



## The Holy See

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### APOSTOLIC JOURNEY OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS TO MOZAMBIQUE, MADAGASCAR AND MAURITIUS

(4 - 10 SEPTEMBER 2019)



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*Wednesday, 4 September 2019*

**ROME - MAPUTO**

- 8:00 Departure by plane from Rome-Fiumicino Airport for Maputo  
Greeting to journalists on the flight to Maputo  
 18:30 **Welcome ceremony** at Maputo Airport

*Thursday, 5 September 2019*

**MAPUTO**

- Meeting with Scholas Occurrentes  
 9:45 **Courtesy Visit to the President** at the “Ponta Vermelha” Palace  
Meeting with Authorities, Civil Society and the Diplomatic Corps at the “Ponta Vermelha”  
 10:15 Palace  
 11:00 Interreligious Meeting with the Youth at the Maxaquene Pavillon  
 Lunch at the Nunciature  
Meeting with Bishops, Priests, Religious, Consecrated and Seminarians, Catechists and  
 16:15 Animators at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception  
 17:25 Private visit to “Matthew 25” House

*Friday, 6 September 2019*

**MAPUTO-ANTANANARIVO**

- 8:45 Visit to Zimpeto Hospital  
 10:00 Holy Mass at Zimpeto Stadium  
 12:25 **Farewell ceremony** at Maputo Airport  
 12:40 Departure of the Papal Plane for Antananarivo  
 16:30 **Welcome ceremony** at Antananarivo Airport

*Saturday, 7 September 2019*

**ANTANANARIVO**

- 9:30 **Courtesy Visit to the President** at “Iavoloha” Presidential Palace  
 10:15 Meeting with Authorities, Civil Society and the Diplomatic Corps at the Ceremony Building

- 11:15 **Midmorning Prayer** at the Monastery of the Discalced Carmelites  
Lunch at the Nunciature
- 16:00 **Meeting with the Bishops of Madagascar** at the Andohalo Cathedral
- 17:10 **Visit to the Tomb of Blessed Victoire Rasoamanarivo**
- 18:00 **Vigil with the Youth** on the diocesan grounds of Soamandrakizay

*Sunday, 8 September 2019*

## ANTANANARIVO

- 10:00 **Holy Mass** on the diocesan grounds of Soamandrakizay
- 12:00 **Angelus**  
Lunch with the papal entourage at the Nunciature
- 15:10 **Visit to the City of Friendship - Akamasoa**
- 16:00 **Prayer for Workers** at the Mahatzana work yard
- 17:10 **Meeting with Priests, Religious, Consecrated and Seminarians** at the Collège Saint Michel

*Monday, 9 September 2019*

## ANTANANARIVO-PORT LOUIS-ANTANANARIVO

- 7:30 Departure by plane for Port Louis
- 10:40 **Welcome ceremony** at Port Louis Airport
- 12:15 **Holy Mass** at the Monument of Mary Queen of Peace  
**Lunch with the Bishops of CEDOI** at the Bishop's House
- 16:25 **Private Visit to Père Laval Shrine**
- 16:55 **Courtesy Visit to the President** at the Presidential Palace
- 17:15 **Meeting with the Prime Minister** at the Presidential Palace
- 17:40 **Meeting with Authorities, Civil Society and the Diplomatic Corps** at the Presidential Palace
- 18:45 **Farewell ceremony** at Port Louis Airport
- 19:00 Departure by plane for Antananarivo
- 20:00 Arrival at Antananarivo Airport

*Tuesday, 10 September 2019*

## ANTANANARIVO-ROME

- 9:00 **Farewell ceremony** at Antananarivo Airport
- 9:20 Departure by plane for Rome/Ciampino Airport  
**Press Conference on the return flight to Rome**
- 19:00 Arrival at Rome/Ciampino Airport

***Time zones***

Rome:	+ 2h UTC
Maputo:	+ 2h UTC
Antananarivo:	+ 3h UTC
Port Louis:	+ 4h UTC

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