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## CHRISTMAS APPEAL

As usual at this time of the year, the SWISS BENEVOLENT SOCIETY and both communities of the SWISS CHURCH IN LONDON, as well as the SWISS CATHOLIC MISSION IN LONDON appeal to all their Swiss friends for gifts in kind or in cash in order to provide a little extra cheer at Christmas for our compatriots in need.

New articles of clothing, also used ones provided they have been cleaned and are in good repair, as well as household goods will be greatly appreciated.

Parcels should be sent, preferably not later than the first week in November, to the Swiss Benevolent Society, 31 Conway Street, Fitzroy Square, London, W.1, whilst gifts in cash may be forwarded to any of the above-named organizations.

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Every Sunday 8 to 11 p.m. — The Swiss Catholic Youth Club — Social at Westminster Ball Room, 30 Strutton Ground, S.W.1.

Every Thursday, from 6 to 7.30 p.m. — Discussion Circle in English — Young men specially invited. Tea from 6 to 6.15 p.m. Swiss Y.M.C.A., London Central Y.M.C.A. Building, Great Russell Street, W.C.1.

Every Thursday from 7.30 p.m. to 10 p.m. — Unione Ticinese — meets at the Swiss Hostel for Girls, 9 Belsize Grove, N.W.3. All Ticinesi welcome. The "Corale" rehearses from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Every 1st Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. — Swiss Get-Together at 2 Sussex Place, Widscombe, Bath.

Every 1st Wednesday in the month — Secours Mutuels des Suisses à Londres — meeting at Swiss House, 35 Fitzroy Square, W.1, at 7 p.m.

Every last Thursday of the Month — Swiss Club Manchester — Ordinary Monthly Meeting from 6 p.m. at the Midland Hotel, Manchester.

Monday, 28th October, 7.30 p.m. — CELLO RECITAL by Aurora Natola (Basle) — accompanied by Ernest Lush — Wigmore Hall, London W.1.

Saturday, 9th November — Swiss Club Manchester — ANNUAL BANQUET AND BALL — Midland Hotel, Manchester.

Wednesday, 13th November, 7 p.m. — Swiss Mercantile Society — MONTHLY MEETING — Swiss House, 35 Fitzroy Square, W.1.

Friday, 15th November — City Swiss Club — ANNUAL BANQUET AND BALL.

Tuesday, 19th November — Nouvelle Société Helvétique — OPEN MEETING — Swiss Hostel for Girls, 9 Belsize Grove, N.W.3.

Friday, 22nd November, at 6.30 for 7.30 p.m. — Swiss Rifle Association — ANNUAL DINNER — Glendower Hotel, S.W.7.

Wednesday, 11th December — City Swiss Club — CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Friday, 13th December — "Schweizerbund" Swiss Club — CHRISTMAS DINNER — Montana Hotel, 67 Gloucester Road, S.W.7.

## SPECIAL APPEAL

The Consistoire of the Swiss Church in London has undertaken to furnish the two vicarages in readiness for the new pastors and their families. Any offers of furniture and household goods in good condition would be gratefully received. The rooms to be equipped are a living room, a dining room, a study, a nursery and kitchen in each of the two houses, and, apart from furniture, carpets, rugs curtains and refrigerators, etc., are needed.

The Consistoire would be very glad if anyone willing to part with or donate surplus furniture could get in touch, preferably in writing, with

The Rev. R. Kaegi,  
1 Womersley Road,  
London N.8.  
(MOU 6018)

and  
The Rev. F. Jacot,  
34 Addison Avenue,  
London W.11.  
(PAR 4669)

## SWISS CHURCH

SERVICES EN FRANCAIS: à l'Eglise Suisse, 79 Endell Street, W.C.2, tous les *dimanches* à 11h00 et 19h00. L'Eglise est ouverte le dimanche: pour le lunch l'après-midi et le soir; le *lundi* soir: dès 18h30; le *jeudi*: dès 15h00 et le soir.

PASTEUR: F. Jacot, 34 Addison Avenue, W.11.

SERVICES IN GERMAN: At St. Mary Woolnoth Church, Lombard Street, Bank, E.C.3, every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

PFARRER: R. Kaegi, 1 Womersley Road, N.8. Telephone: MOU 6018.

## SWISS CATHOLIC MISSION

CHURCH and SERVICE: St. ANN's Catholic Church, Abbey Orchard Street (off Victoria Street), S.W.1.

SUNDAYS: Holy Masses at 8, 9 and 11 a.m. with sermon in English. At 6 p.m. with sermon in German and French.

HOLIDAYS OF OBLIGATION: Holy Masses at 7.30 and 9 a.m. and 5.45 p.m.

WEEKDAYS: Holy Mass at 7.30 a.m.

CONFESSIONS in German, French and Italian:

EVERY SUNDAY 1 hour before Evening Mass.

EVERY SATURDAY from 11 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. and from 5 to 7 p.m.

Every first, third and fifth Wednesday of the month from 3 to 6 p.m.

Every second and fourth Thursday of the month from 3 to 6 p.m.

At any other time by appointment.

CHAPLAIN: Rev. Joseph Scherer, St. Ann's Church, Abbey Orchard Street, S.W.1. Tel.: ABBey 2895.

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