



CUSTODIA TERRÆ SANCTÆ

**CELEBRATIONS FOR THE RE-OPENING OF THE MEMORIAL OF MOSES  
MOUNT NEBO – JORDAN**

**Saturday, October 15, 2016 at 4:00 pm**

**Civil Ceremony to inaugurate Restored Memorial of Moses**

(Admission with invitation only)

**Solemn opening of the door of the Memorial**

*“Open the gates that the righteous nation may enter, the nation that keeps faith” (Is 26,2)*

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**Sunday, October 16, 2016**

**Religious Ceremony in Basilica presided by**

**H.Em. Card. Leonardo Sandri, Special Envoy of His Holiness Pope Francis**

(The memorial area is accessible for the mass and the concert only)

**6:00 pm: Solemn Mass**

all priests are invited to concelebrate – please, confirm your attendance (please, bring alb and stole)

The celebration is open to all

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**9:00 pm: Concert**

**Terra Sancta International Organ Festival**

Inauguration of the new small and prestigious Italian pipe organ “Nicola Puccini”

Eugenio Maria Fagiani (Italy), organist. Soloists of the *Fountain of Love Choir* (Jordan)

Tareq Al-Jundi, oud; Nasser Salameh, raq

In collaboration with the Embassy of Italy in Amman

**Admission Free**

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**OTHER EVENTS OF THE PROGRAM**

<p><b>Monday, October 17, 2016</b></p>	<p><b>11:00 am: Workshop on the restoration and new discoveries of the basilica to Tourist Guides</b>          Prof. Fr. <b>Eugenio Alliata</b>, scientific director of the restoration,          Architect <b>Osama Hamdan</b>, construction manager  <b>Franco Sciorilli</b>, responsible for the restoration of mosaics</p> <p><b>From 2:00 pm: Guided tours in Arabic and English</b></p>
<p><b>Tuesday, October 18, 2016</b></p>	<p><b>From 10:00 am to 2:00 pm: Guided tours in Arabic and English</b></p> <p><b>"Precious Water": archaeological Seminar</b>          organized by the Italian Embassy in Amman in collaboration with Mount Nebo Franciscan Monastery          10:00 am: AMMAN - University of Jordan: Seminar  <b>4:00 pm: MOUNT NEBO Presentation of the Memorial of Moses to the scientific community.</b>          Speaker: Prof. Fr. Eugenio Alliata (Studium Biblicum Franciscanum – Jerusalem)</p>
<p><b>November</b></p>	<p><b>Guided visits for schools</b>          (reservation required)</p>
<p><b>December, date to be announced</b></p>	<p><b>4:00 pm Seminar</b>  <b>"The Prophet Moses and Mount Nebo"</b>          organized by Royal Institute for Inter-Faith Studies, Italian Embassy in Amman, Mount Nebo Franciscan Monastery  <i>Under the patronage of His Royal Highness Prince El Hassan bin Talal</i></p>
<p><b>Friday, December 23, 2016</b></p>	<p><b>6:00 pm: Christmas Concert</b>          The first Jordanian "Christmas Oratorio" composed and conducted by Tomeh Jbara – Fountain of Love Choir and Orchestra</p>
<p><b>Saturday, December 24, 2016</b></p>	<p><b>10:00 pm: Solemn Christmas Mass in the Basilica</b></p>

For the complete program, please visit [www.montenebo.org](http://www.montenebo.org)  
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