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New in the Vienna Office Staff

Florian Hermann introduces himself.

I was born in Munich and grew up in a pastor's family, first in Upper Bavaria and later in Würzburg.

After attending a classical grammar school I studied Protestant theology in Munich, St Andrews, Vienna and Erlangen. In this way I was able to get to know the different faces of European Protestantism even during my studies. In Erlangen I gained a doctorate in New Testament with a dissertation on the passion narrative in the Gospel of Mark. I worked as an assistant minister in Pegnitz, between Bayreuth and Nuremberg. In September I was ordained pastor there.

I am particularly interested in ecumenical and liturgical questions. I am a member of the Protestant Evangelical Brotherhood of St Michael, a religious fellowship which works for the unity of the church. Here too liturgy plays an important role.

I expect to be working for around three years in the CPCE office in Vienna, where I shall be responsible for liturgical questions.

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