

Advent Calendar SalzburgerLand 2008

**Christmas & Advent Markets ■ Advent Choral Events ■
Krampus & Perchten Processions ■ Advent Hikes ■
And much more during the Christmas season**

| November – December 2008 | | |
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| 1st – 3rd Advent Weekends Fri-Sun 2-6pm | Fuschl am See | Art at the Füßlstall Exhibition and sale of Christmas decorations and Nativity scenes |
| 12.11. 7pm | Grossgmain | Advent Singing in the Marienwallfahrtskirche |
| 15.11. 9am | St. Michael im Lungau | Traditional St. Martin's Market |
| 15.11. 7pm | Abersee Adam Tenne | Abersee Perchten Show – Adam Tenne |
| 20.11.-23.12. Thu-Sun 20.11. – 26.12. Mon-Thu: 10am-8:30pm Fr: 10am-9pm Sat, Sun and holidays: 9am-9pm 24.12.: 9am-3pm | Zell am See Salzburg | Christmas Market Forecourt of the Ferry Porsche Congress Center “Christkindl” Market on the Cathedral Square During the Christmas Market, Salzburg's Old City once again transforms itself into a cheerful, bustling gathering spot, marked by warmth, snow-covered rooftops and domes, and the tones of the many church bells reminding us of the approaching Christmas celebrations. Special programs: Blessing of the Advent Crown, Ringing in Advent, Opening Celebration: www.christkindlmarkt.co.at |
| 20.11. 20.11. – 24.12. Wed-Fri: 1-8pm Sat & Sun as well as 8.12.: 10am-8pm 24.12.: 10am-2pm | Zell am See Kaprun Salzburg | Advent Magic Hellbrunn Advent Magic Advent at perhaps the most “magical” venue in the City of Mozart – set against the imposing backdrop of mannerist Hellbrunn Palace. Treat yourself to an Advent coffee accompanied by the finest chocolate specialties, to mulled wine & punch, or to hot roast chestnuts. www.hellbrunneradventzauber.at |
| 21.11.-23.12. Fr 1-7pm Sat, Sun & 8.12. 10am-7pm 21.11.-21.12. Thu-Sun, Thu 1-7:30pm, Fri, Sat & Sun 10am-7:30pm | Hallein St. Wolfgang St. Gilgen Strobl | Advent Market of a special kind - Pernerinsel, Old Salt Works , www.adventmarkt-hallein.at Wolfgangsee Advent Casting its light across the waters of the Wolfgangsee and far out into the dark winter's night, inviting visitors from near and far to gaze in contemplation and feel a sense of utter joy during this Advent season. For a convenient way to travel from one town to the next, the Wolfgangsee ferries await. <u>Special offer only during Wolfgangsee Advent: Free Peace-Light Lantern for the first 220 visitors on Advent Thursdays, both in St. Gilgen, Strobl and St. Wolfgang.</u> www.wolfgangsee-advent.at |
| 21.11. 8:15pm | Zell am See | Concert in the Jeunesse series “SALZBURG CHAMBER CHOIR” – at the parish church |
| 22.11. 2-8pm 22.11. 4:30pm | Adnet Strobl | Advent Market at the parsonage Festive Opening of Advent on the Wolfgangsee |

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| 22.11. 8pm | Burg Kaprun | Irish Concert “Bachelors Walk” |
| 22.11. – 24.12. Mon-Fri: 9am-7pm Sat, Sun: 9am – 7:30pm 24.12.: 9am-3pm | Salzburg | Christmas Market on the Mirabellplatz Punch, burnt almonds, hot chestnuts and fresh baked apples, gingerbread hearts, Nativity figures, Christmas Tree decorations, toys and a wonderful festive atmosphere – all awaiting you here at the Salzburg Christmas Market in one of the world’s most beautiful cities. www.weihnachtsmarkt-salzburg.at |
| 22.11.-6.01. daily 10am-6pm | Henndorf | Christmas Market at Gut Aiderbichl The world’s biggest living Nativity Scene, plus a festive atmosphere and Christmas splendor emanating from everywhere on the estate. www.gut-aiderbichl.com |
| 23.11. 9:30am | Golling | St. Cecilia Mass in the parish church |
| 23.11. 10am | Hallein | Mass & Commemorative Ceremony to mark the 221st birthday of Franz Xaver Gruber Parish church in Hallein |
| 23.11. 2-8pm | Adnet | Advent Market at the parsonage |
| 23.11. 4pm | Strobl | Rosemarie Bruckbauer reads traditional Christmas stories |
| 27.11. 27.11.-6.1. | Zell am See Kaprun Hallein | Advent Magic Silent Night Museum Hallein, www.stillenachthallein.at |
| 28.-29.11. | Bischofshofen | Traditional Bischofshofen Advent Market |
| 28.-29.11. | Piesendorf | Advent Market hosted by the Catholic Women’s League |
| 28.11. 6pm | Strobl | Moving shepherds’ play by local children - gymnasium |
| 28.11.-21.12. | Grossarl Valley | “Salzburg Mountain Advent” , traditional Advent market with a full program of fringe events. Festive music from singers and wind ensembles, the scents of almonds, baked apples, farmhouse bacon, the fragrant aroma of punch and hot spiced wine. Probably the most quiet, reflective time of the whole year. |
| 29.11. 29.11. 29.11. 29.11. 2pm | Eugendorf Anthering Rauris St. Leonhard | Advent Stand hosted by the farmers’ wives Advent Market Advent Market Opening of the Advent Market With the kind co-operation of the Grödiger Folk-Song Choir, the brass group and the Christmas Riflemen of St. Leonhard |
| 4:30pm 5pm | | Tower Fanfares from the brass ensemble of Musikum Grödig |
| 7pm | | Advent Celebrations – Carinthian Advent Singing: Post Choir Klagenfurt – Folk music performed by Zwetty Buam |
| | | Advent church service with music – blessing of the Advent crowns |
| 29.11. 4pm | Strobl | A Journey through the History of Nativity Figures – in the footsteps of these small figures – village square |
| 29.11. From 4:30pm | Perwang am Grabensee | Advent Market on the village square |
| 29.11. From 5pm | Bergheim | Perchten procession and St. Nick on the village square |
| 29.11. 5:30pm | Grossgmain | Christmas Wind Music performed by the Grossgmain orchestra on the church square |

