

Prophecy Update

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Pope Leo meets LGBTQ+ Catholic advocate and vows continuity with Pope Francis' legacy of welcome

Pope Leo XIV met Monday with one of the most prominent advocates for greater LGBTQ+ inclusion in the Catholic Church and encouraged his ministry, sending a strong signal of welcome in the early months of his pontificate.

The Rev. James Martin, a New York-based Jesuit author and editor, said Leo told him he intended to continue Pope Francis' policy of LGBTQ+ acceptance in the church and encouraged him to keep up his advocacy.

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Pope to Israeli President: Urgent ceasefire and aid for Gaza

During a private audience, Pope Leo XIV and Isaac Herzog discuss the need for an urgent ceasefire and unimpeded aid access for Gaza, as well as the liberation of all remaining hostages and a two-state solution as the only path to peace.

Pope Leo XIV on Thursday received Isaac Herzog, President of the State of Israel, in audience in the Apostolic Palace.

The Israeli President subsequently met with Cardinal Pietro Parolin, Secretary of State, and Archbishop Paul R. Gallagher, Secretary for Relations with States and International Organizations.

According to a statement issued by the Holy See Press Office, during “the cordial talks with the Holy Father and in the Secretariat of State, the political and social situation in the Middle East was addressed, where numerous conflicts persist, with particular attention given to the tragic situation in Gaza.”

The statement added that there were talks about how to ensure a future for the Palestinian people and about peace and stability in the region. It said the Holy See reiterated its view that "a two-state solution is the only way out of the current war.”

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Terrorist Attack Foiled in Italy

On the evening of Wednesday, September 3rd, the Italian police foiled a suspected terrorist attack at the Santa Rosa religious festival in Viterbo, arresting two Turkish men armed with a machine gun, pistols, and ammunition just hours before the event.

The men—staying at a B&B along the procession route—were detained by counter-terrorism police after the owner reported suspicious behavior.

The operation—described by Prime Minister Giorgia Meloni as “decisive”—involved Italy’s Central Security Task Group (NOC) with counter-terror units, bomb-sniffing dogs, and snipers positioned on rooftops.

Around 40,000 attendees witnessed the procession, including Deputy Prime Minister Antonio Tajani and Culture Minister Alessandro Giuli, who were quickly escorted away by police.

The festival proceeded safely, but for the first time in its history, all city lights remained on, to ensure public safety.

Authorities are investigating potential links to Turkish criminal networks and possible terrorist motives. The two suspects were not previously known to Italian law enforcement.

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Take it from this Egyptian Christian, soon there won't be a single Christian left in Egypt

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U.S. Amphibious Landing Exercise Underway In Puerto Rico As Tensions With Venezuela Mount

The amphibious training in Puerto Rico comes as the U.S. has at least eight warships in the Caribbean and just struck a Venezuelan drug boat.

As the U.S. deploys an armada of ships and aircraft to the southern Caribbean, at least partly aimed at Venezuelan dictator Nicolas Maduro, the U.S. Navy and Marines are conducting an amphibious landing training exercise in southern Puerto Rico. While the U.S. Marine Corps does not make any mention of Maduro or Venezuela in its media release about the exercise, the move comes as tensions are mounting between Washington and Caracas over the flow of illegal narcotics. The

Trump administration considers Maduro a “narco-terrorist” and has raised the award for his arrest to \$50 million. You can catch up with our most recent reporting on the Caribbean deployments here.

<https://www.twz.com/news-features/u-s-strikes-venezuelan-drug-boat-in-the-southern-caribbean>

The U.S. military has conducted a “lethal strike” in the southern Caribbean against a drug vessel that departed from Venezuela and was operated by a designated narco-terrorist organization, U.S. Secretary of State Marco Rubio said on X. His comments came moments after U.S. President Donald Trump told reporters that “over the last few minutes [the military] literally shot out a boat, a drug-carrying boat, a lot of drugs in that boat.” The incident took place as Trump has dispatched at least eight warships to the region to fight drug trafficking.

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French hospitals told to prepare for war in Europe by next year in leaked Government letter

The country’s health ministry has instructed hospitals to prepare for a ‘major military engagement’ by March 2026

French hospitals have been told to prepare a potential armed conflict in Europe by next year, local media reported.

In a letter sent to regional health agencies, revealed by Le Canard Enchaîné , the Ministry of Health asked hospitals to prepare for a “major (military) engagement” by March 2026.

The newspaper warned that between 10,000 and 50,000 men could be expected in hospitals over a period of 10 to 180 days

“It's part of preparation, like strategic stockpiles, like epidemics,” she told the broadcaster. “I wasn't in office at the time of Covid-19, remember, there were no words harsh enough to describe the country's lack of preparedness.

“It is perfectly normal for the country to anticipate crises and the consequences of what is happening. This is part of the responsibility of central government.”

<https://www.msn.com/en-us/news/world/russia-issues-warning-as-european-leaders-zelenskyy-meet-in-paris-before-trump-call/ar-AA1LRf38>

Russia issues warning as European leaders, Zelenskyy meet in Paris before Trump call

Russia's Foreign Ministry again warned that Moscow will not accept the presence of any Western troops in Ukraine as part of a future peace deal, as Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy prepared to meet a group of top European leaders in Paris on Thursday.

