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MOTTO

«Peace be with you» (Jn 20, 19-21-16) and

«We are all together» (cfr. Mt 23,8)

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Here are the trip program. On the program we will be placing links in messages, speeches as it progresses.

Friday, 30 September 2016

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| 09:00 | Departure from Rome's Fiumicino airport for Tbilisi |
| 15:00 | Arrival at the International Airport of Tbilisi Welcoming ceremony |
| 15:30 | Courtesy visit to the President of the Republic at the Presidential Palace |
| 16:00 | Meeting with the Authorities, the Civil Society and the Diplomatic Corps in the Courtyard of the Presidential Palace |
| 16:40 | Meeting with His |

18:00 [Holiness and Beatitude
Iliia II, Catholicos and
Patriarch of All
Georgia](#) at the
Patriarchal Palace

18:00 [Meeting with the
Assyrian-Chaldean
Community](#) at the
Catholic Chaldean
Church of St. Simon Bar
Sabbae

Saturday, 1 October 2016

10:00 **Holy Mass** at M.
Meskhi Stadium

15:45 [Meeting with Priests,
Men and Women
Religious, Seminarians
and Pastoral Agents](#)
gathered in the church
of the Assumption

17:00 [Meeting with people
assisted and operators
of the Works of Charity
of the Church](#) before
the Assistance Centre of
the Camillian Order

18:15 [Visit to the
Svietyskhoveli
Patriarchal Cathedral](#) in
Mskheta

Sunday, 2 October 2016

07:55 **Farewell ceremony** at
the International Airport

- of Tbilisi
- 08:10 Departure by plane for Baku
- 09:30 Arrival at “Heydar Aliyev” International Airport of Baku
- Official welcome**
- 10:30 [Holy Mass](#) at the church of the Immaculate in the Salesian Centre in Baku
- 12:45 **Luncheon with the Salesian Community and the Papal Entourage**
- 15:30 **Welcoming Protocol Ceremony** in the Square of the Presidential Palace of Ganjlik
- Courtesy visit to the President of the Republic** at the Presidential Palace of Ganjlik
- 16:30 Visit to the Memorial to those killed for Independence
- 17:00 [Meeting with the Authorities](#) at “Heydar Aliyev” Centre
- 17:45 **Private meeting with the Sheikh of the Caucasus Muslims** at “Heydar Aliyev” Mosque
- 18:00 [Interreligious meeting with the Sheikh and with the Representatives of the different](#)

**Religious
Communities of the
country**

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| 19:00 | Farewell ceremony at the Airport of Baku |
| 19:15 | Departure by plane for Rome/Ciampino |
| 22:00 | Arrival at Rome/Ciampino Airport |

time zones

Rome: +2h UTC

Tbilisi: +4h UTC

Baku: +4h UTC