



MINIDOKA
pilgrimage

2018 Minidoka Pilgrimage • July 5-8, 2018

Information

Seattle/Bellevue Package

- The Seattle Package departs the parking lot of Bellevue College at 6am sharp on Thursday, July 5th. Travelers will return to Bellevue College around midnight the morning of Monday, July 9th.
- Parking at Bellevue College will be provided for Pilgrimage participants who are traveling on the bus. Information on the specific parking lot and the procedure for this will be sent in June.
- Lodging is not included and accommodations need to be arranged in Twin Falls, ID on your own. More information is listed on the Accommodations Sheet.

Twin Falls Package

- The Twin Falls package will meet the pilgrimage in Twin Falls, ID and begin at 6pm on Thursday, July 5th.
- Travelers registering for this package need to make their own arrangements for transportation to Twin Falls, Idaho. **Transportation will be provided ONLY within the Twin Falls, ID area on Saturday and Sunday. To help cut down on costs, Twin Falls Package participants are asked to drive themselves or carpool to CSI for the Friday activities.** CSI is approximately a mile away from the hotels.
- Lodging is not included and accommodations need to be arranged in Twin Falls, ID on your own. More information is listed below.

General Information

- The Pilgrimage will officially begin in Twin Falls on Thursday, July 5th.
- Historically, the weather for the Twin Falls, ID during the time of the pilgrimage has been in the mid-80s and sunny. However temperatures have the ability to reach the mid to upper 90s but also as low as the low-70s. A cool breeze can be expected in the evening as well. Please plan accordingly.
- Pilgrims are advised that personal services and devices such as wheelchairs and oxygen will not be provided. Pilgrims in need of services of a personal nature are responsible for arranging for such services prior to registering for the pilgrimage and are encouraged to travel with a companion for such purposes.
- The Pilgrimage program will end approximately at 11am on Sunday, July 8th.
- More information and additional details for the pilgrimage will be sent to participants as soon as registration forms and fees are received and confirmed.

What to Bring

The following items are just a few of the things we suggest you may wish to bring.

- Comfortable shoes and long pants for walking around Minidoka
- Sun hat and sun glasses
- Sunscreen
- Light weight jacket for cool evenings
- Minidoka family stories and poems to share
- Camera

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Accommodations

Pilgrimage participants are responsible for making their own hotel reservations for July 5th-8th in Twin Falls. For planning purposes, pilgrimage buses will be loading/unloading from the Red Lion Hotel and CSI Eagle Dormitory. Participants are responsible for making their own transportation arrangements to/from Red Lion Hotel if they will not be staying at either of those locations.

Twin Falls

Following is the hotel in Twin Falls that is offering a special group rate. Space is limited. Make your reservations as soon as possible.

- TO GUARANTEE YOUR RESERVATIONS, PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR CREDIT CARD INFORMATION
- ROOMS MUST BE RESERVED BEFORE MAY 29TH TO RECEIVE DISCOUNT & HAVE GUARANTEED SPACE
- PLEASE ALSO OBTAIN YOUR CONFIRMATION NUMBER WHEN MAKING YOUR RESERVATION
- FOR HOTEL RESERVATION CANCELLATIONS, PLEASE CANCEL DIRECTLY WITH THE HOTEL AND MAKE SURE YOU OBTAIN A CANCELLATION NUMBER FOR YOUR RECORDS.

Mention that you will be in Twin Falls for the Minidoka Pilgrimage and ask for the MINIDOKA PILGRIMAGE ROOM RATES to receive these discounted rates.

Red Lion Canyon Springs Hotel

1357 Blue Lakes Blvd. N.

Twin Falls ID 83301

Phone: 1-800-733-5466

Pilgrimage Rates:

Single/Double queen, Single King room = \$90/night plus tax (includes breakfast)

Holiday Inn Express

1554 FILLMORE ST

TWIN FALLS ID 83301

208-732-6001

Pilgrimage Rates:

Double Queen, Single King = \$119/night plus tax (includes breakfast)

The Holiday Inn Express has elevators. The Holiday Inn Express hotel is not recommended for those on the Seattle Bus Package since the buses will not be loading/unloading at this hotel. Participants who stay here will need to make their own arrangements for transportation to/from the Red Lion hotel each morning/night in order to join the daily pilgrimage activities.

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CSI Dormitory

315 Falls Ave

Twin Falls, ID 83301

Contact: Denise Quach: denise.quach@gmail.com, Phone: 206-367-5188

Pilgrims must bring their own linens, blanket, pillow, and toiletries

Located on the College of Southern Idaho campus, this accommodation is perfect for those on a budget and is within walking distance of the Friday Educational Program. Each dorm includes 2 Twin XL beds, AC, and microwave. Bathrooms and showers are located on each floor and ADA accessible. Space is limited and is on a first come, first serve basis.

Pilgrimage Rates:

Single room: \$35/night, Continental Breakfast Included

Double: \$20/night, Continental Breakfast included

Prices are per person.

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