"Russia does not intend to discuss unacceptable foreign intervention in Ukraine in any form whatsoever," spokesperson Maria Zakharova said in comments published by the Foreign Ministry on Thursday. "Western war instigators view Ukraine as a testing ground for their military developments," she said.

Moscow has repeatedly rebuffed proposals for Western forces to be deployed to Ukraine in any capacity as part of a deal to end Russia's full-scale invasion of its neighbor, which began in February 2022.

Nonetheless, the prospect is still under discussion by NATO leaders and the Ukrainian government as an element of the security guarantees Kyiv says are needed to facilitate any U.S.-brokered peace deal.

Zakharova said Thursday that the protections under discussion "are not security guarantees for Ukraine, they are guarantees of threat to the European continent."

Zelenskyy will gather with European leaders -- the so-called "Coalition of the Willing" -- for further talks in Paris on Thursday. The group will then speak with U.S. President Donald Trump virtually at around 8 a.m. ET, according to a schedule published by French President Emmanuel Macron's office.

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NATO Chief Warns China and Russia Are Preparing for 'Long-Term Confrontation'

NATO Secretary General Mark Rutte warned that Russia and China are preparing their defense industries for "long-term confrontation," after Presidents Xi Jinping and Vladimir Putin led a parade of Beijing's new military hardware.

"We face serious and lasting threats: Russia and China are investing heavily to build up and modernize their militaries," Rutte said in a speech at the IISS Prague Defence Summit on Thursday. "Their defense industries are producing weapons and heavy military equipment at a remarkable, staggering, rate."

<https://www.vigilantfox.com/p/unstoppable-xi-unveils-nuclear-triad>

'Unstoppable': Xi Unveils Nuclear Triad in Military Parade Challenging West, Alongside Putin & Kim

Trump responds: "Please give my warmest regards to Vladimir Putin, & Kim Jong Un, as you conspire against the United States of America."

Chinese leader Xi Jinping's massive military parade in Tiananmen Square marking the end of World War II, and attended by world leaders, mostly notably so-called 'pariahs' Russian President Vladimir Putin and North Korea's Kim Jong Un, hasn't disappointed - and even elicited a quick response from President Trump.

Xi declared that China's rise is "unstoppable" and showcased over 10,000 troops marching in perfect synchronicity - and a notable lack of 'diversity' so elevated in the West - along with hundreds of advanced weapons. Most notably, Xi also for the first time showcased the PLA military's land, sea, and air-based nuclear force - a complete and deadly triad.

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RFK Jr defends health agency shake up, Democrats call for his ouster
US Health Secretary Robert F. Kennedy said Thursday that firing the director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) was “absolutely necessary” to restore high standards, as he faced blistering criticism from Democrats urging him to resign.

“We need bold, competent and creative new leadership at CDC, people able and willing to chart a new course,” he told a Senate hearing marked by sharp exchanges that at times erupted into shouting matches.

His remarks came days after the ouster of Sue Monarez, which, along with several high-level resignations, has plunged the nation’s top public health agency into turmoil.

Ron Wyden, the top Democrat on the Senate Finance Committee leading the hearing, opened by demanding Kennedy be sworn in under oath, accusing him of lying in previous written testimony.

“It is in the country’s best interest that Robert Kennedy step down, and if he doesn’t, Donald Trump should fire him before more people are hurt,” Wyden thundered.

The request was rejected by the Republican chairman, Senator Mike Crapo, who praised Kennedy for his focus on chronic disease, including the obesity crisis.

<https://worldviewtube.com/vault/article/cdc-launches-probe-vaccine-injuries>

CDC Launches Probe Into Vaccine Injuries

For the first time, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has opened an official investigation into health risks tied to COVID-19 mRNA vaccines. The newly formed Immunization Workgroup will review studies on excess deaths, cardiovascular harm, fertility decline, and the persistence of spike protein in the body.

The group will be led by MIT professor Retsef Levi, a vocal critic of the CDC’s handling of vaccine safety. Its findings could have sweeping implications for U.S. health policy, insurance mandates, and vaccine programs.

Children’s Health Defense CEO Mary Holland welcomed the move but warned that “the need to reevaluate these novel gene therapies is urgent.”

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President Trump’s AI, Energy Dominance Agenda Fuels \$1B Investment

Today, Hitachi Energy announced a \$1 billion investment in U.S. critical electrical grid infrastructure, including a \$457 million investment in a new Virginia-based large

power transformer facility — creating thousands of new jobs and helping to power the artificial intelligence revolution.

It's a key step forward in accelerating President Donald J. Trump's energy dominance agenda by fortifying our supply chains to meet energy demand. The company cites the White House AI Action Plan as its catalyst — the Trump Administration's transformative strategy to propel the U.S. into a new era of AI dominance and cement our position as the global AI powerhouse.

Earlier this year, President Trump showcased an unprecedented \$92 billion commitment by many of the world's leading energy and technology companies to build cutting-edge AI and energy infrastructure in Pennsylvania.

Meanwhile, the Trump Administration has overseen an investment boom as companies race to onshore production, expand manufacturing operations, and build new critical infrastructure amid President Trump's America First trade policy.

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