

TIMELINE OF MEETINGS BETWEEN POPES AND ECUMENICAL PATRIARCHS

The Visits of the Popes of Rome to Constantinople During the First Millennium

During the first millennium, there were no visits of the Primate of Constantinople to Rome because New Rome (Constantinople) had become the capital of the Empire.

536 The visit of Pope Agapetus of Rome to Constantinople

547 The visit of Pope Vigilius of Rome to Constantinople

711 The visit of Pope Constantine of Rome to Constantinople

The Efforts for Unification of the Two Churches After the Schism (1054)

1438–1439 The journey of Ecumenical Patriarch Joseph to Italy

The first contacts of Ecumenical Patriarch Athenagoras with the Roman-Catholic Church



1964 (5–6 January) The Meeting of Pope Paul

VI and Ecumenical Patriarch Athenagoras in Jerusalem

1967 (25 July) The visit of Pope Paul VI to the Ecumenical Patriarchate



1967 (26–28 October) The visit of Ecumenical Patriarch Athenagoras to the Church of Rome

1979 (29–30 November)

The visit of Pope John Paul II to the Ecumenical Patriarchate



1987 (3–7 December) The visit of Ecumenical Patriarch Dimitrios to the Church of Rome



1995 (27–30 June) The First Visit of Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew to the Church of Rome

2002 (23–25 January) The Second Visit of Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew to the Church of Rome



2004 (28 June–2 July) The Third Visit of Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew to the Church of Rome

2004 (26–27 November) The Fourth Visit of Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew to the Church of Rome

2005 (7–8 April) The Journey of Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew to the Church of Rome for the funeral service of Pope John Paul II

2006 (November 29–December 1) The Visit of Pope Benedict XVI to the Ecumenical Patriarchate



2007 (21 October) Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew attends an Interfaith Peace Summit hosted by Pope Benedict XVI in Naples

2008 (6 March) Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew visits Pope Benedict XVI at the Vatican

2008 (28–30 June) Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew visits Pope Benedict XVI at the Vatican



2008 (18 October) Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew participated in the XII Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops at the Sistine Chapel



2011 (27 October) Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew attends an

Interfaith Peace Summit hosted by Pope Benedict XVI in Assisi

2012 (10–11 October) Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew visits the Church of Rome on the Occasion of the 50th Anniversary of Vatican Council II



2013 (19–20 March) Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew visits the Church of Rome for the inaugural mass of Pope Francis

2014 (25–26 May) Apostolic Pilgrimage of His Holiness Pope Francis and His All-Holiness Ecumenical



Patriarch Bartholomew to Jerusalem to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the historic meeting between Pope Paul VI and Ecumenical Patriarch Athenagoras

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