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| 29.11. 6pm | St. Gilgen | Fire Jump – Lake Park |
| 29.11. 6pm | Hallein | “A stade Weis” musical walk with readings from literature, an event with the Dürrnberg Miners’ Band |
| 29.11. 7pm | St. Gilgen | Christmas Concerto , a festively presented concert with Christmas music by famous masters of the Baroque incl. Antonio Vivaldi, Arcangelo Corelli, Francesco Manfredini, Giuseppe Torelli. |
| 29.11. 7:30pm | Golling | St. Cecilia Concert in the parish church |
| 29.11. 7:30pm | Bad Vigaun | St. Cecilia Concert hosted by the town folk orchestra at the secondary school |
| 29.11. 7:30pm | Leopoldhof, Ried | “When I hear that Advent music” Freies Radio Salzkammergut |
| 29.11. 7:30pm | St. Jakob am Thurn | Krampus Crowns HFC St. Jakob, Jakobisaal |
| 29. & 30.11. | Puch | Puch Advent Market at the Parish Center |
| 29.11.-21.12. every Advent Saturday 3-8pm | Seekirchen | Seekirchen Family Advent Highlights: 29.11. Exhibition of Nativity scenes, Advent reception 6.12. Procession of the Wallersee Perchten figures 13.12. Dialect poets of the Flachgau 20.12. Seekirchen Theatre Group Sleigh rides, Advent train, delicious snacks, live music, gifts, www.citymarketing.seekirchen.at |
| 29.11 – 21.12. every Sat & Sun, Sa 2-7pm, So & 8.12. 11am-7pm | Oberndorf bei Salzburg | Christmas Market on Silent Night Square in front of Silent Night Chapel An Advent experience in the idyllic Silent Night District, with hand-made Christmas decorations and so much more. Every Saturday and Sunday during Advent, as well as December 8 at 3:00 p.m. “Music for Advent” with choir and brass fanfares. www.oberndorf.co.at/info |
| 29.11.-21.12. every Advent weekend 2-7pm | St. Jakob am Thurn | Advent Market |
| 29. & 30.11. Sat & Sun. | Altenmarkt- Zauchensee | Advent Showcase (Advent Market), market square in Altenmarkt |
| 29. & 30.11. 1pm | Ebenau | Ebenau Advent Market Brunnengarten |
| 29.-30.11. | Bad Hofgastein | Advent Market Oberheitzing riding stables |
| 29. & 30.11. 2-7pm | Koppl/Guggenthal | Guggenthal Advent Market |
| 30.11. 7:30am-1pm 5pm | Koppl | Advent Market hosted by the women of Koppl Perchten procession |
| 30.11. 10am | Abersee | “Light into Darkness” - Gamsjaga |
| 30.11. 11am-6pm | Thalgau | Advent Market Reflective Advent atmosphere on the Thalgau town square with beautifully decorated stands |
| 30.11. 10am 3pm 4:30pm 5pm | St. Leonhard | Festive Church Service – ARTIS Choir, Hallein-Salzburg Grödig Krampus Procession Tower Fanfares –Leopoldskron-Moos brass ensemble Advent Celebration- Grödig Song & Music Group |
| 30.11. 30.11. 11am-3pm | Michaelbeuern Hallein | Advent Market , in the evening Perchten Procession St. Nicholas at the Salt Worlds Hourly tours, last tours begins at 3pm |
| 30.11. 5:30pm | Grossgmain | Christmas Fanfares with the Grossgmain folk orchestra, on the church square |
| 30.11. 2pm | Annaberg | Idyllic Advent Market high above Annaberg at the Winterstellgut |
| 30.11. | Hallein / Bad Dürrnberg | Big Old-City Krampus Parade with Igonta Pass |

