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Apostolic Journey to Hungary and Slovakia

On 14 September in Košice, Slovakia, Pope Francis met with 20,000 young people and families, urging them to take love seriously as both a gift and responsibility.

09/12/2021

Sunday, 12 September 2021

ROME - BUDAPEST - BRATISLAVA

6:00

Departure by airplane
from Rome/Fiumicino
International Airport
for Budapest

**Greeting to
journalists
on the flight
to Budapest**

7:45 Arrival at Budapest
International Airport

7:45 **Official welcome at
Budapest**
International Airport

8:45 **Meeting with the
President of the
Republic and the
Prime Minister** at the
Museum of Fine Arts
in Budapest

9:15 **Meeting with the
Bishops** at the
Museum of Fine Arts
in Budapest

10:00 **Meeting with the
Representatives of**

the Ecumenical
Council of Churches
and some Jewish
Communities in
Hungary at the
Museum of Fine Arts
in Budapest

- 11:30 Holy Mass at Heroes'
Square in Budapest
- 14:30 **Farewell Ceremony** at
Budapest
International Airport
- 14:40 Departure by airplane
for Bratislava
- 15:30 Arrival at Bratislava
International Airport
- 15:30 **Official welcome** at
Bratislava
International Airport
- 16:30 Ecumenical Meeting
at the Apostolic
Nunciature in
Bratislava
- 17:30

**Private Meeting with
the Members of the
Society of Jesus at the
Apostolic Nunciature
in Bratislava**

Monday, 13 September 2021

BRATISLVA

Welcome ceremony at the
9:15 **Presidential Palace in**
Bratislava

Courtesy Visit to the
President of the Republic in
9:30 **the “Golden Hall” of the**
Presidential Palace in
Bratislava

Meeting with Authorities,
Civil Society and the
10:00 **Diplomatic Corps** in the
garden of the Presidential
Palace in Bratislava

Meeting with Bishops,
10:45 **Priests, Religious,**
Consecrated Persons,

Seminarians, Catechists at
the Cathedral of Saint Martin
in Bratislava

Private Visit to the

16:00 **“Bethlehem Center”** in
Bratislava

Meeting with the Jewish

16:45 **Community** at Rybné
námestie Square in Bratislava

Visit of the President of the

18:00 **Parliament** at the Apostolic
Nunciature in Bratislava

Visit of the Prime Minister at

18:15 the Apostolic Nunciature in
Bratislava

Tuesday, 14 September 2021

**BRATISLAVA - KOŠICE - PREŠOV -
KOŠICE - BRATISLAVA**

8:10 Departure by airplane for
Košice

9:00 Arrival at Košice Airport

10:30

**Byzantine Divine Liturgy of
Saint John Chrysostom
presided by the Holy Father**

in the square of the Mestská
športová hala in Prešov

Meeting with the Roma

16:00 **Community** at Luník IX
district in Košice

Meeting with Young People

17:00 at Lokomotiva Stadium in
Košice

18:30 Departure by airplane for
Bratislava

19:30 Arrival at Bratislava
International Airport

Wednesday, 15 September 2021

BRATISLAVA - ŠAŠTIN -

BRATISLAVA - ROME

Moment of Prayer with the

9:10 **Bishops** at the National Shrine
in Šaštin

10:00

Holy Mass on the esplanade of
the National Shrine in Šaštín

Farewell Ceremony at

13:30 Bratislava International
Airport

13:45 Departure by airplane for
Rome

15:30 Arrival at Rome/Ciampino
International Airport

Time zones

Rome: +2h UTC

Budapest: +2h UTC

Bratislava: +2h UTC

Košice: +2h UTC

Prešov: +2h UTC