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# Apostolic Journey to Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia

From September 22-25, Pope Francis carried out an apostolic visit to the Baltic states. Links to all the addresses and homilies.

09/24/2018

***Saturday, 22 September 2018***

**ROME-VILNIUS**

Departure by air from Rome-  
7:30 Fiumicino Airport for Vilnius

## **Greeting to journalists on the flight to Vilnius**

Arrival at Vilnius  
International Airport

11:30

Welcome ceremony

## **Courtesy visit to the**

12:10 **President** in the Presidential  
Palace

## **Meeting with the Authorities, with civil**

12:40 **Society and with the  
Diplomatic Corps** in the  
square in front of the  
Presidential Palace

16:30 **Visit to the Mater  
Misericordiae Shrine**

**Meeting with young people**  
17:30 in the Square in front of the  
Cathedral

18:40 **Visit to the Cathedral**

***Sunday, 23 September 2018***

## VILNIUS-KAUNAS-VILNIUS

8:15	Transfer by car to Kaunas
10:00	<u>Holy Mass</u> in Santakos Park in Kaunas
12:00	<u>Angelus</u> in Santakos Park in Kaunas
12:35	<b>Lunch with the Bishops</b> in the Palace of the Curia
15:00	<u>Meeting with Priests, Men and Women Religious, Consecrated Persons and Seminarians</u> in the Cathedral of Kaunas
16:00	Transfer to the Museum of Occupations and Freedom Fights in Vilnius
17:30	

Visit and prayer in  
the Museum of  
Occupations and  
Freedom Fights

Words spoken  
from the  
window of the  
Nunciature in  
Vilnius

*Monday, 24 September 2018*

**VILNIUS-RIGA-VILNIUS**

7:20 Departure by air from  
Vilnius International  
Airport for Riga

8:20 Arrival at Riga  
International Airport

**Official  
welcome**

8:50 **Welcome ceremony** in  
the Courtyard of the  
Presidential Palace

9:05

**Courtesy visit to the  
President** in the  
Presidential Palace

**Meeting with the civil  
Authorities, civil**

9:30 **Society and the  
Diplomatic Corps** in the  
Reception Hall of the  
Presidential Palace

10:10 Laying of flowers and  
ceremony at the  
Monument to Freedom

10:40 **Ecumenical prayer** in  
the Rigas Doms

11:50 **Visit to the catholic  
Saint James' Cathedral**

12:30 **Lunch with the bishops**  
in the Archdiocesan  
House of the Holy Family

14:30 Transfer by helicopter  
from Riga Harbour  
helipad to the Shrine of  
the Mother of God,  
Aglona

- 16:30      **Holy Mass** in the area of  
the Shrine of the Mother  
of God, Aglona
- 18:30      **Farewell ceremony** in  
the Aglona heliport
- 18:45      Transfer by helicopter to  
Vilnius International  
Airport

***Tuesday, 25 September 2018***

**VILNIUS-TALLINN-ROME**

- 8:15      **Farewell ceremony** in  
Vilnius International  
Airport
- 8:30      Departure by air from  
Vilnius International  
Airport for Tallinn
- 9:50      Arrival at Tallinn  
International Airport

**Official  
welcome**

10:15

**Welcome ceremony** in  
the Square in front of the  
Presidential Palace

10:30 **Courtesy visit to the  
President** in the  
Presidential Palace

11:00 **Meeting with the civil  
Authorities, civil  
Society and the  
Diplomatic Corps** in the  
Rose Garden of the  
Presidential Palace

11:50 **Ecumenical meeting  
with young people** in the  
Kaarli Lutheran Church

13:00 **Lunch with the papal  
entourage** in the  
Convent of the Brigidine  
Sisters in Pirita

15:15 **Meeting with those  
assisted by the  
Charitable Works of the  
Church** in the Cathedral  
of Saints Peter and Paul

16:30

**Holy Mass** in Freedom  
Square

18:30 **Farewell ceremony** in  
Tallin International  
Airport

18:45 Departure by air from  
Tallinn International  
Airport for Rome

21:20 Arrival at Rome-  
Ciampino International  
Airport