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| 30.11. 2pm | Adnet | St. Nicholas on the village square |
| 30.11. 3pm | Faistenau | Advent Pilgrimage to Maria Kirchentäl |
| 31.11. 3pm | Bad Gastein | St. Barbara's Concert with the Miners' Band , Böckstein church |
| 1.12. 8pm | Bad Gastein | "Let there be peace once a year..." Reflective Advent with GÖKO & Co, Rittersaal |
| 1.-23.12. every Sat & Sun Sa2 2-7pm Sun 11am-7pm | St. Leonhard bei Grödig | Advent Market St. Leonhard bei Grödig The oldest Advent Market in the SalzburgerLand. Only arts and crafts (such as wood carvings, ceramics, wax, handicrafts, embroidery, knitwear), as well as cookies and fruit bread are offered for sale at this event. In addition, the public can enjoy Christmas fanfares and listen to reflective Christmas songs at St. Leonhard's Pilgrimage Church. All proceeds benefit regional charities. |
| 2.12. 3.12. 3.12. | St. Georgen Bad Vigaun Filzmoos | Perchten Procession Krampus Procession on the village square Christmas Idyll at the Hofalm Enjoy this reflective time of year. The Snow Queen spreads her cloak over the fairy-tale forest which surrounds the Almsee. Lighted torches gently illuminate the way. There are many different ways to communicate with the figures from the life-size Nativity scene. Some are silent, others give their feelings free rein. The festive music and the dance of the Perchten figures set pedestrians in a very mystical, yet soothing frame of mind. And other surprises also await. www.filzmoos.at |
| 3.12. | Uttendorf/Weißsee | Krampus Fair on the market square |
| 3.12. 7:30pm | Puch | Krampus & Perchten Procession - Schulstraße |
| 4.12. 4.12. 6:30pm | Zell am See Kaprun Niederalm | Advent Magic Procession of the Niederalm Krampusses in front of the local firefighters |
| 5.12. 5.12. 5.12. 5.12. 4-6pm 5.12. daily 4-8pm 5pm 7pm 8pm | Grossgmain Altenmarkt Zell am See Kaprun Seekirchen St. Michael | Krampus Procession Krampus Procession – main street in Altenmarkt Krampus Procession on the town square Krampus Procession on the Salzburger Platz St. Nicholas in the town center St. Nick brings gifts for the little ones Advent Market in St. Michael, Opening Festivities With the St. Michael town band, Reinhard Obermayer emcees the program – a number of wind ensembles will perform in the area of the Advent Market Introduction to & Explanation of the Krampus Tradition Followed by a presentation by the Krampus groups of St. Michael |
| 5.12. 6pm 5.12. 6pm 5.12. 7pm 5.12. 7pm 5.12. 7pm 5.12. 7pm 5.12. 8pm | Anif Fuschl am See Golling Markt Puch St. Johann Thalgau | Krampus Crown Procession of the Anif Krampusses forecourt of the village hall Krampus Procession with "Mühlenpass" on the church square Krampus Procession Krampus Procession – Leitnerstraße Children's Krampus Parade and Krampus Procession Krampus Crown at the "Zur Einkehr Wasenmoos" |

