



The News

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Emmanuel Macron is expected in Egypt. The Head of State will go to Cairo to meet the Egyptian President, just after his visit today to Jordan. The President continues his visit in the Middle East, 2 weeks and a half after the Hamas attack on Israel. After a trip to the Hebrew state, Emmanuel Macron also went to the West Bank yesterday to discuss the conflict with the president of the Palestinian Authority Mahmoud Abbas. The head of state believes that there will be no lasting peace as long as a Palestinian territory is not recognized.

After 7 weeks of hearing, the verdict for the "king of escapes" is expected today. Redoine Faïd is tried before the Paris Circuit Court with 5 of his relatives for his spectacular escape, by helicopter, from the prison of Réau in 2018. 22 years of criminal imprisonment are requested against the multi-recidivist robber.

Certain stained-glass windows from the church of Sainte-Catherine, near Lyon, were removed yesterday. These works were painted by Father Louis Ribes. The priest is accused of having raped and sexually assaulted dozens, even hundreds of children. These acts of pedophilia were committed over 40 years between the 1950s and 1990s, notably during posing sessions and artistic workshops across the Loire, Rhône and Isère. His victims demanded the removal of his works. The man nicknamed the "Picasso of churches" died in 1994 at the age of 74.

It was a promise from the government: The purchasing power bonus will be paid to state and hospital civil service agents before the end of the month. The aid amounts to between 300 and 800 euros gross, as announced today by the Ministry of Civil Service. 2 million people are concerned.

In soccer, the PSG must get its act together in the Champions League. 3 weeks after its big defeat at Newcastle, Paris faces AC Milan this evening at 9 p.m.

And then the official route of the Tour de France 2024 will be revealed today. A 111th edition which will leave from Florence, Italy on June 29, with an arrival scheduled for July 21, not on the Champs Elysée due to the Olympics, but on the Promenade des Anglais in Nice.