

Deck of 52 – Locations Around Europe to Visit and Learn

Heidelberg Power of Faith



- **Program Plan – Deck of 52 - Card 2 – Heidelberg**
 - (LOE, Strategic Plan) – IMCOM-E LOE - Develop New Initiatives & RE Action Plan 1.7
USAREUR LOE 4.3.1
 - Date/Time- Saturday 18 May / 1000-1400
 - Volunteer Orientation Date – 10 January 2013 by email
 - Frequency of Meetings – Single Event
 - Target Group – Chaplains, Chaplain Assistants, Volunteers
- Projected number of volunteers – 1 / Projected number of Participants – 25
- Program Goals – Celebrate 450th Anniversary of the Heidelberg Catechism; increase understanding of RE theory; low cost, simple RE travel event for IMCOM-E
- Required Resources (All costs are paid directly by the participants directly to the event locations) – Total cost to CTOF – 0
 - Building and Furniture – Entry Fees for Castle, Museum, Exhibition, and Bergbahn - 10 Euro
 - Curriculum – Fee for Tour Guide – 0
 - Refreshments – Lunch – 15 Euro & up
 - Teaching Aid - Flyers with preparation information, Handouts with RE visitors guide, Order of Service (made at IMCOM-E, printed at HD) - 0
 - Other – Travel to Heidelberg – 20 Euro (Gas) + 10 Euro (Parking) by POV paid for by each participant
 - Hotel for Event Leaders – 100 (paid by volunteer leaders or stay in local homes)
- Sequence of Events
 - Identify City to visit and key site to tour & Select trip leaders & arrange travel plan for leaders/participants
 - Submit proposed event to garrison chaplain and IMCOM-E chaplains
 - Create program plan, lesson plan and schedule
 - Complete security paperwork with KL security office
 - Firm up castle reservation including restaurant, Bergbahn, and access to Heidelberg locations, but no financial commitment from chaplain's office.
 - Power of Faith Exhibition Office - 06221-5834000 or 06221-5834010 - www.schloss-heidelberg.de
 - Bergbahn - 06221-5132150 - www.bergbahn-heidelberg.de
 - Molkenkur Restaurant - 06221-654080 - http://molkenkur.de/
 - Advertise HW, WI and IMCOM-E PAO, papers, article, flyers
 - Create and Print handouts
 - Implement Program
 - Create AAR and submit to Garrison Chaplain and IMCOM-E Chaplain
 - Edit Program plan, lesson plan, flyer and handouts for Deck of 52, posting final product on W Drive and IMCOM-Europe Chaplain's Office Sharepoint

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Saturday 18 May 2013

1000 - Meet at Kurfürstliches Museum Heidelberg

Cost

€10 (includes museum, exhibition, castle, and Bergbahn round trip)

Plus about € 15 for your lunch

Schedule

We will visit the museum to see the Heidelberg Catechism Exhibition, then take the Bergbahn from the Kornmarkt to the Castle. After a visit to the castle, we will have lunch about 1330 at the Molkenkur Restaurant over the castle.



**Address - Kurfürstliches Museum Heidelberg
Hauptstrasse 97, 69117 Heidelberg**



<http://www.creeds.net/Heidelberg/hdlb.htm>
www.schloss-heidelberg.de – www.bergbahn-heidelberg.de – www.molkenkur.de

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Schloss Heidelberg is a world famous site in a city known for charm and architecture.

2013 is the 450th Anniversary of the Heidelberg Catechism.

- † The Heidelberg Catechism is an early and significant religious education tool.
- † The museum and castle are hosting a special exhibit about the Catechism starting 12 May.
- † The Bergbahn is one of the earliest rack and pinion railways and has 3 stages.
- † Lunch will be at Molkenkur, at site of the original Schloss Heidelberg, which was built in 1851 as a spa, and used as the Army Civilian Club in the 1950's. It is now a beautiful restaurant and hotel.



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Heidelberg Catechism has 129 questions which are a guide to Bible reading and Christian faith development. Consider the first and last questions:

Q. 1. What is your only comfort, in life and in death?

A. That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of his own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that he protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit his purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit, he also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

Q. 129. What is the meaning of the little word “Amen”?

A. Amen means: this shall truly and certainly be. For my prayer is much more certainly heard by God than I am persuaded in my heart that I desire such things from him.

2 Corinthians 1:20

English Standard Version (ESV)

²⁰For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory.



Dr. Raymond Powell, faculty member at LCC International University, for SME guidance today.

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Romans 14:7-9

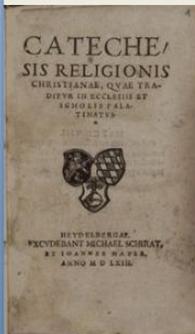
English Standard Version (ESV)

⁷For none of us lives to himself, and none of us dies to himself. ⁸For if we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord. So then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's. ⁹For to this end Christ died and lived again, that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.

As you visit the exhibits today, think about these things:

- What comforts you?
 - When have you needed comfort?
 - How does it make you feel to read these 2 questions?
- What was the situation in Heidelberg in 1563?
 - How did this catechism change the world?
 - How is your world similar to Heidelberg 1563?

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The Heidelberg Catechism (1563) was composed in the city of Heidelberg, Germany, at the request of Elector Frederick III, who ruled the province of the Palatinate from 1559 to 1576. The new catechism was intended as a tool for teaching young people, a guide for preaching in the provincial churches, and a form of confessional unity among the several Protestant factions in the Palatinate. An old tradition credits Zacharias Ursinus and Caspar Olevianus with being the coauthors of the catechism, but the project was actually the work of a team of ministers and university theologians under the watchful eye of Frederick himself. Ursinus probably served as the primary writer on the team, and Olevianus had a lesser role. The catechism was approved by a synod in Heidelberg in January 1563. A second and third German edition, each with small additions, as well as a Latin translation were published the same year in Heidelberg. The third edition was included in the Palatinate Church Order of November 15, 1563, at which time the catechism was divided into fifty-two sections or Lord's Days, so that one Lord's Day could be explained in an afternoon worship service each Sunday of the year. The Synod of Dort approved the Heidelberg Catechism in 1619, and it soon became the most ecumenical of the Reformed catechisms and confessions. It has been translated into many European, Asian, and African languages and is still the most widely used and warmly praised catechism of the Reformation period.

http://www.crna.org/pages/heidelberg_main.cfm



Schedule

- 1000-1100 – Heidelberg Catechism Exhibit
 - Kurfürstliches Museum Heidelberg
- 1130-1200 – Bergbahn to Schloss Heidelberg
 - Kornmarkt Station
- 1200-1300 – Castle & Catechism Exhibits
 - Schloss Heidelberg
- 1300-1330 – Bergbahn to Molkenkur
 - Schloss Station
- 1330-1430 – Lunch at Molkenkur Restaurant

You will buy your tickets at the Museum front desk. The restaurant has both ala carte and tagesmenu.



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Each Card provides a program plan, flyer, and handouts for a selected location.

The handouts and plan guide participants in understanding the significance of the location. They are also resources to assist participants in individual and group Religious Education and Spiritual Formation.

The Deck of 52 is designed for Army Chaplains to lead “chapel field trips” with methods like a “flash mob” (informal, uncomplicated, and inexpensive).

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| 5. | Bingen, Germany | 31. | _____ |
| 6. | Speyer, Germany | 32. | _____ |
| 7. | Frankfurt, Germany | 33. | _____ |
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Card 9 Coming Soon!

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