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| 5.12.-6.12. Fri 5.12. Sat 6.12. | Zell am See Ferry Porsche Congress Center | Salzburg Alpine Advent Advent gala with Ricardo Marinello and the Tölz Boys' Choir Pinzgau Advent play – Musikum Salzburg, www.salzburgeralpenadvent.com |
| 5.-6.12. | Zell am See | Salzburg Alpine Advent Ferry Porsche Congress Center, Zell am See |
| 5.12. 8pm | St. Johann | Boogie-Blues Star Night with Christoph "Boogie Wolf" Steinbach & Stars on Stage, at the Kultur- & Kongresshaus |
| 5.12.-7.12. | Eugendorf | Eugendorf Advent Market |
| 6.12. 4pm | St. Gilgen | Children's Krampus Parade – St. Nicholas will come with gifts – Mozart Square, St. Gilgen |
| 6.12. 4:30pm 5pm 7pm | St. Leonhard | Tower Fanfares – with the Grödig brass ensemble Advent Celebration – "Gnigl Advent Singing" Advent Worship Service - Schlossbergmusi |
| 6.12. daily 16-20 4:30pm | St. Michael | Advent Market in St. Michael Arts & Crafts at the Christmas Workshop Visit by St. Nicholas - Presents will be handed out! |
| 5:30pm | | Cultural Program in the parish church |
| 6-8pm | | Christmas Stories will be read aloud at the village registry office, musical accompaniment |
| 8pm | | Krampus Crown |
| 6.12. 6pm | Grödig | Big Krampus Procession in the center of Grödig |
| 6.12. 7pm | Eugendorf | Advent Singing in the parish church |
| 6.12. 7:30pm | St. Johann | Big traditional Krampus Parade , town center |
| 6.12. 7pm | Hallein | Krampus Procession in Rehhof, village square |
| 6.12. 7:30pm | Mariapfarr | 11th Joseph Mohr Choral Event Parish church in Mariapfarr |
| 6.12. 7:30pm | Adnet | Krampus Procession |
| 6. & 7.12. 1pm | Ebenau | Ebenau Advent Market Brunnengarten |
| 6. & 7.12. Sat & Sun from 2pm | Lamprechtshausen | Advent Market with a great kids' program -- Friedburger Doll Theatre (7.12. 15), carriage rides, Christmas Workshops where youngsters can make small gifts, St. Nicholas (7.12.), Perchten figures (6.12.) |
| 6.12 - 8.12. 11am-3pm | Hallein | Advent in the Salt Worlds During your visit to the Salt Worlds, you can watch as a builder of Nativity scenes, Christian Haipl, goes about his work, while 10 Nativity scenes can be seen on the shore of the subterranean salt lake. Hourly tours, last tour begins at 3pm |
| 6.12 - 8.12. Sat 10am-6pm Sun 9am-7pm, Mon 9am- 6pm | Hallein | Arts & Crafts and Culinary Christmas Market – Ziegelstadl, www.hallo-hallein.at |
| 6.12.- 8.12. | Bad Vigaun | Exhibition of Nativity Scenes at the St. Dionys parsonage |
| 6.12-8.12. 2-7pm | Koppl/Guggenthal | Guggenthal Advent Market |
| 6.12.-21.12. Sat, Sun & 8.12. 11am- 7pm | Hallein | Hallein Advent Market – Alter Forstgarten |
| At 3 & 5pm 6.12. | Radstadt | Pre-Christmas Performances incl. Nativity plays, festive wind music and more. Radstadt Christmas Walk In the late afternoon of Dec. 8, 15 and 26, the local tourist office will once again be hosting an event which has already become an integral part of the area's Christmas traditions: contemplative Christmas walks through the idyllic Kaiserpromenade. This walk, romantically flanked by lighted torches, takes participants along the Kaiserpromenade and through the snow-covered winter forest. www.radstadt.com |

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| 6.12. & 7.12. Sat & Sun 3-7pm | Altenmarkt | Advent Showcase (Advent Market) When Altenmarkt-Zauchensee celebrates “.ADVENT.in di Berg”, a quiet and reflective time begins, with very special events set against an historic backdrop and amid a wintry, tranquil Alpine world – here on the market square in Altenmarkt. |
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| 7.12. 10am 4:30pm 5pm | St. Leonhard | Festive Church Service – choir of the Salzburg Alpine Association Tower Fanfares – Aigen brass ensemble Advent Celebration – Carinthian Advent Singing: Choral and instrumental groups from the GÖrschitz Valley |
| 7.12. 2pm | Annaberg | Idyllic Advent Market high above Annaberg at the Winterstellgut |
| 7.12. 2-7pm | Golling | Christmas Market hosted by the town of Golling on market street |
| 7.12. 5pm | St. Johann | “Advent in the Mountains” – Traditional Advent choral concert with folk musicians, singers and pastoral play at the Kutlur- & Kongresshaus |
| 7.12. daily 4-8pm 4-6pm 6pm | St. Michael | Advent Market in St. Michael Arts and crafts at the Christmas Workshop Big Krampus procession with Orcus Pass And a variety of visiting folk groups (ca. 150 Krampus figures) www.orcus-pass.com |
| 7.12. | St. Veit | Advent in St. Veit |
| 7.12. 5:30pm | Grossgmain | Christmas Wind Music with the Grossgmain folk orchestra on the church square |
| 7.12. 6pm | Kaprun | Advent Evening with readings, Nativity Play and song, at the Kaprun parish church |
| 7.12. 6pm | Strobl | Traditional Advent Singing with the Strobl vocal society |
| 7.12. 7pm | Abersee Adam Tenne | “Cozy Advent Gathering” contemplative Advent event with the d’Aberseea heritage society, a children’s choir, singers and musicians from Wolfgangsee |
| 7.12. 7:30pm | St. Gilgen | Christmas Oratorio by J.S. Bach, Kantorei Mondsee & W.A. Mozart Chamber Orchestra – parish church |
| 7. & 14.12. | Zauchensee | Stade Adent Roas – that ADVENT feeling Advent hike – meets at the ski-school hostel in Zauchensee Fee: € 3/person |
| 8.12. 9:15am | Golling | Ice-Stock Mass in the parish church |
| 8.12. 10am | Hallein | Advent Market of the parish of Maria Dürrenberg with Christmas brass music, on the Bad Dürrenberg church square |
| 8.12. 10am 4pm | St. Leonhard | Festive Service – with the Grödig Folk-Song Choir Tower Fanfares – with the Hohensalzburg brass ensemble |
| 5pm | | Advent Festivities – CIS – Ensemble from the Mozarteum School of Music |
| 8.12. 11am | St. Wolfgang | Advent Folk Gathering at the Michael Pacher Haus |
| 8.12. 6pm | Faistenau | JVP Perchten Procession on the village square beneath the linden tree |
| 8.12. 2pm | Bad Gastein | Böckstein Advent Markt , Altböckstein |
| 8.12. 4pm 7pm | Bad Gastein | Böcksteiner Advent Singing , pilgrimage church |

