

FRANÇOIS XAVIER NGUYỄN VĂN THUẬN

WITNESS OF HOPE

25 march
2026
4.00-5.30 pm

ROME

Hall of the Lateran Treaties
Lateran Apostolic Palace
Piazza San Giovanni in Laterano, 6A

SAVE THE DATE

On the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the publication of the book **"The Road of Hope"** which collects the 1,001 thoughts addressed by Vietnamese Cardinal François-Xavier Nguyễn Văn Thuận to his faithful during the long years of his imprisonment, the **Cause for the Beatification of Cardinal Văn Thuận**, the **Dicastero for Promoting Integral Human Development**, the **Dicastero for the Clergy**, **Città Nuova Publishing**, and the **Diocese of Rome** invite us to discover this great witness of faith and hope together.

Speakers:

His Eminence Cardinal Baldassare Reina
Vicar General of His Holiness for the Diocese of Rome

His Eminence Cardinal Michael Czerny, S.J.
Prefect of the Dicastero for Promoting Integral Human Development

Dr. Waldery Hilgeman
Postulator of the Cause for the Beatification of Cardinal François-Xavier Nguyễn Văn Thuận

Mrs. Élisabeth Nguyễn Thị Thu Hồng
Sister of Card. F. X. Nguyễn Văn Thuận

His Eminence Cardinal Lazzaro You Heung-sik
Prefect of the Dicastero for the Clergy

His Eminence Cardinal Luis Antonio Tagle
Pro-Prefect of the Dicastero for Evangelization

Musical contribution
Rev. Carlo Seno

Moderator
Dr. Alessandro De Carolis
Journalist, Vatican Radio Vatican News

*In-person participation is allowed
until all seats are filled, subject to confirmation.
Simultaneous translation will be available
in English, French, Spanish, Portuguese,
German and Vietnamese.*

*The event is open to the press with accreditation
at the Holy See Press Office*

REGISTRATION

