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APOSTOLIC JOURNEY OF POPE LEO XIV TO ALGERIA, CAMEROON, ANGOLA AND EQUATORIAL GUINEA

13-23 APRIL 2026

PAPE LEON XIV

Voyage apostolique en Algérie
13-15 avril 2026



ABENÇOE ANGOLA 2026



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Monday 13 April 2026

ROME – ALGIERS

- 09:00 Departure by airplane from Rome/Fiumicino International Airport to Algiers
Greeting of the Holy Father to Journalists during the Flight to Algiers
- 10:00 Arrival at Algiers "Houari Boumédiène" International Airport
WELCOME CEREMONY
- 10:45 **VISIT TO THE MAQAM ECHAHID MARTYRS' MONUMENT**
- 11:15 **COURTESY VISIT TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC** at the Presidential Palace
- 12:00 **MEETING WITH THE AUTHORITIES, CIVIL SOCIETY AND THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS** at the "Djamaa el Djazair" Conference Center
- 15:45 **VISIT TO THE GREAT MOSQUE OF ALGIERS**
- 16:35 **PRIVATE VISIT TO THE WELCOME AND FRIENDSHIP CENTER OF THE AUGUSTINIAN MISSIONARY SISTERS** in Bab El Oued
- 17:10 **MEETING WITH THE ALGERIAN COMMUNITY** in the Basilica of Our Lady of Africa

Tuesday 14 April 2026

ALGIERS – ANNABA – ALGIERS

- 09:20 Departure by airplane from Algiers "Houari Boumédiène" International Airport to Annaba
- 10:30 Arrival at Annaba "Rabah Bitat" International Airport
- 11:00 **VISIT TO THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITE OF HIPPO**
- 11:35 **VISIT TO THE NURSING HOME OF THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR**
- 12:10 **PRIVATE MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF THE AUGUSTINIAN ORDER** at the Augustinian Community House
- 15:30 **HOLY MASS** in the Basilica of Saint Augustine
- 18:00 Departure by airplane from Annaba "Rabah Bitat" International Airport to Algiers

19:10 Arrival at Algiers "Houari Boumédiène" International Airport

Wednesday 15 April 2026

ALGERI – YAOUNDÉ

09:40 **FAREWELL CEREMONY** at Algiers "Houari Boumédiène" International Airport

10:10 Departure from Algiers Airport for Yaoundé

Greeting of the Holy Father to Journalists During the Flight to Yaoundé

15:20 Arrival at Yaoundé-Nsimalen International Airport

WELCOME CEREMONY

16:20 **COURTESY VISIT TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC** at the Presidential Palace

17:05 **MEETING WITH THE AUTHORITIES, CIVIL SOCIETY AND THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS** at the Presidential Palace

17:45 **VISIT TO THE NGUL ZAMBA ORPHANAGE**

18:25 **PRIVATE MEETING WITH THE BISHOPS OF CAMEROON** at the headquarters of the Episcopal Conference

Thursday 16 April 2026

YAOUNDÉ – BAMENDA – YAOUNDÉ

10:05 Departure from Yaoundé-Nsimalen International Airport for Bamenda

11:00 Arrival at Bamenda Airport

11:30 **MEETING FOR PEACE WITH THE COMMUNITY OF BAMENDA** in Saint Joseph's Cathedral

15:15 **HOLY MASS** at Bamenda International Airport

17:25 Departure from Bamenda Airport for Yaoundé

18:20 Arrival at Yaoundé-Nsimalen International Airport

Friday 17 April 2026

YAOUNDÉ – DOUALA – YAOUNDÉ

09:00 Departure from Yaoundé-Nsimalen Airport for Douala

09:55 Arrival at Douala International Airport

11:00 **HOLY MASS** at "Japoma Stadium"

13:20 **PRIVATE VISIT TO SAINT PAUL CATHOLIC HOSPITAL**

14:10 Departure from Douala Airport for Yaoundé

15:15 Arrival at Yaoundé-Nsimalen International Airport

17:30 **MEETING WITH UNIVERSITY STUDENTS AND PROFESSORS** at the Catholic University of Central Africa

