

FRONLEICHNAM

three parishes, one feast

You might be wondering why so many people are passing by, singing and praying. The answer is simple: **Today we are celebrating the Christian Feast of Corpus Christi** (Fronleichnam), the reason for today's bank holiday.

On this day the Catholic Church celebrates the tradition of believing in the body and blood of Jesus Christ and his Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist. We also remember Maundy Thursday, when Jesus Christ shared bread and wine with the Apostles at the Last Supper. This is why the Feast of "Corpus Christi" is celebrated on a Thursday (second thursday after Whit Sunday).

Earlier today, the communities of three local parishes have celebrated a Holy Mass. **It is now followed by this ceremonial procession to publicly express our joy**. In the middle of the procession, beneath the baldachin, you can see the Blessed Sacrament, which is displayed in a monstrance.

The procession ends in one of our churches, where we will finish the festive occasion by enjoying a pleasant Agape meal after the benediction!

You are very welcome to join us in the procession and the celebration of the Feast of Corpus Christi!

You can find more information on our website www.fronleichnam.at or Facebook-site www.facebook.com/fronleichnam8 or contact us at kontakt@fronleichnam.at

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