



The News

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Buckingham Palace announced that period of royal mourning began late this morning and will last seven days after the funeral of Elizabeth II. We do not yet know the exact date of the funeral. The flags of the royal residences will remain at half-mast until 8 hours after the last day of mourning.

And he is now King of the United Kingdom, Prince Charles becomes Charles III, although his enthronement as sovereign will not take place until tomorrow, the new Head of State will deliver his first speech this evening.

Charles III has just left Balmoral Castle. He will meet with Prime Minister Liz Truss in London and decide the final details of the Queen's funeral.

Emmanuel Macron is at the British Embassy in Paris to pay tribute to the Franco-British friendship. He also signed the register of condolences in tribute to Elizabeth II and sent a message to Charles III.

As a result of the Queen's death, British railway and postal workers are interrupting their strikes, which began several months ago, to demand wage increases. The unions express their most sincere condolences to those close to the Queen.

Also in the news, nine police officers were injured before the soccer match between Nice and Cologne last night in the Europa League. According to the prefect of the Alpes-Maritimes, between 200 and 300 German supporters have committed acts violence. In total, around thirty supporters were injured and four hospitalized.