

"Looking to the Future" with the Swiss Christian Retirement Movement of Romand Region

On June 11, 2025, 550 members of the movement spent a wonderful day in Payerne to celebrate our 60th anniversary! What wonderful memories we can take with us as we continue our "path" here below.

This day was an opportunity, if need be, to reaffirm all the good feelings that inspire us. In a world in difficulty, our hearts, united with our Lord, sent throughout the world a message of love full of sympathy for our neighbors and for ourselves. For it is certainly not selfish to think a little of ourselves. We deserve it! Let us not be ashamed to position ourselves in resonance with our Pope Leo, as a haven of peace.

Every drop of water contributes to the river of love that must bear good fruit. At our own small level, we often say that we can do nothing for this sick world. This is most certainly a misguided view of the truth. For, as Thérèse of the Child Jesus so aptly put it, it is through and thanks to all of "our small gestures" that you and I can participate in the better life we seek together. In this vision, this Jubilee was certainly not in vain and fully contributes to our spiritual and human journey.

During this day, we were sure to remember all our members who were unable to participate, as well as all our members who passed away too soon.

Without the voluntary commitment of the Organizing Committee, this day would not have been possible, and we thank them warmly.

See you in 10 years!

Your President – Willy Sallin