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| 8.12. 7pm | Thalgau | Perchten Procession with the Thalgau Schober Perchten and many other participants, Thalgau market square |
| 8.12. from 7:30pm | Perwang am Grabensee | “A Reflective Advent” Gathering of folk musicians at the Gasthof Kirchenwirt |
| 8.12. | Bad Hofgastein | Advent Market at the senior citizens' home |
| 10.12. | Filzmoos | Christmas Idyll at the Hofalm Enjoy this reflective time of year. The Snow Queen spreads her cloak over the fairy-tale forest which surrounds the Almsee. Lighted torches gently illuminate the way. There are many different ways to communicate with the figures from the life-size Nativity scene. Some are silent, others give their feelings free rein. The festive music and the dance of the Perchten figures set pedestrians in a very mystical, yet soothing frame of mind. And other surprises also await. www.filzmoos.at |
| 11.-14.12. | Obertauern | Christmas Market , come enjoy the relaxed atmosphere, Advent music and wintry setting. Sip on hot spiced wine and punch, sample delicious specialties made true to ages-old recipes. |
| 11.12. | Zell am See Kaprun | Advent Magic |
| 11.12. | Zauchensee | “Anklöckeln” at the Garhofalm – free admission! |
| 12.12. 8pm | Strobl Wolfgangseehof | “See what a quiet time it is” with Peter Gillesberger Folk-music groups from the Styrian Salzkammergut to Salzburg's Pinzgau region gather to spend a festive Advent hour on the shores of the Wolfgangsee. |
| 12.-13.12. | Saalfelden-Leogang | Christmas Market on the Rathausplatz |
| 12.-14.12. Fr & Sa 8pm | Zell am See | Roxy Chicken Jam / Slopestyle Contest Burgparty – www.chickenjam.com |
| 13.12. | Radstadt | Radstadt Christmas Walk In the late afternoon of Dec. 8, 15 and 26, the local tourist office will once again be hosting an event which has already become an integral part of the area's Christmas traditions: contemplative Christmas walks through the idyllic Kaiserpromenade. This walk, romantically flanked by lighted torches, takes participants along the Kaiserpromenade and through the snow-covered winter forest. www.radstadt.com |
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| 13.12. 4pm | Strobl | A Journey through the History of Nativity Figures – in the footsteps of these small figures – village square |
| 13.12. daily 4-8pm | St. Michael | Advent Market in St. Michael Father Christmas hands out sweets to our little Advent Market visitors. |
| 4-6pm 4:30pm | | Arts & Crafts at the Christmas Workshop Carving Ice Sculptures in front of the Wastlwirt (dependent on weather conditions) |
| 8pm | | Advent Singing |
| 13.12. 5pm | St. Wolfgang | “Classics in front of the Pacher Altar” with Walter Erlaa |

