Long tradition and lots of holiday cheer
In the heart of Würzburg’s Old Town one of Germany’s most picturesque
and enchanting Christmas Markets attracts thousands of visitors every
year. The tradition dates back to the early 19th century and the historical
market square with its Gothic chapel and abundance of Baroque
architecture provide a charming Christmas card scenery. Enjoy a stroll
through 140 wooden stalls and try delicious Christmas cookies and
roasted almonds while sipping the traditional “Glühwein”, a famous
mulled wine. Products for sale at the Christmas market include wooden
toys, jewelry, teas and spices, traditional Christmas decorations, scented
 candles, pottery, embroideries, and hand-knit socks and gloves.

To top it off, some 40 artisans display their wares in the festively
decorated courtyard of the Town Hall on all Saturdays and Sundays in
Advent. The focus here is on handcrafted items that are hard to find
elsewhere.

Overview
Booths: approx. 140 traders
Locations: upper and lower market square, Eichhornstrasse
Dates: November 30 to December 23, 2018
Opening hours: Monday – Saturday 10 am – 8:30 pm
Sunday 11 am – 8:30 pm
Bus parking: Friedensbrücke, a 10-minute walk to the town center

Würzburg by City Train
Gain an understanding of Würzburg’s art, history, and culture by taking
one of the many regularly scheduled guided tours with the city train.
Guided tours are available in: English, French, German, Italian, Russian
and Spanish (audiosystem).
December 1 – 23 and 26 – 31, 2018
January 2 – 6, 2019
Daily 11 am, 12 am, 1 pm, 2 pm, 3 pm
Duration: 40 minutes
Tickets: Adults € 9, –/Students, children € 7, –
at the stop of the City Train in front of the Residence Palace
(Residenzplatz/Balthasar-Neumann-Promenade) or
at the Tourist Information & Ticket Service,
Falkenhaus (upper market square),
Phone +49 (0)9 31/37 23 98
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Guided walking tours for groups
First, you’ll visit the chapel of St. Mary featuring late 15th century
sandstone sculptures by Tilman Riemenschneider. Other highlights
include the Falkenhaus and its elaborate Rococo façade, the historic
town hall building and the Romanesque cathedral St. Kilian. From
the old bridge Alte Mainbrücke, you will enjoy fantastic views of the
fortress Marienberg, the pilgrimage church Käppele and the famous
vineyards.

Next it is off to the Residence, one of Europe’s most renowned
Baroque castles, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The castle was built
by Balthasar Neumann and features a much acclaimed staircase with
awe-inspiring frescos by the Venetian artist Tiepolo. Also, you will tour
the imperial hall and the mirror cabinet. A visit to the Residence should
be a mandatory part of any visit to Würzburg!

Duration: approx. 3 hours
Costs: € 128 plus entrance fee to the Residence Palace
(adults € 7,50, groups of 15 participants and more € 6,50 per person)
Group size limited to 35 persons.
Guided tours are available in: Chinese, Dutch, English, French,
Italian, Japanese, Korean, Polish, Portuguese, Rumanian, Russian,
Spanish, Swedish, Czech.

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