The Eucharistic miracle of Bolsena is belived to be occurred consacration in 1263 in the town of the same name: while a priest was celebrating mass, at the moment of the consecration the host bled.

The visit to the catacombs offers a journey to the roots of our faith, to the roots of the Christian community of Bolsena. The itinerary begins in front of the altar of the Eucharistic Miracle, then passing through the centuries, next to the sarcophagus of S. Cristina in the crypt.

Lake Bolsena is located in northern Lazio in the province of Viterbo at a height of 305 meters above sea level. It is the largest volcanic lake in Europe and in Lazio and the fifth largest lake in Italy with an area of 113.5 sq km.
The main caldera, which has taken on the characteristic elliptical shape typical of lakes of volcanic origin, is set in the mountainous-hilly group of Monti Volsini.

Dear Tatraist friends,
The next gathering that we are organizing in Italy for the coming year will focus on art, history, food and wine.
The base of the event will be in Bolsena, a town that gives its name to the largest volcanic lake in Europe.
We will also visit Orvieto and Civita di Bagnoregio "the dying city".
It is recommended to bring a bathing suit.

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Invitation

XLIV INTERNATIONAL MEETING TATRA-MEETING

09-12 MAY 2024 BOLSENA – ORVIETO (ITA)

ST. PATRICK'S WELL

The only "WELL" in the world built in such a way that the descent ramp does not meet the ascent one

ORVIETO CATHEDRAL

The Golden Lily of the Cathedrals. Masterpiece of Gothic art begun in 1290 and completed in the second half of the 1500s

NATIONAL ETRUSCAN ARCHAEOLOGICAL MUSEUM

The halls of the Museum collect the materials recovered during research in the necropolis and sanctuaries close to the city of Orvieto

CIVITA DI BAGNOREGIO "THE DYING CITY"

it is located on the border between Lazio and Umbria, in the province of Viterbo and is nicknamed "the dying city" given its steep position on a tufaceous hill destined to erode.