Saturday 18 April 2026

YAOUNDÉ – LUANDA

09:30 **HOLY MASS** at Yaoundé-Ville Airport

12:00 **FAREWELL CEREMONY at Yaoundé-Nsimalen International Airport**

12:30 Departure by airplane from Yaoundé-Nsimalen International Airport for Luanda

15:00 Arrival at "4 de Fevereiro" Luanda International Airport

WELCOME CEREMONY

15:40 **COURTESY VISIT TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC at the Presidential Palace**

16:15 **MEETING WITH THE AUTHORITIES, CIVIL SOCIETY AND THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS**

19:00 **PRIVATE MEETING WITH THE BISHOPS OF ANGOLA**

Sunday 19 April 2026

LUANDA – MUXIMA – LUANDA

10:00 **HOLY MASS** in Kilamba

15:45 Departure by helicopter from Luanda "4 de Fevereiro" to Muxima

16:15 Arrival at Muxima Heliport

16:30 **HOLY ROSARY PRAYER** on the esplanade in front of the "Mama Muxima" Shrine

17:45 Departure by helicopter from the Muxima heliport to Luanda "4 de Fevereiro" Airport

18:15 Arrival at Luanda "4 de Fevereiro" Airport

Monday 20 April 2026

LUANDA – SAURIMO – LUANDA

- 07:50 Departure by airplane from Luanda "4 de Fevereiro" Airport for Saurimo
- 09:20 Arrivo all'Aeroporto di Saurimo "Deolinda Rodrigues"
- 09:45 **VISIT TO THE NURSING HOME**
- 11:15 **HOLY MASS** at the Saurimo esplanade
- 13:45 Departure by plane from Saurimo "Deolinda Rodrigues" Airport for Luanda
- 15:15 Arrival at Luanda "4 de Fevereiro" International Airport
- 17:30 **MEETING WITH BISHOPS, PRIESTS, CONSECRATED MEN AND WOMEN AND PASTORAL WORKERS** at the Parish of Our Lady of Fatima

Tuesday 21 April 2026

LUANDA – MALABO

- 08:45 **FAREWELL CEREMONY** at Luanda "4 de Fevereiro" International Airport
- 09:15 Departure by airplane from Luanda "4 de Fevereiro" International Airport for Malabo
- 11:45 Arrival at Malabo International Airport
- WELCOME CEREMONY**
- 12:30 **COURTESY VISIT TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC** at the Presidential Palace
- 13:00 **MEETING WITH THE AUTHORITIES, CIVIL SOCIETY AND THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS** at the Presidential Palace
- 16:00 **MEETING WITH THE WORLD OF CULTURE** at the León XIV Campus of the National University
- 17:15 **VISIT TO THE STAFF AND PATIENTS OF THE "JEAN PIERRE OLIE" PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL**
- 19:00 **PRIVATE MEETING WITH THE BISHOPS OF EQUATORIAL GUINEA**

Wednesday 22 April 2026

MALABO – MONGOMO – BATA – MALABO

- 08:10 Departure by airplane from Malabo for Mongomo
- 09:10 Arrival at Mengomeyén "Presidente Obiang Nguema" International Airport
- 10:30 **HOLY MASS** in the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception
- 12:30 **VISIT TO THE "POPE FRANCIS TECHNOLOGY SCHOOL"**

15:10 Departure from Mengomeyén "Presidente Obiang Nguema" International Airport for Bata

15:50 Arrival at Bata International Airport

16:50 **VISIT TO BATA PRISON**

17:25 **MOMENT OF PRAYER AT THE MEMORIAL TO THE VICTIMS OF THE EXPLOSION OF 7 MARCH 2021**

18:10 **MEETING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE AND FAMILIES** at Bata Stadium

19:40 Departure from Bata Airport for Malabo

20:30 Arrival at Malabo International Airport

Thursday 23 April 2026

MALABO – ROME

10:00 **HOLY MASS** at Malabo Stadium

12:15 **FAREWELL CEREMONY at Malabo International Airport**

12:45 Departure from Malabo Airport for Rome

19:55 Arrival at Rome/Fiumicino International Airport

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