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| 13.12. 7:30pm 13.12. | Bergheim Seekirchen | Bergheim Advent Retreat “Christmas is coming” in the Maria Plain basilica Seekirchen Family Advent |
| 13. & 14.12. Sat 10am-6pm Sun 9am-5pm 13. & 14.12. Sat 3pm Sun 10am 13.12. | Bergheim Faistenau Rauris | Christmas Market on the village square Advent beneath the linden tree with market stands Advent Market and Anklöckln |
| 13.12. 4:30pm 5pm 7pm 13. & 14.12. Sat & Sun 3-7pm | St. Leonhard Altenmarkt | Tower Fanfares –Leopoldskron-Moos brass musicians Advent Celebration – “Niederalm Advent Singing” – quartet of soloists and the Niederalm church choir Advent Service – with the Morzger Waldweiher Trio Advent Showcase (Advent Market) When Altenmarkt-Zauchensee celebrates “.ADVENT.in di Berg”, a quiet and reflective time begins, with very special events set against an historic backdrop and amid a wintry, tranquil Alpine world – here on the market square in Altenmarkt. |
| 13.-14.12. | Bad Hofgastein | Advent Market in the town center and at the Kursaal |
| 13. & 14.12. 10am-6pm 13. & 14.12. 1pm 13. & 14.12. 2-7pm | Grödig Ebenau Koppl/Guggenthal | Exhibition of Nativity Scenes at the parsonage in Grödig Ebenau Advent Market Brunnengarten Guggenthal Advent Market |
| 14.12. 10am 4:30pm 5pm 14.12. 1pm 14.12. 2pm 14.12. From 2pm 14.12. 3pm | St. Leonhard Bad Gastein Annaberg Golling/Egelsee Mariapfarr | Festive Worship Service – with the Marktschellenberg church choir Tower Fanfares – with the Aigen brass ensemble Advent Celebration – with the Gastein Folk-Song Choir Bad Bruck Advent Market Idyllic Advent Market high above Annaberg at the Winterstellgut Christmas Market hosted by the farmers’ wives of Golling 3rd Mariapfarr Village Christmas On the Pfarrstraße, charity event. The local hotel & restaurant association, in cooperation with the Mariapfarr Tourist Office, hosts a Mariapfarr Village Christmas for the 3 rd time. All proceeds go to help needy families. |
| 14.12. 4pm 14.12. daily 4-8pm 4-6pm 4:30pm 8pm 5:30pm 7pm 8pm | St. Wolfgang St. Michael | Peace-Light Child – parish church Advent Market in St. Michael Father Christmas hands out sweets to our little Advent Market visitors. Arts & Crafts at the Christmas Workshop For the kids: Visit by a TV star from “way up north” Followed by a movie presentation enjoyed together with our star guest) Cultural Program in the church, followed by Tower Fanfares Big Raffle for the Advent Market Puzzle in front of Gasthof Schöndorfer Advent Singing |
| 14.12. | Zauchensee | Stade Adventroas – in nature’s footsteps |

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| 14.12. 5pm | St. Gilgen | Advent Concert “Joyous Rosary” Gut Aich abbey church |
| 14.12. 5:30pm | Grossgmain | Christmas Wind Music with the Grossgmain folk orchestra on the church square |
| 14.12. 7pm | Adnet | Advent Singing in the parish church |
| 14.12. 7pm | Thalgau | Advent Singing with the Thalgau Choral Society |
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| 15.-19.12. | Obertauern | Advent Magic |
| 17.12. | Filzmoos | Christmas Idyll at the Hofalm Enjoy this reflective time of year. The Snow Queen spreads her cloak over the fairy-tale forest which surrounds the Almsee. Lighted torches gently illuminate the way. There are many different ways to communicate with the figures from the life-size Nativity scene. Some are silent, others give their feelings free rein. The festive music and the dance of the Perchten figures set pedestrians in a very mystical, yet soothing frame of mind. And other surprises also await. www.filzmoos.at |
| 18.12. | Zauchensee | “Anklöckeln” at the Felserhütte – free admission! |
| 18.12. | Obertauern | Choir Concert , „Whenever it’s Christmas time again” – choir concert at the Tauernkirchl in Obertauern |
| 18.-21.12. | Obertauern | Christmas Market , come enjoy the relaxed atmosphere, Advent music and wintery setting. Sip on hot spiced wine and punch, sample delicious specialties made true to ages-old recipes |
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| 19.-20.12. | Saalfelden-Leogang | Christmas Market on the Rathausplatz |
| 20.12. 6pm | St. Johann | Advent Hike by torchlight and accompanied by music, along the Alpendorf Panorama Path |
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| 20.12. 6am 7pm | Grödig | Rorate Mass with the Grödig Folk-Song Choir at the parish church Summer Solstice Bonfire at the quarry with music by the Grödig Market Band |
| 20.12. 12-6pm | Strobl | Exhibition of Glöckler Headwear – Hotel Villa Brandauer |
| 20.12. | Rauris | Advent Market and “Anklöckln” |
| 20.12. 4pm 5pm 7pm | St. Leonhard | Tower Fanfares –Hohensalzburg Brass Advent Celebration – Rauchenbichler Dreigesang, St. Leonharder Trio, Fritz Schwärz reads “That Holy Night” Advent Service – Ensemble Musikum Grödig |
| 20.12. daily 4-8pm 4-6pm | St. Michael | Advent Market in St. Michael Father Christmas hands out sweets to our little Advent Market visitors. |
| 4:30pm 5:30pm | | Handicrafts at the Christmas Workshop Cultural Program at the church – this year, for the first time, by the big Nativity scene in front of the church. A pastoral play of a very special kind. |
| 20.12. 7pm | Bergheim | “Jaga Advent 2008” in the Maria Plain basilica |
| 20.12. from 7:30pm | Golling | “Torrener Advent” in St. Nichola Church |

