## **Summary**

This thesis, *Czech Christian Religious Scene after the Revolution in 1989 (Relationships among the Churches and their Development after the Revolution*), aims to outline the Czech Christian religious scene and its development since 1950's till present. The necessary historical background in the introduction is followed by the description of legal aspects of church activities both during the communism as well as in democracy. The integral part of the thesis introduces ten most important churches and religious associations in the Czech Republic, their brief history, organisational structure and work in the Czech society. The aim of this brief outline is to point out the variety of church life which also significantly influences ecumenical relationships. The final chapter deals with the ecumenical relationships among the churches, their development, activities in the social welfare, especially in education and medicine, and generally their overall benefit for the society.

## Keywords

Church, totalitarian regime, communism, society, legislation, ecumenism, cooperation, relationships