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Apostolic Journey of His Holiness Francis in Cyprus and in Greece (2-6 December 2021)

Thursday, 2 December 2021

ROME - LARNACA - NICOSIA

- 11:00 Departure by airplane from Rome/Fiumicino International Airport for Larnaca
- 15:00 Arrival at Larnaca International Airport
- 15:00 **OFFICIAL WELCOME** at Larnaca International Airport
- 16:00 **MEETING WITH PRIESTS, CONSACRATED PERSONS, DEACONS, CATECHISTS, ECCLESIAL ASSOCIATIONS AND MOVEMENTS OF CYPRUS** at the Maronite Cathedral of Our Lady of Grace
- in Nicosia
- 17:15 **WELCOME CEREMONY** at the Presidential Palace in Nicosia
- 17:30 **COURTESY VISIT TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC** in the private office at the Presidential Palace in Nicosia
- 18:00 **MEETING WITH AUTHORITIES, CIVIL SOCIETY AND THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS** in the “Ceremonial Hall” of the Presidential Palace
- Address of the Holy Father*
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Friday, 3 December 2021

NICOSIA

- 08:30 **COURTESY VISIT TO HIS BEATITUDE CHRYSOSTOMOS II, ORTHODOX ARCHBISHOP OF CYPRUS** at the Orthodox Archbishopric of Cyprus in Nicosia
- 09:00 **MEETING WITH THE HOLY SYNOD** at the Orthodox Cathedral in Nicosia *Address of the Holy Father*
- 10:00 **HOLY MASS** at the “GSP Stadium” in Nicosia *Homily of the Holy Father*
- 16:00 **ECUMENICAL PRAYER WITH MIGRANTS** at the Parish Church of the Holy Cross in Nicosia *Address of the Holy Father*

Saturday, 4 December 2021

NICOSIA - LARNACA - ATHENS

- 09:10 **FAREWELL CEREMONY** at Larnaca International Airport
- 09:30 Departure by airplane for Athens
- 11:10 Arrival at Athens International Airport
- 11:10 **OFFICIAL WELCOME** at Athens International Airport
- 12:00 **WELCOME CEREMONY** at the Presidential Palace in Athens
- 12:15 **COURTESY VISIT TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC** in the private office at the Presidential Palace in Athens
- 12:30 **MEETING WITH THE PRIME MINISTER** at the Presidential Palace in Athens
- 12:45 **MEETING WITH AUTHORITIES, CIVIL SOCIETY AND THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS** at the Presidential Palace in Athens *Address of the Holy Father*
- 16:00 **COURTESY VISIT TO HIS BEATITUDE HIERONYMOS II, ARCHBISHOP OF ATHENS AND ALL GREECE** at the Orthodox Archbishopric of Greece in Athens
- 16:30 **MEETING OF HIS BEATITUDE HIERONYMOS II AND HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS WITH THE RESPECTIVE ENTOURAGES** in the *Address of the Holy Father*

“Throne Room” of the Orthodox Archbishopric
of Greece in Athens

- 17:15 **MEETING WITH BISHOPS, PRIESTS, RELIGIOUS, CONSECRATED PERSONS, SEMINARIANS, CATECHISTS** at the Cathedral of Saint Dionysius in Athens *Address of the Holy Father*
- 18:45 **PRIVATE MEETING WITH THE MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY OF JESUS** at the Apostolic Nunciature in Athens

Sunday, 5 December 2021

ATHENS - MYTILENE (LESVOS) - ATHENS

- 09:15 Departure by airplane for Mytilene
- 10:10 Arrival at Mytilene Airport
- 10:45 **VISIT TO THE REFUGEES** at "Reception and Identification Centre" in Mytilene *Address of the Holy Father*
- Angelus*
- 12:15 Departure by airplane for Athens
- 13:10 Arrival at Athens International Airport
- 16:45 **HOLY MASS** at “Megaron Concert Hall” in Athens *Homily of the Holy Father*
- 19:00 **COURTESY VISIT OF HIS BEATITUDE HIERONYMOS II TO THE HOLY FATHER** at the Apostolic Nunciature in Athens

Monday, 6 December 2021

ATHENS - ROME

- 08:15 **VISIT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE PARLIAMENT** at the Apostolic Nunciature in Athens
- 09:45 **MEETING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE** at the Saint Dionysius School of the Ursuline Sisters in Maroussi, Athens *Address of the Holy Father*
- 11:15 **FAREWELL CEREMONY** at Athens International Airport
- 11:30 Departure by airplane for Rome
- 12:35 Arrival at Rome/Ciampino International Airport