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"Football is God" explores the close relation between faith and football, following three fans of the legendary Club Atlético Boca Juniors in Buenos Aires. Hernán is an intellectual, intoxicated by a love for Boca that he cannot shake off. Pablo is a working class man that believes that the former Boca player, Diego Maradona is a God. La Tía (The Auntie) is an old eccentric. She considers the Boca players her sons. "Football is God" is about football & but also about faith, passion and the need for being part of something bigger than one self.

Basic information

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Director of Photography	Henrik Bohn Ipsen
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Sound	Peter Albrechtsen
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