

HERMANN

CHRISTMAS 2017 GROUP TOURS



THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS AT STARKENBURG

December 7, 8, 9

Mezzo-soprano Carrie Kirchofer-Tilly sings holiday favorites and Jonie Loehnig plays selections on the 1860 Pfeffer pipe organ at the beautiful St. Martin's Church, six miles west of Hermann. Refreshments available after the concert. *\$7 per person*

CHRISTMAS TRADITIONS AT HERMANN FARM

December 2 - 13

Enjoy the simple pleasures of Christmas past at the beautifully decorated 1847 Husmann House, 1790 trading post, Schuetzen Halle, broommaker, tinsmith and woodwright shops. Costumed guides, Father Christmas, Shire draft horses, a bonfire and refreshments add to the fun. Three tour experiences to choose from:

1. Guided tour of First and Reserve buildings *\$10 per person*
2. Guided tour of First and Reserve buildings and the Husmann House..... *\$15 per person*
3. Guided building and house tours, plus a tram ride around the 200-acre farm, including a visit to a newly restored log homestead..... *\$17 per person*



PEA RIDGE CHRISTMAS TREE FARM TOUR

Mid-November through December

Take a hayride through fields of evergreens. Visit with the owners, see demonstrations of wreath-making and bow-tying, enjoy hot chocolate and cider in the gift shop. *\$4 per person (\$5 with wagon ride)*

WEIHNACHTSFEST AT DEUTSCHHEIM

December 2 - January 5

Dressed in period attire, your guide shares the story of Christmas in early Hermann. Highlights include German Christmas cookies to sample, antique ornaments, Victorian toys, and a German-themed Christmas shop. For groups of up to 25. *\$4 per person*



EIN BLICK IN DIE VERGANGENHEIT

December 2-3 and 9-10

The Historic Hermann Museum in the 1871 German School building presents *A Look into the Past*. Tour highlights include costumed docents and 19th-century decorations. Take home holiday treats from the German Bake Shop, which will be open December 2-3 and 9-10. Weekday tours available by appointment. *\$5 per person*



CHRISTMAS TABLESCAPES

December 2-13

The historic Rotunda Building sparkles with elaborate holiday table displays. Warm cider and carols add to the festivities. Special motorcoach tours may be arranged during the week. Sponsored by the Gasconade County Historical Society. *\$5 per person*

CHRISTMAS CRAFTS WITH CRYSTAL

Mid-November through December

Create a holiday decoration to take home at a lunchtime workshop with Crystal from Hermann Florist, who demonstrates quick and easy holiday decorating ideas. *\$4 per person*

KRISTKINDL MARKTS

December 2 & 3 — Stone Hill Winery Sherry House

December 9 & 10 — Hermannhof Festhalle & Hofgarten

Traditional German Christmas markets feature craft booths, Christmas goodies, and entertainment. The perfect place to shop for unique gifts. *Stone Hill event is free; Hermannhof event is \$5 per person*



GUIDED CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TOUR

Mid-November through December

Explore historic district shops with a guide to find that perfect one-of-a-kind gift. *\$5 per person*

OPPORTUNITIES IN HERMANN FOR THE GROUP TOUR MARKET

WINERIES & BREWERIES

- Adam Puchta Winery — *Food and wine pairings for groups*
- Hermannhof Winery — *VIP cellar tours and tasting*
- Oak Glenn Winery — *Outdoor seating with spectacular views*
- Stone Hill Winery — *Grapes to Glass VIP cellar tours and tasting*
- Tin Mill Brewery — *Tasting and tours at Missouri's only true lager microbrewery*

MUSEUMS

- Deutschheim State Historic Site
Missouri's German heritage site offers interpretive displays and guided tours.
- Historic Hermann Museum at the German School
Newly restored museum rooms explore life in early Hermann.
- Hermann Farm
Located on 160 acres within the city limits
- Starkenburg Shrine and Museum
Historic Shrine of Our Lady of Sorrows. Guided tours available.
- White House Hotel
Group tours with actors in period costume available by appointment.

OTHER VENUES

- Hermann Wurst Haus
Located in the downtown Historic District. Group tours and tasting available.
- Swiss Meat and Sausage Co.
In Swiss, 12 miles south of Hermann. Groups tours and tasting available.

FOOD SERVICE FOR GROUPS

- Alpenhorn Gasthaus
- Concert Hall and Barrel
- Harvest Table
- Hermann Cottage
- Hermann Hill Village
- Hermann Wurst Haus
- McKittrick Farmer's Mercantile
- Swiss Meats
- Vintage Restaurant at Stone Hill Winery



Location

Hermann is on the Missouri River, between Jefferson City and St. Louis. From I-70, take Highway 19 south 15 miles.

Mileage to Hermann

Branson.....	220
Hannibal	87
St. Louis	80
Kansas City.....	220
Lake of the Ozarks	130

Group Tour Services

- Step-on guides and guided tours
- Staffed Welcome Center
- Welcome receptions and hospitality breaks
- Customized itineraries
- Winery tours and tastings
- Recreational activities (Katy Trail, biking, golf, zipline)
- German musicians and other entertainers
- Liaison for attractions, lodging and restaurants
- Coordination of service providers
- Promotional materials
- Information packets
- Site inspections and FAM tours

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