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Chapelle des Moines in BERZÉ-LA-VILLE

A masterpiece of 12th-century wall painting.

GOOD REASONS TO VISIT • To discover the world of Cluniac monumental painting. • To admire Christ in Majesty. • To extend your visit to Cluny Abbey.

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Located between Cluny and Mâcon, the Priory of Berzé-la-Ville was founded by Hugues de Semur, the Abbot of Cluny in the early 12th century.

A haven of peace for the abbot, he used it to receive guests of distinction and to escape from the intense political and religious life of the Abbey of Cluny. Today only the chapel can be visited. It was built on two levels. The superb 12th-century frescoes are conserved on the upper level. These are rare, exceptionally high quality examples of the wall painting of this period.

DID YOU KNOW ...?

The murals were only rediscovered by Philibert Jolivet, the parish priest in 1887.

2025 ADMISSION PRICES

CATEGORY 6

- FOR 20 ADULTS + / **RESELLER PRICE €4**
- INDIVIDUALS €5

JOINT TICKET

Cluny Abbey and Museum of Art and Archaeology and Chapelle des Moines in Berzé-la-Ville For 20 adults + / Reseller price €10 Individuals €14

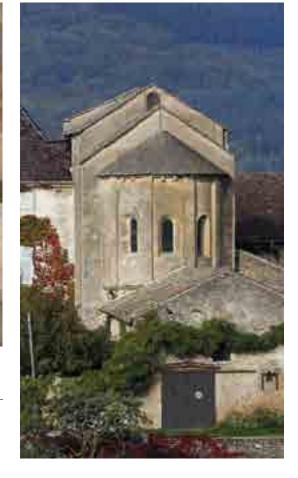
• FREE for under-26s*



GETTING HERE



- Lyon (83 km).
- Greenway (1 km).



OPENING TIMES

Subject to modification

- April, September, October: from 9.15 a.m. to 12.15 a.m. and from 2.15 p.m. to 5 p.m.
- May to August: from 9.15 a.m. to 12.15 a.m. and from 2.15 p.m. to 6 p.m.

• Group visits on reservation from 1st November to 31st March (site closed to non-group visitors).

· Closed 1st May.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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VISITS

SELF-GUIDED TOUR 🌗 鬱 🥮 🌗

With guide booklet. Reservation required. Duration: 30 min.

LECTURE TOUR 🌗 🎆

Reservation required. Duration: 1hr.

FACILITIES



PRACTICAL INFORMATION

There 25 steps to access the upper chapel Maximum group size without splitting up: 40 people

* FREE admission: minors under 18 and 18-25 years old (EU nationals and regularised EU residents) excluding school groups, extra-curricular groups or groups of visitors under the age of 26.