

Symposium with Pope Francis in Rome October 12 - 15



The Vincentian Family around the world is excited to celebrate 400 years of the Vincentian Charism. Special celebrations, pilgrimages, conferences, meetings, popular missions, projects for those who are the poorest, and additional activities are being developed in many countries. In order to renew our missionary zeal and keep the flame burning in all Vincentians around the world, the International Vincentian Family has organized four events to celebrate the 400th anniversary:

- Pilgrimage of the heart of St. Vincent de Paul
- Symposium with Pope Francis in Rome
- The Film Festival
- Homelessness Initiative.

The first event, the pilgrimage of the heart of St. Vincent de Paul already started his travel in France. It is visiting the peripheries in France, then it will travel Italy and other countries where St. Vincent de Paul sent the first missionaries. For many in those countries, this will be a blessing to have the heart of St. Vincent.

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