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| 20. & 21.12. Sat & Sun 3-7pm | Altenmarkt | Advent Showcase (Advent Market) When Altenmarkt-Zauchensee celebrates “.ADVENT.in di Berg”, a quiet and reflective time begins, with very special events set against an historic backdrop and amid a wintry, tranquil Alpine world – here on the market square in Altenmarkt. |
| 20. & 21.12. 2-7pm | Koppl/Guggenthal | Guggenthal Advent Market |
| 20.12. 4pm | Strobl | Rosemarie Bruckbauer reads traditional Christmas stories |
| 20.12. 12-6pm | Strobl | Exhibition of Glöckler Headwear – Hotel Villa Brandauer |
| 20.12. 7pm | Puch | Nativity Play – Main hall of the Paracelsus School |
| 21.12. 10am 4:30pm 5pm | St. Leonhard | Festive Service – with music from “Kleines Ensemble Salzburg” Tower Fanfares –Grödig wind musicians Advent Festivities –Grödig Folk-Song Choir, Hainbachmusi, Frauenreuther Dreigesang, Geschwister Klappacher... |
| 21.12. 2pm | Annaberg | Idyllic Advent Market high above Annaberg at the Winterstellgut |
| 21.12. | St. Johann | “Christmas is coming” , Pongau Advent Singing, festive atmosphere at the Kultur- & Kongresshaus |
| 21.12. 4:30pm | Fuschl am See Rumingmühle | Winter Solstice with musical entertainment |
| 21.12. 5:30pm | Grossgmain | Christmas Wind Music with the Grossgmain folk orchestra on the church square |
| 21.12. 7pm | Thalgau | Winter Solstice Bonfire Procession by torchlight from the market square to the ice-stock lanes in Thalgau |
| 21.12. | Altenmarkt | Stade Adent Roas – that ADVENT feeling Advent hike, 6pm, market square in Altenmarkt Fee: € 4/person (incl. tasting) |
| 21.12. daily 4-8pm | St. Michael | Advent Market in St. Michael Father Christmas hands out sweets to our little Advent Market visitors . Grand Drawing for the painting contest, at the entrance to the Christmas Workshop |
| 4pm | | Exhibition and Presentation of traditional winter arts & crafts – at the parsonage |
| 4-8pm | | Culture Program in the church |
| 5:30pm 6pm | | Live Music in the area of the Advent Market |
| 23.12. | Saalbach Hinterglemm | Christmas Concert |
| 23.12. 6pm | Hallein | The Hallein “Nochtei” Hallein’s night watchman makes his way through the old town of Hallein – don’t forget to bring your lantern – starts at the Advent Market in the Alter Forstgarten |
| 23.12 – 24.12. 10am-3pm | Hallein | The Christ Child comes to the Salt Worlds The Christ Child roams through the galleries and gives presents to little visitors to the mine. Hourly tours, last tour at 3pm. |
| 24.12. 9am-1pm 4pm | Bergheim | Peace-Light Campaign at the Bergheim Fire Dpt. Christmas “Echo Shoot” Midnight Mass in the Bergheim parish church Christmas Mass in the Maria-Plain basilica |
| 11pm 12am | | |
| 24.12. | Eben | Christmas Eve Fanfares in front of the Eben parish church |
| 24.12. 12pm | Adnet | Tower Fanfares outside the church walls |
| 24.12. 4pm | Hallein | Children’s Christmas Eve Party Maria Dürrnberg pilgrimage church |

