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N. 170623d

Friday 23.06.2017

**Apostolic Trip of His Holiness Francis to Colombia (6-11 September 2017)**

**Wednesday 6 September 2017**

## **ROME-BOGOTÁ**

11:00 Departure by air from Rome Fiumicino airport  
for Bogotá

16:30 Arrival in the military area (CATAM) of Bogotá  
airport

**WELCOME CEREMONY**

**Thursday 7 September 2017**

## **BOGOTÁ**

09:00 **ENCOUNTER WITH THE AUTHORITIES** in *Address of the Holy  
Father*  
Plaza de Armas de la Casa de Nariño

09:30 **COURTESY VISIT TO THE PRESIDENT** in  
the Protocol Hall of the Casa de Nariño

10:20 **VISIT TO THE CATHEDRAL**

10:50 **BLESSING OF THE FAITHFUL** from the *Greeting/Blessing of the  
Holy Father*  
balcony of the Cardinal's Palace

11:00 **MEETING WITH BISHOPS** in the Hall of the *Address of the Holy  
Father*  
Cardinal's Palace

15:00 **MEETING WITH THE DIRECTIVE  
COMMITTEE OF CELAM** in the Apostolic *Address of the Holy  
Father*  
Nunciature

16:30

**HOLY MASS** in the Simon Bolivar Park

*Homily of the Holy Father<sup>2</sup>*

**Friday 8 September 2017**

**BOGOTÁ-VILLAVICENCIO-BOGOTÁ**

07:50 Departure from the military area (CATAM) of Bogotá airport for Villavicencio

08:30 Arrival at the Apiay air base in Villavicencio

09:30 **HOLY MASS** in the CATAMA area *Homily of the Holy Father*

15:40 **GREAT PRAYER MEETING FOR NATIONAL RECONCILIATION** in the Parque Las Malocas *Address of the Holy Father*

17:20 **PAUSE AT THE CROSS OF THE RECONCILIATION** in the Parque de los Fundadores

18:00 Departure by air per Bogotá

18:45 Arrival in the military area (CATAM) of Bogotá airport.

**Saturday 9 September 2017**

**BOGOTÁ-MEDELLIN-BOGOTÁ**

08:20 Departure by air from the military area (CATAM) of Bogotá airport for Rionegro

09:10 Arrival at the Rionegro air base.

09:15 Helicopter transfer to Medellin airport

10:15 **HOLY MASS** at the Enrique Olaya Herrera airport of Medellin *Homily of the Holy Father*

15:00 **MEETING IN THE HOGAR SAN JOSE'** *Greeting of the Holy Father*

16:00 **ENCOUNTER with PRIESTS, MEN AND WOMEN RELIGIOUS, CONSECRATED PERSONS, SEMINARIANS and their FAMILIES** in the La Macarena indoor stadium *Address of the Holy Father*  
Helicopter transfer to the Rionegro air base

17:30 Departure by air for Bogotá

18:25 Arrival in the military area (CATAM) of Bogotá airport

**Sunday 10 September 2017**

**BOGOTÁ-CARTAGENA-ROME**

08:30	Departure by air for Cartagena	
10:00	Arrival at Cartagena airport	
10:30	<b>BLESSING of the FIRST STONE of the HOUSES for the HOMELESS and the work of TALITHA QUM in St. Francis of Assisi Square</b>	<i>Blessing of the Holy Father</i>
12:00	<b>ANGELUS in front of the Church of St. Peter Claver</b>	<i>Angelus of the Holy Father</i>
12:15	<b>VISIT TO THE SHRINE HOUSE OF ST. PETER CLAVER</b>	
15:45	Helicopter transfer from the naval base to the port area of Contecar	
16:30	<b>HOLY MASS in the port area of Contecar</b>	<i>Homily of the Holy Father</i>
18:30	Helicopter transfer to Cartagena airport	
18:45	<b>FAREWELL CEREMONY</b>	
19:00	Departure by air for Rome Ciampino airport	

**Monday 11 September 2017**

**ROME**

12:40 Arrival at Rome Ciampino airport

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