



# Our Travels to the Vatican

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# The Vatican

- The Vatican is the worldwide headquarters of the Roman Catholic Church.
- It is the smallest state in the world (.17 square miles). The area is a walled city that is inside Rome.
- There are several famous sites—St. Peter's Square, St. Peter's Basilica, the Papal Gardens & the Museum (which has the Sistine Chapel).

# A Section of the Walls of the Vatican

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# St. Peter's Basilica, Vatican

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# St. Peter's Square, Vatican

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# St. Peter's Square

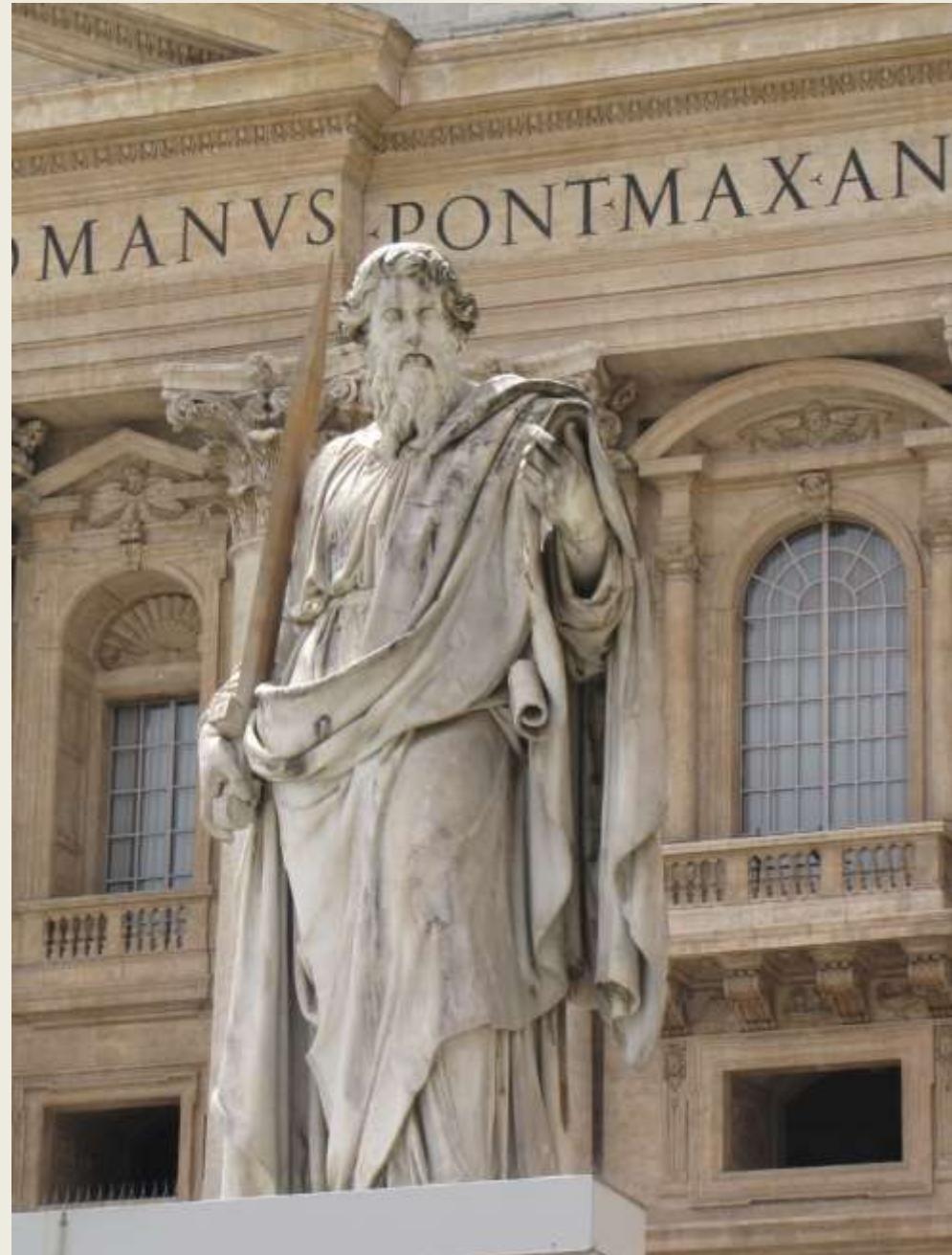
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Swiss Guard,  
Vatican  
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St. Peter's  
Statue, Vatican  
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# Michelangelo's Pieta

