



IFCA International Forum of Catholic Action



The Youth of Jesus' Homeland – Palestine

# WE ARE ONE !!!

Youth Exchange and Pastoral Service for our Church, through friendship

Holy Land 28.11 - 01.12.2019

Inspired by the APOSTOLIC EXHORTATION [CHRISTUS VIVIT](#) OF THE HOLY FATHER FRANCIS TO YOUNG PEOPLE AND TO THE ENTIRE PEOPLE OF GOD

## PROMOTERS:

- The Youth of Jesus' Homeland – Palestine
- IFCA International Forum of Catholic Action

## GOAL:

To promote an international youth exchange between the Youth Jesus Homeland YJHL (from some parishes) and the CA youth of Europe – Mediterranean and of other continents (from some dioceses)

## Countries involved in 2019:

HOLY LAND: Palestine and Israel  
EUROPE - Mediterranean: Malta, Spain, Romania, Italy

## *PROGRAM updated*

### THURSDAY Nov. 28

Arrival of international and local participants to Bethlehem  
Check in at *Dar AlMajus Guest House*

- h. 19:00 **Welcome** and Plenary Assembly Dar AlMajus Guest House  
Introduction (where we are)  
Presentation of participants by Country (1)
- h. 20:30 Dinner

### FRIDAY Nov. 29

- h. 7:30 Holy **Mass at the Nativity Grotto**
- h. 8:30 breakfast - Visit the Nativity Church –
- h. 9:30 Moving to Beit Jala
- h. 11:00 at Latin Seminary: **Meeting and dialogue with H.E. Mons. Pizzaballa**, Apostolic Administrator of the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem  
From the Synod to the **Apostolic Exhortation Christus Vivit**: What does the word of God have to say about young people? And what do the young people to say to the Church (Chapter 2)
- h. 12,30 Lunch at the Seminary invited by Fr. Yacoub Rafidi
- h.14.00 Moving to Bethlehem\*

h. 15:00 [KAIROS Conference](#) 10 year of activity of Christian in the Holy Land - Dar Al Kalima  
University College

h. 19:30 Dinner in Beit Sahour Parish with the youth of the Parish

### **SATURDAY Nov. 30**

Early morning to Jerusalem (private bus)\*

h. 6:30 ***Holy Mass at the Holy Sepulcher*** Church

h. 7:45 Breakfast at the ***Parish S. Saviour***

h. 9:00 Fr. Eugenio Alliata, OFM, Director TSM: Visit and ***archeological Lecture at Terra Sancta Museum***

h. 10:30 (dallo SBF) Via Dolorosa, Holy Sepulcher,  
light lunch in the street

h. 13:30 Back to Bethlehem\*

h.14:30 Solemn Vespers at the Nativity Church for the beginning of the Advent

h.15:30 Session of work - Dar AlMajus Terrace: what ***steps forward about youth exchange and pastoral service*** Workshop (3)

h. 19:00 Evening Ceremony of the ***Christmas Tree lighting*** at Manger Square

h. 21:00 International Dinner - food exchange

### **SUNDAY DEC 01**

Morning

h. 8:00 Closing meeting Dar AlMajus terrace

h. 10:00 **SOLEMN MASS at Bethlehem Santa Catherina** to start the Advent

Check out and departures