



## **Metropolitan Hilarion of Volokolamsk meets with Apostolic Nuncio to Russian Federation**



On April 20, 2021, Metropolitan Hilarion of Volokolamsk, head of the Moscow Patriarchate Department for External Church Relations (DECR), met at the DECR with Apostolic Nuncio to the Russian Federation Archbishop Giovanni d'Aniello.

The discussed the present situation of the relations between the Russian Orthodox Church and the Roman Catholic Church, and a number of issues of the bilateral interaction of current importance.

They emphasized that the year 2021 is marked with the 5 th anniversary of the Havana Meeting and, on the occasion of the first anniversary of this historic event, it is planned to initiate a series of joint projects. They also discussed plans for their implementation.

They were joined in their talk by Hieromonk Stephen (Igumnov), DECR secretary for inter-Christian relations and Monsignor Peter Tarnavsky.

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