

BLESSING OF THE WATER RITES AT THE PATRIARCHATE'S ARABIC SCHOOLS

On the occasion of the beginning of the new school year for 2016-2017, blessing of the water rites were performed between the 3rd/16th of October to the 9th/22nd of October 2016 at the Patriarchate's Arabic Schools, namely: St Demetrios in Jerusalem, The Shepherds in Beit Sahour, St George in Ramallah and Taybeh in the town of Taybeh, adjacent to Ramallah.

In the context of the ceremony, the school Principals and teachers, as well as the retired Chairman of Arabic Schools, Archimandrite Ieronymos, collaborated with the new Chairman, Archimandrite Mathew, the member of the School Board, f. Issa Mousleh, and Secretary Fandi Abdelnour, who conveyed to both teachers and students the blessings of His Beatitude Theophilos, Patriarch of Jerusalem.

From the Secretariat-General

