

POPE BENEDICT XVI

Timeline of Events: Apostolic Journey to the UK

Thursday, 16 September

Time	Event	City
08:10	Departure from Ciampino Airport	Rome
10:30	Arrival at Edinburgh International Airport	Edinburgh
11:00	State Welcome and Audience with HM Queen Elizabeth II Palace of Holyrood House	
11:40	State Reception in the grounds of the Palace of Holyrood House	
	Speech: HM The Queen Speech: The Holy Father	
13:00	Private Lunch with the Archbishop of St Andrews and Edinburgh Archbishop's House	
17:15	Pope Benedict XVI presides at the celebration of Mass Bellahouston Park	Glasgow
	Homily: The Holy Father	
20:00	Departure from Glasgow Airport for London Heathrow Airport	
21:25	Arrival at London Heathrow Airport	London

Friday, 17 September

Time	Event	City
08:00	Private Celebration of Mass in the Chapel of the Apostolic Nuncia- ture	London
10:00	Celebration of Catholic Education St Mary's University College, Twickenham	
	Prayer with Representatives of Religious Congregations St Mary's Chapel	
	Greeting: The Holy Father	
	Gathering with Schoolchildren and Students, Sports Arena, including the inauguration of the John Paul II Institute for Sport	
	Address: The Holy Father	

Friday, 17 September (cont)

Time	Event	City
11:30	Meeting with Religious Leaders and People of Faith Waldegrave Drawing Room, St Mary's University College, Twickenham	London
	Speech: The Holy Father	
16:00	Fraternal Visit to the Archbishop of Canterbury, Lambeth Palace	
	Speech: Dr Rowan Williams, Archbishop of Canterbury Speech: The Holy Father	
17:10	Address to Civil Society, Westminster Hall, Palace of Westminster	
	Speech: The Holy Father	
18:15	Celebration of Evening Prayer, Westminster Abbey	
	Speech: The Holy Father	
	Speech: Dr Rowan Williams, Archbishop of Canterbury	

Saturday, 18 September

Time	Event	City
09:00	Courtesy Call from the Prime Minister, Rt Hon David Cameron MP Archbishop's House, Westminster	London
09:20	Courtesy Call from the Deputy Prime Minister, Rt Hon Nick Clegg MP Archbishop's House, Westminster	
09:30	Courtesy Call from the Acting Leader of HM Opposition Rt Hon Harriet Harman MP, Archbishop's House, Westminster	
10:00	Celebration of Mass The Cathedral of the Most Precious Blood of Our Lord Jesus Christ, Westminster	
	Pope Benedict will greet 2,500 young people gathered in the Piazza to welcome him	
	Pope Benedict will greet the people of Wales	
	Greeting and Homily: The Holy Father	
17:00	Visit to St Peter's Residence for Older People, Vauxhall	
	Speech: The Holy Father	

Saturday, 18 September (cont)

Time	Event	City
	Prayer Vigil on the Eve of the Beatification of Cardinal John Henry Newman, Hyde Park	
	Address: The Holy Father	

Sunday, 19 September

Time	Event	City
08:00	Farewell to the Apostolic Nunciature, Wimbledon	London
08:45	Departure by Helicopter for Birmingham, Wimbledon Park	
09:30	Arrival by Helicopter in Birmingham	Birmingham
10:00	Celebration of Mass with the Beatification of Cardinal Newman, Cofton Park, Birmingham	
	Homily and Angelus: The Holy Father	
13:10	Private Visit to the Oratory of St Philip Neri, Edgbaston, Birmingham	
13:45	Lunch with the Bishops of England, Scotland and Wales and the Papal Entourage, Oscott College	
16:45	Meeting with the Bishops of England, Scotland and Wales, Seminary Chapel, Oscott College	
	Speech: Cardinal Keith Patrick O'Brien	
	Speech: Archbishop Vincent Nichols	
	Speech: The Holy Father	
18:15	Departure Ceremony, Birmingham International Airport	
	Speech: The Holy Father	
18:45	Departure by air from Birmingham International Airport	
22:30	Arrival at Ciampino Airport	Rome