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# Inside St. Peter's Basilica

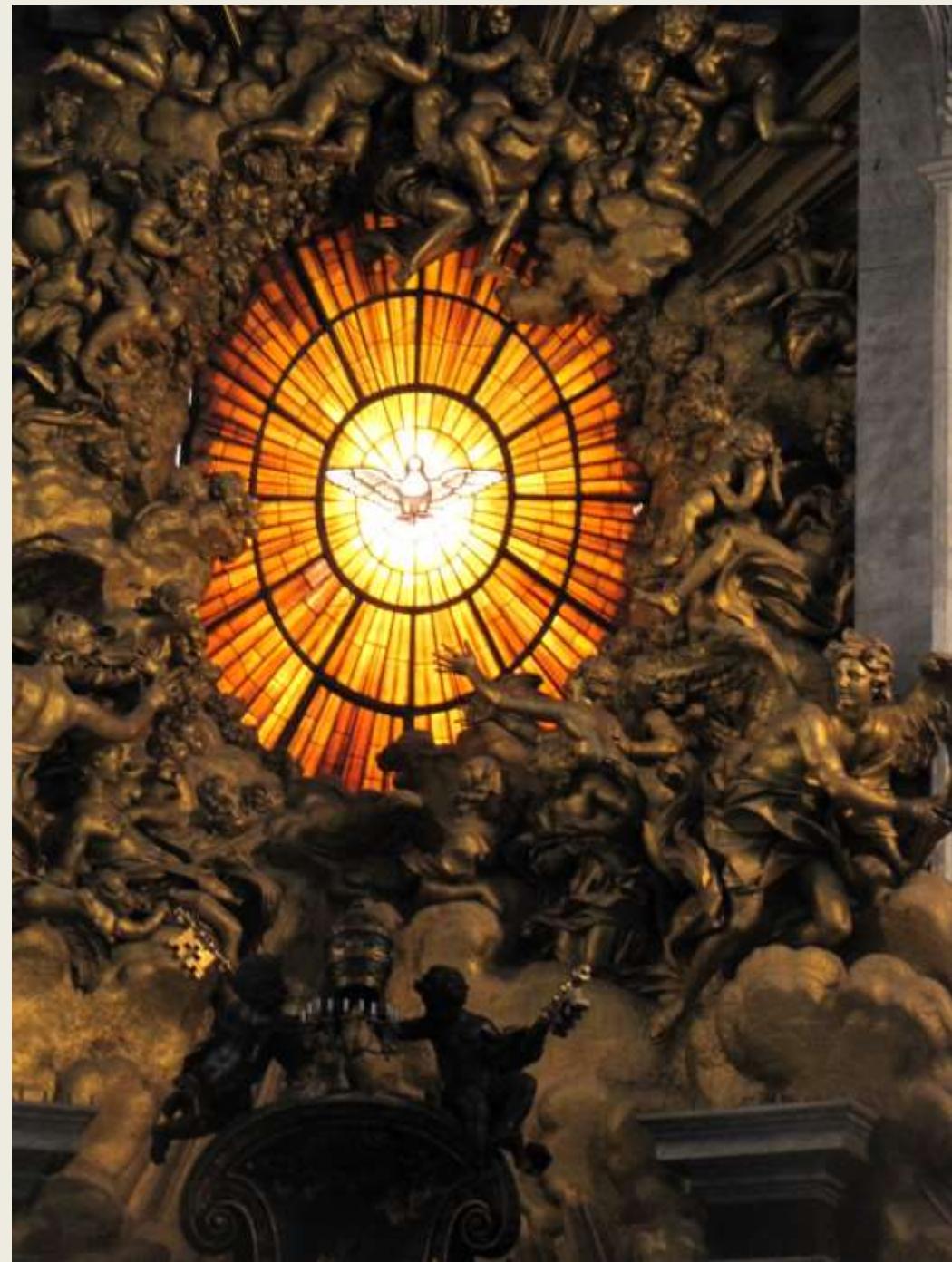
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# Pope's Chair Photo Anne Schrader



