

# DIOCESAN DAY IN THE HOLY YEAR

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18 IN DELFT



## *Pilgrims of hope in a missionary Church*

You are warmly invited to make a pilgrimage to Delft on Saturday, October 18. At 10:30 a.m., Bishop Van den Hende will preside at the Eucharistic celebration in the Maria van Jesse Church. Then choose between a pilgrimage program in this church or the inspiring mini-pilgrimage: what does it mean to be a pilgrim of hope in a missionary Church? The day will conclude around 3:00 p.m. with a closing prayer service of mission and hope.



**COME TO  
DELFT!  
REGISTER  
NOW.**



10.30 am

### **EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATION IN THE MARIA VAN JESSEKERK**

Bishop Van den Hende is the main celebrant.

12.00 pm

**LUNCH** Please bring your own lunch.

1.00 pm

### **CHILDREN'S PROGRAM IN CHURCH**

### **PILGRIMAGE PROGRAM**

In Delft, the mother of Jesus is venerated under the title Mary of Jesse. What does this title mean, and what is the history of the annual Maria Ommegang in Delft? These questions will be explored during the pilgrimage program in the church.

### **MINI-PILGRIMAGE**

The mini-pilgrimage includes a short walk to another location in the city (Stanislas College). There will be a brief presentation as a prelude to a synodal group discussion on the theme of the day: what does it mean to be a pilgrim of hope in a missionary Church?

3.00 pm

### **PRAYER SERVICE OF MISSION AND HOPE**

Joint closing with prayer and Scripture readings, renewal of our baptismal vows, and recitation of the creed in the HH. Franciscus en Clarakerk. Plus the 'rosary of hope' for persecuted Christians and peace in the world. Mary, the 'Mother of Hope', continues to intercede for us and pray with us!

**MARIA VAN JESSE KERK** Burgwal 20

**STANISLAS COLLEGE** Westplantsoen 71

**HH. FRANCISCUS EN CLARAKERK** Raamstraat 76



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