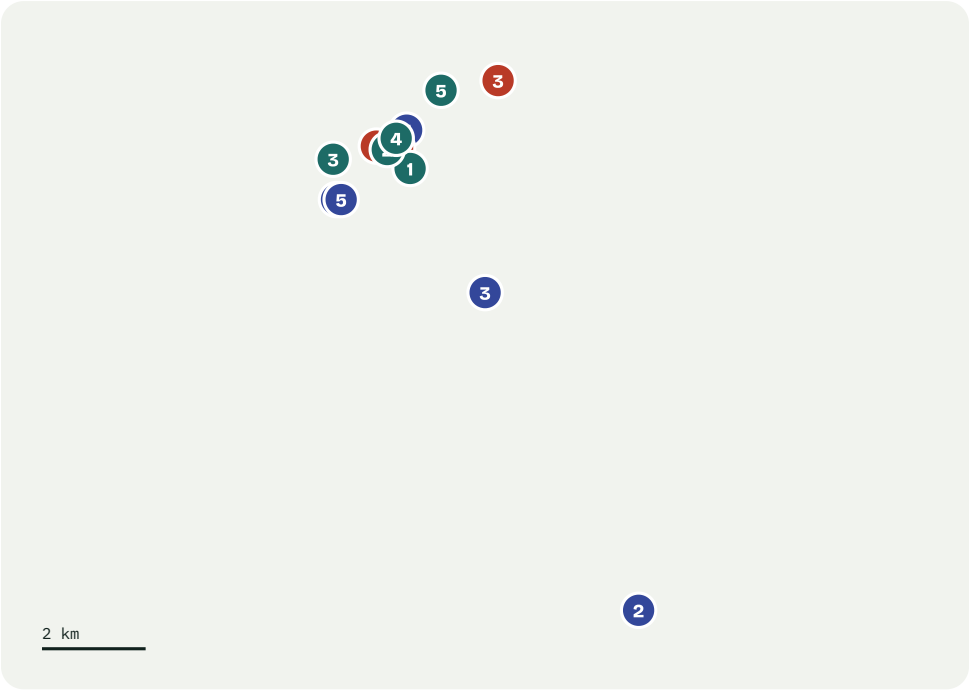
Praid

The salt village of western Harghita: the salt mine has been closed since the 2025 flood, but you can still float in salt water at the Wellness Center, and the potters' village of Corund is 11 km away.



What to see · Where to eat · Where to stay

Sketch, not exactly to scale.

How to use this guide

For each category we picked five places, in the order we would recommend them. Map numbers match the list. On harghita.info you'll find the interactive map, Google Maps links and the always up-to-date version.

`harghita.info/en/praid/`

What to see in Praid

1 Wellness Center Praid

THERMAL SALT-WATER POOLS · STRADA MINEI, OCNA DE JOS (COMUNA PRAID), LA 2 KM DE CENTRU

With the salt mine closed, this is where you can float in the salt water the area is known for, all year round.

The commune's year-round wellness centre, with a large pool of salty thermal water drawn from 1,000 m below ground, a fresh-water swimming pool, a children's pool, jacuzzis and saunas.

Strada Minei 79 · Tel. +40 722 408 777 · Hours: Mo 12–20 · Tu 12–20 · We 12–20 · Th 12–20 · Fr 12–20 · Sa 10–20 · Su 10–20



2 Corund, satul olarilor

POTTERS' VILLAGE · CORUND (KOROND), COMUNA CORUND, LA 11 KM DE PRAID PE DN13A

It is the best-known pottery centre of the Salt Land, with a written tradition going back to 1613, and is easy to add to a day in Praid.

Neighbouring village known across Romania for its pottery, with workshops and pottery shops lining the national road, 11 km from Praid.

Strada Principală (DN13A), centrul satului Corund · hours not confirmed



3 Biserica reformată din Ocna de Sus

GOTHIC CHURCH · OCNA DE SUS (FELSŐSÓFALVA), COMUNA PRAID, LA 4 KM DE CENTRU

It is the only historic monument of national importance (category A) in Praid commune and keeps traces of the medieval church.

Church built in Gothic style in the 13th–14th centuries as a Roman Catholic church and Reformed since the Reformation, with a tower from 1777 and an enclosure wall.

Ocna de Sus nr. 261–262 · hours not confirmed



4 Biserica reformată din Praid

REFORMED CHURCH · PRAID, CENTRU, PE DN13B

It is a listed monument right in the centre of Praid, a few minutes' walk from the guesthouses and restaurants.

The village's Reformed church, built between 1790 and 1796, which keeps the sanctuary of the old 15th-century Roman Catholic church; the wooden gate of the churchyard dates from 1944.

