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Benedict XVI's Trip to Portugal

Coverage of Pope's apostolic trip to Portugal. With prayer when offering our Lady of Fatima a golden rose, video of visit to Chapel of the Apparitions, and a photo gallery.

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Words to journalists on the plane Homily at May 13 Mass in Fatima and Blessing of the Sick

Address to Bishops of Portugal Prayer when presenting our Lady with a golden rose Photo gallery of Pope's trip to Portugal

Tuesday, May 11

11:00 a.m. Arrival at **Lisbon** airport. *Address by the Holy Father*.

12:45 p.m. Welcoming ceremony at the Monasterio dos Jerónimos.

1:30 p.m. Visit with the President of Portugal, Anibal Cavaco Silva, at the presidential palace of Belen.

6:45 p.m. Mass at the Plaza do Comercio. *Homily of the Holy Father*.

Wednesday, May 12

10:00 a.m. Meeting with representatives from the world of culture, science and art at the Cultural Center of Belen. *Address by the Holy Father*. 12:00 p.m. Meeting with the Prime Minister of Portugal, José Sócrates, at the Apostolic Nunciature.

4:40 p.m. Departure by helicopter for **Fatima**.

6:00 p.m. Meeting and recitation of the Rosary at Fatima with religious, priests, deacons and seminarians at the Church of the Most Holy Trinity. *Address by the Holy Father*.

9:30 p.m. Candlelight Procession, led by Vatican Secretary of State, Cardinal Tarcisio Bertone. *Address by the Holy Father*. **Thursday, May 13**

10:00 a.m. Mass at the Sanctuary of Fatima. *Homily of the Holy Father*. Private visit to the tombs of the three Fatima seers.

5:00 p.m. Meeting with all Catholic and non-Catholic organizations involved in social ministry. *Address by the Holy Father*. 6:45 p.m. Meeting with the bishops of Portugal. *Address by the Holy Father*. **Friday, May 14**

9:00 a.m. Arrival in Porto.

10:15 a.m. Mass at the Avenida dos Aliados. *Homily of the Holy Father*.

1:30 p.m. Departure ceremony at the Francisco Sá Carneiro airport. *Address by the Holy Father.*

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