Dove Window  
St. Peter's  
Basilica Photo  
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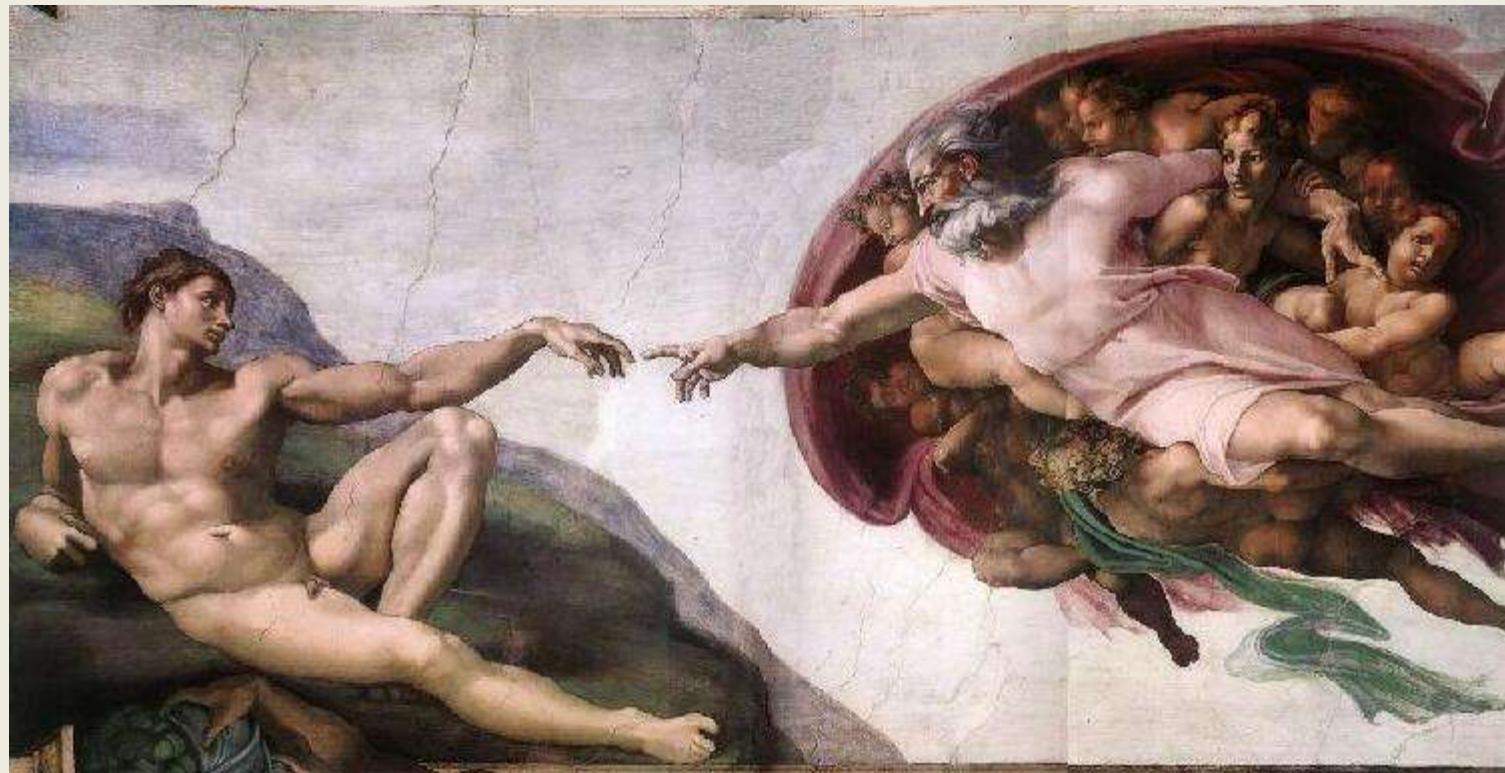
# Papal Gardens, Vatican

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# The Creation of Adam, Sistine Chapel

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# Helpful Travel Info

- **Capital**
  - Vatican City
- **Languages**
  - Italian
- **Currency**
  - Euro
- **Size**
  - 0.17 square miles
- **Best Buys**
  - Stamps, Religious souvenirs

# More Travel Info

- **Drive On**
- **Tipping Practices**
- **Phone County Codes**
- **Long distance within**
- **From US to**
- **From other Europe country**
- Right; International Driving Permit required
- Restaurants:
- Taxis:
- Hotel Staff:
- 379
- Local number
- 011+379+Local number
- 00+379+Local number