

MNC NE Command Group joins in the military pilgrimage

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The Commander of the Multinational Corps Northeast Lieutenant General Rainer Korff and his Deputy Major General Bogusław Samol participated in the last stage of the annual military pilgrimage to Jasna Góra in Częstochowa.

Jasna Góra is a traditional pilgrimage destination in Poland where the most famous shrine to the Virgin Mary is located. All pilgrimages culminate on 15 August when the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into Heaven is celebrated.

This year, on the invitation of the Polish Land Forces Commander Lieutenant General Zbigniew Głowienka, General Korff and General Samol decided to take part in the pilgrimage. Together with other military representatives of the Polish Armed Forces and representatives of armed forces from other countries, they took part in the Holy Mass organized in Przeprośna Górka near Częstochowa held in English, German and Polish. They have also visited the John Paul II Coin and Medal Collection Museum, and headed off towards Jasna Góra where they participated in the final stage of the walking pilgrimage. A part of the event was also wreath

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laying ceremony at the Unknown Soldier's Tomb.

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