



# The Holy See

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## APOSTOLIC JOURNEY OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS TO EGYPT

28-29 APRIL 2017



**بابا السلام في مصر السلام**  
**POPE OF PEACE IN EGYPT OF PEACE**

Live video transmission by CTV

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### *Friday 28 April 2017*

- 10:45 Departure by plane from Rome/Fiumicino Airport for Cairo  
**Greeting to journalists on the flight from Rome to Cairo**
- 14:00 Arrival at Cairo International Airport  
**Official welcome**
- Welcome ceremony** in the Presidential Palace in Heliopolis  
**Courtesy visit to the President of the Republic**  
**Courtesy visit to the Grand Imam of al-Azhar**  
**Speech to the participants in the International Peace Conference**
- Speech of the Grand Imam
  - Speech of the Holy Father
- Meeting with political and civil authorities**
- 16:40 - Speech of the President  
- Speech of the Holy Father
- Courtesy visit to H.H. Pope Tawadros II**  
Speech of Pope Tawadros II  
Speech of the Holy Father  
Common Declaration  
**Meeting with a group of young people**

### *Saturday 29 April 2017*

- 10:00 **Holy Mass**
- 12:15 **Lunch with the Egyptian bishops and the Papal delegation**
- 15:15 **Meeting and prayer with the clergy, religious and seminarians**  
**Farewell ceremony**
- 17:00 Departure by plane for Rome/Ciampino Airport  
**Return flight press conference of His Holiness Pope Francis from Egypt to Rome**
- 20:30 Arrival at Rome/Ciampino Airport
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*Time zones*

Rome: +2h UTC

Cairo: +2h UTC

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