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# **BOLLETTINO**

SALA STAMPA DELLA SANTA SEDE

N. 181212b

Wednesday 12.12.2018

**Apostolic Trip of His Holiness Francis to the United Arab Emirates (3 to 5 February 2019)**

**Sunday 3 February 2019**

**ROMA – ABU DHABI**

13:00 Departure by air from Rome/Fiumicino Airport for Abu Dhabi

22:00 Arrival at the Presidential Airport of Abu Dhabi

**OFFICIAL WELCOME**

**Monday 4 February 2019**

**ABU DHABI**

12:00 **WELCOME CEREMONY** at the main entrance of the Presidential Palace

12:20 **OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE CROWN PRINCE** in the Presidential Palace

17:00 **PRIVATE MEETING WITH THE MEMBERS OF THE MUSLIM COUNCIL OF ELDERS** in the Great Mosque of Sheikh Zayed

18:10 **INTERFAITH MEETING** in the Founder's Memorial

**Address of the Holy Father**

**Tuesday 5 February 2019**

**ABU DHABI – ROME**

09:15 **PRIVATE VISIT TO THE CATHEDRAL**

10:30 **HOLY MASS** in the ZAYED SPORTS CITY

**Homily of the Holy Father**

12:40 **FAREWELL CEREMONY** at the Presidential Airport of Abu Dhabi  
13:00 Departure by air from Rome  
17:00 Arrival at Rome/Ciampino International Airport

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