



# The Holy See

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APOSTOLIC JOURNEY OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS  
TO LITHUANIA, LATVIA AND ESTONIA  
[22-25 SEPTEMBER 2018]

***GREETING TO JOURNALISTS***  
***ON THE FLIGHT TO VILNIUS (LITHUANIA)***

*Papal flight*  
*Saturday, 22 September 2018*

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**[Multimedia]**

**Greg Burke:**

Good morning, Holy Father, welcome! You have reached 25 international trips, you know. Many journalists, I think – or several at least – have been present on all the trips; for others it is a new trip, the first trip, including for nine journalists from the Baltic States. I would like to take advantage to remind you all that it is a quick moment of greeting. Perhaps you would like to say something first...

**Papa Francesco:**

Good morning! Many thanks for your company, for the help of this trip, the service, for informing the people who follow the trip and who are interested. They are three countries which are similar but different, and it will be a task for you to see the resemblances and the differences. They have a common yet different history. And it will be good! Many thanks!

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