centre with buffet. Free evening.

**Aug. 12** - Morning guided visits on the Via Appia to the Catacomb of Saint Callisto. Buffet lunch at the Lay Centre. Afternoon guided visit to the Basilica of Saint Paul Outside the Walls. Optional evening walking tour of Rome. Free evening for dinner.

**Aug. 13** - Morning guided visits to the Vatican Museum and the Basilica of Saint Peter. Free time for lunch and souvenir shopping. Guided visit to the excavations of St. Peter's Tomb underneath the Basilica. Dinner at the Lay Centre.

**Aug. 14** - Morning guided visits to the Roman Forum, Palatine and Coliseum. Buffet lunch at the Lay Centre. Afternoon guided visit to the Capitoline Museum. Optional evening stroll in Trastevere. Free evening for dinner.

**Aug. 15** - Morning guided visits to the Basilicas of Saint Clemente and Saint John Lateran. Buffet lunch at the Lay Centre. Free afternoon and evening.

**Aug. 16** - Depart for Istanbul for those continuing to Turkey.

The Lay Centre at Foyer Unitas (<http://www.laycentre.org>) is a highly respected educational organization for lay men and women studying at Pontifical Universities in Rome. CTU and the Lay Centre have formed an alliance, as both institutions are committed to quality education for laity in the service of the Church and extensive involvement in ecumenical and interreligious dialogue.



CTU's **Biblical Study and Travel Program** offer you the opportunity to travel the lands of the Bible in academically oriented programs. These learning experiences will both deepen your understanding of the Bible and foster your spiritual growth. This trip is directed by **Sr. Laurie Brink, O.P., Ph.D.**, Associate Professor of New Testament Studies, and staffed by **Sr. Sallie Latkovich, C.S.J., D.Min.**

**CTU Biblical Study and Travel Programs** are not pilgrimages. However, when possible we celebrate Sunday Catholic Mass. The goal of the program is to provide the participants with opportunities to study the life and teachings of St. Paul by visiting significant sites in Rome. Participants must be in good health, able to walk unassisted at least a mile on rugged paths and endure hot humid temperatures.

#### Information on Travel:

Arrive by 10 a.m. Aug. 11 to take the group transfer to the Lay Centre. Early and late arrivals must find transport to the Lay Centre.

#### Costs:

\$825 plus airfare - includes half-board, entrance fees, gratuities, guiding, and ground transportation. Lodging at the Lay Centre are single-rooms with shared bathrooms.

Refundable deposit of \$250 due with application.