



Program
Saturday 9 October 2021 - 9:00-13:00
“Aula Nuova” of the Synod

MOMENT OF REFLECTION FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE SYNODAL JOURNEY

- 8:00** Hospitality / Welcome
- 9:00** Enthronement and Proclamation of the Word of God (Apoc 1.9-20)
- Meditation:
Fr. Paul Béré, S.J. (Burkina Faso) and Cristina Inogés Sanz (Spain)
- 9:20** Discourse of Pope Francis
- 9:45** Welcome from Card. Jean-Claude Hollerich, General Relator of the Synod
- 10:00** Six Testimonies from the different Continents (in person or via video)
- A Youth (South Africa)
 - A Woman Religious (United States of America) (*in video*)
 - A Bishop (South Korea)
- Silence*
- A Family (Australia) (*in video*)
 - A Priest (Brazil) (*in video*)
 - Head of a Religious Community (France)
- Silence*
- 10:45** Message from Card. Mario Grech, General Secretary for the Synod of Bishops
- 11:00** *Break*
- 11:30** Workshop in Small Groups (by language)
- 13:30** End of Small Group Work
- 15:00** Guided Tours of the Vatican Museums (for those who made a reservation)

