



WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES looks forward to welcoming you to Ireland in August 2018

Ireland was personally chosen by Pope Francis to host the next World Meeting of Families in 2018. The land from which so many missionaries set forth to bring the light of Christianity to every corner of the world now invites families and individuals from every part of the world to come to Ireland to join us for this amazing event.

VOLUNTEER FOR WMOF2018!

We need the support of many generous people, as individuals or groups, to assist us in organising and running this exciting event, welcoming and hosting our national and international guests. Please consider helping us and becoming one of the several thousands of volunteers we need, not only for the actual event but in the office and at various events starting now! All those interested will need to apply and will receive training. Contact us if you think this may interest you and spread the word among your friends and family. Be part of this historic event!

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AMORIS: LET'S TALK ABOUT FAMILY PROGRAMME

CATECHESIS TO PREPARE FOR WMOF2018

The WMOF2018 is more than a once-off event. Rather, it is a process by which we can celebrate and explore the riches of the Church's "Gospel of the Family". This is why we have developed a programme of catechesis/faith education to prepare for the event, which draws largely from the Apostolic Exhortation *Amoris Laetitia* (The Joy of Love), published by Pope Francis. The "Amoris: Let's Talk About Family" Programme is an interactive multimedia catechetical platform of resources available through our website and a dedicated app, in due course. We hope that this programme will be used by many families, individuals and groups, local Churches and across the world.

www.worldmeeting2018.ie/amoris



TICKETS, REGISTRATION AND ACCOMMODATION

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Visit the ticket section of our website for information on how to register online for the Congress and other events. Additional information and support is also available to assist with registration, accommodation, tours and transport in Ireland for individuals and groups who wish to be part of WMOF2018 or who wish to extend their stay in Ireland.

Put World Meeting of Families 2018

in your diary and start planning
to join us in Dublin, Ireland,
from 22 to 26 August 2018.

Come on your own, in a group,
or with your family!



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WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018

DUBLIN, IRELAND, 22-26 AUGUST 2018

Held every three years, this major international event brings together families from across the world to celebrate, pray and reflect upon the importance of marriage and the family as the cornerstone of our lives, of society and of the Church.

The event has at its heart three main moments:

✦ **Three-Day Congress** (22nd to 24th August 2018): a joyful and reflective programme of workshops, talks and discussions; an engaging and exciting programme for young people as well as faith and fun activities for children.

✦ **Festival of Families** (25th August): a special concert style event within a prayerful and joyful atmosphere, in which personal stories of faith will be shared by families representing the continents of the world.

✦ **Solemn Eucharistic Celebration** (26th August) that will gather thousands of people from Ireland and all over the world.

WMOF2018 will include **exhibitions, cultural events** and **musical performances, events around the city**, gestures of **solidarity** with those in need, **celebrations** and much more. The main events of the WMOF2018 will take place in Dublin, at a large conference venue as well as in other venues in and around the city. It is also anticipated that related events, including the hosting of international groups, will take place all over the island of Ireland. Attendance to all events will require tickets and/or registration.

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Donate Online

Make a vital contribution to family and the Church. Please support us with your donation! Every contribution will be used for the organisation of WMOF2018 to offset the costs of running such a large event. We will also be holding national Sunday Church collections in the period running up to the event. Thank you for your support to date.

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