



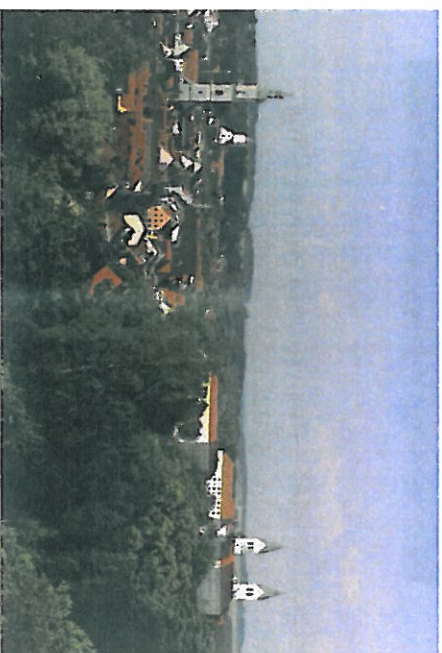
### **We are looking forward to your visit**

If you have questions or wishes, a service partner of our office team will be at your disposal. No matter if you want to organize an intensive seminar for a limited number of participants or a big convention, we are looking forward to be at your service when choosing a room, providing necessary materials or organizing a guided art-historical sightseeing tour.



## **Freising, „oldest town between Regensburg and Bozen“**

The historical towncenter of Freising with its picturesque little alleyways is within walking distance from our house and invites you to shop. On the famous Weihenstephan „Nährberg“ (=Nutritious mountain) you will find the center of German brewing art and the oldest brewery of the world. If you want to visit the near environment, a short trip will lead you to Munich with its vast variety of art and cultural places of interest.



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# KARDINAL-DÖPFNER-HAUS

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## Welcome

to the educational centre  
of the archdiocese  
Munich and Freising.



Widely visible, the Kardinal-Döpfner-Haus is situated on the Domberg at Freising. It is a place of education and coming together, and a meeting point for people of every age and origin.

### **Committed to dialogue**

Since 1968 the Kardinal-Döpfner-Haus has been an important factor in adult education not only in the archdiocese but to a large extent outside it, too.

Julius Kardinal Döpfner was one of the moderators of the Second Vatican Council and influenced the clerical renewal in Germany. His openness, his courage, and his readiness to communicate with representatives of all social classes mark work and life in this educational centre. Guests of all religions and social groups are welcome here.

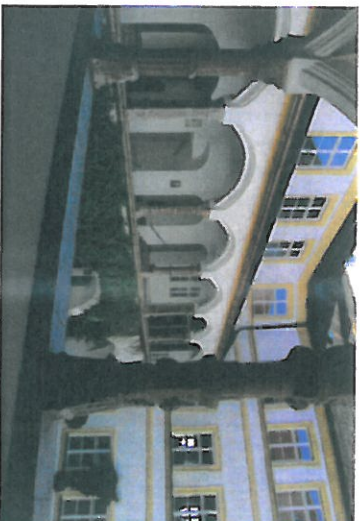


Julius Kardinal Döpfner  
(1913-1976)

### **A house with plenty of atmosphere**

Dating back to the original mediaeval castle of the 14<sup>th</sup> century the tower on the northeast corner and its vault have been preserved through the ages. During the 16<sup>th</sup> century the bishops of Freising enlarged the original construction on the Domberg to a magnificent residency. From this era of Renaissance the impressive inner courtyard and the extensive gardens have been preserved.

Today a painstaking modernization has combined the aura of centuries with the demands of a comfortable convention center. The different rooms, starting with the Baroque „Red Hall“ and ending with state-of-the-art convention rooms will let you feel the connection between past and presence.



### **Plenty of space, even for big conventions**

The Kardinal-Döpfner-Haus provides space not only for intensive studies, but for conventions and big gatherings, too. The auditorium has a capacity



of 250 persons. 15 seminar- and grouprooms with the capacity of 10 to 100 persons enable you to work highly flexible. A meditation room and two chapels invite you to contemplate.

With 122 single- and 27 double bedrooms - four of them have been equipped for handicapped people - our house is properly suited for conventions and specialist conferences.

Each bedroom has its own shower and WC. For your leisure time and relaxed meetings three cellar bars and a TV-room are at your disposal, and a table tennis room.

### **Let yourself be spoil...**

The professional cooks of the Kardinal-Döpfner-Haus provide high level home cooking. At lunchtime we serve menus which can be prepared meatless at your wish. Breakfast and dinner buffet suit individual wishes. Our cooks prefer local products.

Furthermore you will find a very enchanting environment around our house. In direct view you will find the stately Mariendom. Built in Roman style, it was redesigned in Baroque style during the 17<sup>th</sup> century. The inside holds significant art treasures, among them the famous „Bestiensäule“ (=column of the beasts), dating back to the 12<sup>th</sup> century, the Gothic choir stalls, an high altar picture by Peter Paul Rubens, and frescos by the famous Asam brothers. Further places of interest are the neighbouring Diözesanmuseum for Christian Art and the Dom Library.