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| 24.12. 4-6pm | Hallein | Advent Wind Music With the Hallein town band at the municipal cemetery |
| 24.12. 4:30pm 5:45pm 11:30pm | St. Leonhard | Children's Christmas Service – musical entertainment provided by a children's musical group Christmas Wind Music with the Grödiger Market Band Christmas Salute with the St. Leonhard Christmas Shooters |
| 12am | | Midnight Mass |
| 24.12. 5pm | Mariapfarr | Getting in the Mood for Christmas In the Arkadenhof – starting at 4pm, you can also visit the Nativity scene in the Silent Night Museum free of charge. At 5pm, the song "Silent Night! Holy Night!" will be sung to the original text by two voices. |
| 24.12. 9pm 9:30pm | Gaissau - Hintersee | Tower Fanfares in Krispl Midnight Mass |
| 24.12. 5pm | Hallein | Christmas Memorial at the grave of F.X. Gruber, Franz-Xaver-Gruber Platz |
| 24.12. 5:30pm | Grossgmain | Christmas Wind Music with the Grossgmain Folk Orchestra on the church square |
| 24.12. 10:30pm | Faistenau | Midnight Fanfares outside the Faistenau parish church and on the village square |
| 24.12. 11pm | Adnet | Midnight Mass |
| 24.12. 11pm | Anif & Niederalm | Midnight Mass Sharing of the Peace Light by local boy scouts |
| 24.12. 11pm | Hallein | Midnight Mass in the Hallein parish church and at the Maria Dürrnberg pilgrimage church |
| 25.12. | Filzmoos | Christmas Idyll at the Hofalm Enjoy this reflective time of year. The Snow Queen spreads her cloak over the fairy-tale forest which surrounds the Almsee. Lighted torches gently illuminate the way. There are many different ways to communicate with the figures from the life-size Nativity scene. Some are silent, others give their feelings free rein. The festive music and the dance of the Perchten figures set pedestrians in a very mystical, yet soothing frame of mind. And other surprises also await. www.filzmoos.at |
| 25.12. 8:30am 10am | St. Leonhard | Family Worship Service Festival Service |
| 25.12. 7:30pm | Hallein | Traditional Christmas Concert with the Bürgerkorpskapelle Hallein in the Salzberghalle |
| 26.12. | Radstadt | Radstadt Christmas Walk In the late afternoon of Dec. 8, 15 and 26, the local tourist office will once again be hosting an event which has already become an integral part of the area's Christmas traditions: contemplative Christmas walks through the idyllic Kaiserpromenade. This walk, romantically flanked by lighted torches, takes participants along the Kaiserpromenade and through the snow-covered winter forest. www.radstadt.com |
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| 26.12. | Grossgmain | Christmas Tree Auction at the Hotel Vötterl |
| 26.12. 7:30pm | Koppl | St. Stephen's Concert |

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| 26.12. | Wagrain | Traditional Joseph Mohr Memorial Singing at the Wagrain parish church, in honor of the creator of the immortal Christmas song, "Silent Night!" |
| 26.-31.12. St. Gilgen/Strobl 2-6pm St. Wolfgang 11am-6pm | Wolfgangsee | Christmas & New Year's Market |
| 27.12. | Forstau | Forstau Forest Christmas Hike by torchlight, meditative slide show, horse-drawn sleigh rides for the children, musical performances, home-baked cookies, gingerbread, punch – and a great Christmas atmosphere in the midst of the snow-covered winter landscapes of Forstau. www.forstau.at |
| 27.12. 8pm | St. Wolfgang | Christmas Concert with the St. Wolfgang town band at the Michael Pacher House |
| 27.12. 8:30pm | Fuschl am See | Christmas Church Concert with the Fuschl am See folk orchestra at the parish church |
| 28.12. 2pm | Annaberg | Idyllic Advent Market high above Annaberg at the Winterstellgut |
| 28.12. | Werfenweng | "Hell Night" |
| 28.12. | Filzmoos | Parade of the Schiach-Perchten in the town center |
| 29.12. 29.12. 4:30pm | Grossarl Valley Fuschl am See Schlick beach | Traditional Perchten Parade in Hüttschlag Christmas at the Rumingmühle |
| 30.12. 5pm | Eugendorf | Torchlight Hike , from the Holznerwirt |
| 31.12. 10am | Fuschl am See | New Year's Eve Swim in the Fuschlsee |
| 31.12. 10am-3pm | Hallein | Traditional New Year's Eve & New Year's Slide Visitors to the Salt World will receive a glass of sparkling wine or pop and a special lucky charm! Hourly tours, last tour begins at 3pm |
| 31.12. 31.12. 4pm | Gaissau-Hintersee Bad Vigaun | Riflemen salute the arrival of the New Year End-of-Year Celebration at the parish church |
| 31.12. 4pm 5-7pm | Anif & Niederalm | Devotion of Thanks in Anif & Niederalm Candle Labyrinth at the parsonage in Niederalm |
| 31.12. from 9pm | Seekirchen | Big Fire Show with a first-time appearance by "Spielvolk" |
| 31.12. 12am | Bad Vigaun | New Year's Eve Fireworks |

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| 1.1. | Fuschl am See | New Year's Day Concert with the Fuschl am See Folk orchestra on the church square |
| 2.1. | Maria Alm | Perchten procession |
| 2.1. | Maishofen | Traditional Perchten procession |
| 4.1. | Maria Alm | Perchten procession on the Jufen |
| 4.1. | Mühlbach | Big Schiachperchten procession on the village square |
| 4.1. | St. Johann | Big Perchten procession – a unique experience |
| 4.1. 6:30pm | Thalgau | Parade of the Glöcklerl on the market square |
| 5.1. | Golling | Perchten Play – Summer & Winter |
| 6.1. | Golling | Tennengau Perchten Festivities |
| 6.1. | Zell am See | Trester Dance – town square |
| 5pm | | |
| 7.1.-25.11. | Hallein | Silent Night Museum Hallein, www.stillenachthallein.at |

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