Praid nr. 1036 (DN13B) · hours not confirmed



5 Muntele de Sare și Salina Praid

SALT RESERVE AND MINE, CLOSED · STRADA MINEI, VIZAVI DE WELLNESS CENTER, LA 2 KM DE CENTRU

They are what made Praid famous, but for now you can only see them from outside the closed area, and the mine has no reopening date.

Praid's salt hill, a 60-hectare geological reserve with a canyon cut by the Corund stream, and the salt mine beneath it; both have been closed to visitors since the flood of May 2025.

Intrarea în rezervație, Strada Minei (vizavi de Wellness Center Praid) · hours not confirmed

Where to eat in Praid

1 Ice Italy

RESTAURANT IN THE CENTRE · PRAID, CENTRU

It holds 4.3 on Google from more than 2,200 reviews, the most of any restaurant in Praid, and opens every day at 8:30.

Restaurant on the main street in the centre of Praid, open daily from morning to evening, with Hungarian, Romanian and international dishes.

Strada Principală 1093 · Tel. +40 755 801 495 · Hours: daily 8:30–23

2 Telegdy Ház

SZEKLER RESTAURANT · PRAID, LÂNGĂ CLĂDIRILE SALINEI PRAID, LA 600 M DE CENTRU

It holds 4.2 on Google from more than 1,200 reviews, and 2026 reviews praise the paprikash and the quick service.

Restaurant serving Szekler and Hungarian dishes on the main street, close to the Praid salt mine buildings, with a rustic interior.

Strada Principală 1173 · Tel. +40 751 010 017 · Hours: Mo 12–17 · Tu 12–17 · We 12–17 · Th 12–17 · Fr 12–20 · Sa 12–20 · Su 12–17

3 Restaurantul Sebelin

TRADITIONAL RESTAURANT · PRAID, LA IEȘIREA SPRE PASUL BUCIN, LA 2,5 KM DE CENTRU

It holds 4.3 on Google from more than 350 reviews, with reviews from autumn 2026, and cooks traditional dishes from local ingredients.

The restaurant of the Sebelin guesthouse, where Praid meets the road to the Bucin Pass, with 60 seats indoors, a large terrace and its own bar, open daily from 9 to 22.

Praid nr. 605/F (DN13B, spre Pasul Bucin) · Tel. +40 761 882 215 · Hours: daily 9–22

Where to stay in Praid

1 Altus Hotel & Spa

SPA HOTEL · PRAID, LA INTRAREA DINSPRE CORUND, LA 700 M DE CENTRU

It holds 9.2 on Booking from more than 350 reviews and 4.5 on Google from more than 1,000, and its own spa has a salt-water pool, useful now that the salt mine is closed.

Three-star hotel opened in 2017 on the edge of Praid, with 31 rooms and apartments, a restaurant with terraces and a spa with fresh-water and salt-water pools.

Strada Principală (Nádasfő) 168–170 · Tel. +40 724 750 077

2 Sóbánya Panzió

GUESTHOUSE · PRAID, PE STRADA PRINCIPALĂ, LA 300 M DE CENTRU

It holds 9.7 on Booking from more than 240 reviews and 4.8 on Google, a few minutes' walk from the centre of Praid.

Family-run guesthouse on the main street, with eight room types, a fully equipped kitchen for guests and free parking in the yard.

Strada Principală 126A · Tel. +40 743 287 958

3 Hygge Praid

FAMILY GUESTHOUSE · STRADA KÜLLŐMEZŐ, SUD-VESTUL PRAIDULUI, LA 1,3 KM DE CENTRU

It holds 9.9 on Booking from more than 110 reviews and 4.9 on Google from 164, among the best scores in Praid.

Small family guesthouse on the south-western edge of Praid, in a quiet spot with a stream running past the property.

Strada Küllőmező 54I · Tel. +40 771 228 379

4 Casa de oaspeți Anciupi

GUEST HOUSE · PRAID, CENTRU, PE O STRADĂ LATERALĂ

It holds 4.9 on Google from more than 180 reviews and 9.5 on Booking, a two-minute walk from the centre.

Guest house on a side street in the centre of Praid, with spacious rooms, a large yard with a playground and private parking.

Strada Tonikert 27 · Tel. +40 723 972 403

5 Casa de oaspeți Cristian

GUEST HOUSE WITH KITCHENETTES · STRADA APEI, NORDUL PRAIDULUI, LA 1,3 KM DE CENTRU

It holds 9.7 on Booking from more than 170 reviews and 4.9 on Google, and the in-room kitchenette helps on longer stays.

Guest house in a quiet area in the north of Praid, with kitchenette rooms and a large yard with a playground.

Strada Apei 696 G1 · Tel. +40 742 525 515

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