Advise and Help for “Do-it-Yourselfers” to Rome

People going to Rome on their own frequently ask for advise and assistance. What to see? What to do? Where to stay? I often get many questions about what to see and do in Rome. Here are some helpful links for the “Do-it-yourselfer.”

Check out the Holy Father’s schedule and make sure to take part by contacting the Bishops' Office for U.S. Visitors to the Vatican. Being present for the Wednesday General Audience or especially for a Papal Mass is an experience to have at least once in a lifetime.

There are expensive, comfortable accommodations at one end of the spectrum and guest houses and convents on the other end. Contact Corporate Travel below for assistance and advice. They can also assist with drivers and guides.

Learn to use the bus, the train and the underground system for quick, inexpensive and efficient travel not only within Rome but to other sites like Venice, Naples, Florence or Pompeii (see link below). I have also provided the name of a driver we often use for running around Rome or for day trips.


Corporate Travel, the best Catholic agency to work with for Italy

Visiting the Vatican and the Bishops’ Office for U.S. Visitors to the Vatican Information

Information about Celebrating Weddings or Wedding Anniversaries in Rome

Holy Father's Liturgical Calendar

The SCAVI (St. Peter's Bones and Necropolis under St. Peter's Basilica) Recommended!

Information about the Vatican Museums

Information about Vatican City State

Information about the Church of Santa Susanna: Home of the American Catholic Church in Rome

Best book on Rome, her churches and the Vatican

The Rome Metro System for trains, buses and the underground

Gennaro Roviello - driver and guide for Rome or day trips