



Archdiocesan Museum in Olomouc Accessibility card

Basic information

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Description

The museum was founded in 1998 as part of the Museum of Art in Olomouc. It is the first museum of spiritual culture in Czechia, which includes a palace of Moravian bishops with preserved original Romanesque windows and a former chapter deanery on the site of the former Přemyslid castle. In the museum you can see beautiful liturgical objects planted with precious stones, a carved medieval Madonna or paintings of old masters of archbishop collections. Great attention is drawn to the richly decorated 18th century bishop's carriage. The Archdiocesan Museum in Olomouc is the only monument in Czechia that has won the prestigious "European Heritage" label.

Accessibility

Entrance

- ❖ Object access: pavement of large stone cubes, uneven surface.
- Entrance to the building: wheelchair accessible, at the level of the access pavement, without a threshold.
- ❖ Entrance door: double wing. There is usually only one wing 60 cm wide opened. After opening both wings the entrance is 110 cm wide. The door opens inwards.
- There is a doorbell at the entrance to call the operator if both wings need to be opened.

Interior premises

- The pathways and passages in the building are wide enough (min. 80 cm), free of obstacles.
- Surface of pathways: wood, pavement, concrete.
- The exhibition spaces are accessible for wheelchairs, except for Zdík Palace with Romanesque windows, accessible only by a staircase (+23 steps).
- There is sufficient turning space in the exhibition halls.
- ❖ There is a lift in the building. Entry width 80 cm, cabin size 100 x 107 cm.
- There are 2 concrete ramps in the building.
 - Ramp 1: length 10 m, width 1.16 m, height 2.1 m
 - Ramp 2: length 6 m, width 1, 16 m, height 2, 1 m
- The resting areas for sitting are only in the Picture Gallery.
- The exhibits cannot be touched, they are often placed in glass cases, and most of the information panels cannot be accessed from close distance.

- The exhibits are placed in such a way that they are well visible even from the position of a person sitting or small (child). This also applies to most information panels and exhibit descriptions. Only some of the labels are located on the back of the glass cases, making them less accessible.
- The descriptions of the exhibits and the texts on the information panels are well legible even for the visually impaired (large enough font, simple font, good text and background contrast).

Accessible toilet

- There is a wheelchair accessible toilet.
- ❖ Entrance door: min. 80 cm wide, without threshold, opening outwards.
- There is sufficient handling space and space in the cabin next to the toilet (min. 90 cm), which does not interfere with any facilities.
- There are handrails on both sides of the toilet.
- ❖ A baby changing unit is not available.

Services and equipment

- There is a publication shop and a café in the museum building (wheelchair access).
- Guide or registered assistance dogs are permitted entry with prior agreement.
- ❖ Audio guide for foreigners English, German, Polish, Russian, Chinese, Korean.
- There is no parking at the property. The nearest parking is in Mlčochova street, about 80 m from the entrance to the museum. Reserved parking spaces are not available.

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