



# The Holy See

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## APOSTOLIC JOURNEY OF HIS HOLINESS FRANCIS TO MALTA

2-3 APRIL 2022



# POPE FRANCIS

IN MALTA

"They showed us unusual kindness" Acts 28,2

2-3 April 2022

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*Saturday 2 April 2022*

### ROME - MALTA

8:30 Departure by airplane from Rome/Fiumicino International Airport to Malta

- 10:00 Arrival at Malta International Airport
- 10:00 **Welcome Ceremony** at Malta International Airport
- 10:50 **Courtesy Visit to the President of the Republic** in the “Ambassadors' Chamber” of the Grand Master’s Palace in Valletta
- 11:35 **Meeting with the Prime Minister** in the “Pages' Chamber” of the Grand Master’s Palace in Valletta
- 11:50 **Meeting with the Authorities and the Diplomatic Corps** in the “Grand Council Chamber” of the Grand Master’s Palace in Valletta
- 15:50 Departure by catamaran from Valletta Grand Harbour to Gozo
- 17:00 Arrival at Mgarr Harbour
- 17:30 **Prayer meeting** at the National Shrine of “Ta' Pinu” in Gozo  
Departure by ferry from Mgarr Harbour to Malta
- 18:45 **Press Conference on the return flight to Rome**
- 19:30 Arrival at Cirkewwa Harbour and transfer to the Apostolic Nunciature

### *Sunday 3 April 2022*

#### **MALTA - ROME**

- 7:45 **Private meeting with the Members of the Society of Jesus** at the Apostolic Nunciature in Rabat
- 8:30 **Visit to the Grotto of St Paul** at the Basilica of St Paul in Rabat
- 10:15 **Holy Mass** at the Granaries in Floriana
- 10:15 **Angelus**
- 16:45 **Meeting with Migrants** at the “John XXIII Peace Lab” Centre for Migrants in Hal Far
- 17:50 **Farewell Ceremony** at Malta International Airport
- 18:15 Departure by airplane for Rome
- 19:40 Arrival at Rome/Fiumicino International Airport

#### ***Time zones***

Rome	+2h UTC
Malta	+2h UTC

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