
Luxembourg: Echternach, dancing procession cancelled by pandemic again. Other moments of prayer confirmed

For the second year in a row, there will not be the traditional dancing procession of Echternach, a religious and cultural event on the UNESCO Intangible Heritage list that takes place every year in this small town of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg on Whit Tuesday. Last year, the organisers had to cancel it due to the pandemic, and this year, too, the event had to be cancelled for it involves thousands of pilgrims who join in a prayer of music and dances where social distancing cannot be maintained. "It was a difficult decision to make", explained the organising committee, who waited until the last moment before cancelling this traditional event for the second time.



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