

INTERCESSIONS FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING 8 FEBRUARY 2026

ECUMENICAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

Andorra, Italy, Malta, Portugal, San Marino, Spain, Vatican City

THE DIOCESE IN EUROPE: EASTERN ARCHDEACONRY

St Clemen's Anglican Episcopal Church, Prague, and the Revd Nathaniel Nathaniel, Brno Anglican Church, Brno and the Revd Lea Williams.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Ongoing efforts to establish order, good governance, and fairness throughout the world and amongst every nation

Those working with people living with the trauma of war

Initiatives to combat and end human trafficking and modern slavery

Those struggling with their health during the winter season

Church of England and the upcoming enthronement on 25 March of the Archbishop of Canterbury, Sarah Mullalley

CHRIST CHURCH

Our keeping of Lent

The volunteers of s' Häferl as they help the soup kitchen on 14 February

Preparations for the upcoming Ecumenical Study Day

Welcoming the Revd Ádám Bak as he serves at Christ Church Vienna

Sounding sessions in February being led by Dr Andrea Bianchi, Ordinand

FOR THOSE WHO IN THIS TRANSITORY LIFE ARE IN TROUBLE, SORROW, NEED, SICKNESS OR ANY OTHER ADVERSITY

NAME REQUESTED BY

Lydia Goutas

Sarah Eaton

Arcola Clark

Charlotte Crone

Hyacinth Österlin

Martin Gruber

DEPARTED

Margaret Olver

Biggs family

Readings for Sunday Next Before Lent

Exodus 24.12-end Psalm 99 2 Peter 1.16-end

15 February 2026

Matthew 17.1-9



CHRIST CHURCH

THE ANGLICAN CHURCH IN VIENNA

The Revd Ádám Bak, Locum Priest

Frank Sauer PhD, Reader



Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they?

(Matthew 6.26)

The Second Sunday Before Lent

8 February 2026

*Please take the wrap home with you
and keep the church and its ministry in your prayer*

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Services in the Church:

Sundays	08.30	Holy Communion, 1662 BCP
	10.30	Sung Eucharist
	18.00	Six O'clock Service/ Evensong on 1 st Sunday
Tuesdays	08.30	Morning Prayer
Wednesdays	09.30	Holy Communion

Services via Zoom:

Tuesdays	18.15	Evening Prayer
Thursdays	18.15	Evening Prayer

To access a service or an event via Zoom:

ID: 789 180 7390 or visit www.ccv-services.org

Visit our website at <https://ccv-site.org/site/> There under *Worship* -> *Weekday Services* at the bottom of the page you will find the link required for online services/meetings and can access the Zoom video conference app.

Office Hours: Salesianergasse 24

Tuesdays: 9.00 – 12.00

Wednesdays: 10.00 – 16.00

Thursdays: 10.00 – 16.30

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We welcome all visitors and newcomers Tonight: Evening service at 18.00

Today we welcome the Revd *Ádám Bak*, our Locum replacement for February to April. There will be a time to transition over the next few months. If you have any questions please speak to the Churchwarden *Andrew Rooke* or *Hannah Briddon* in the church office.

Feb 10	19.00	Sounding session by Dr Andrea Bianchi "Who is Jesus looking through the eyes of the New Testament?"
Feb 11	18.30	Prayer Ministry meeting
Feb 14	08.30	's Häferl soup kitchen
Feb 18	09.30	Ash Wednesday with the
	19.00	Imposition of Ashes
Feb 21	10.00	Ecumenical Study Day
Feb 26	19.00	Lent group session in church

Concerning Receiving Holy Communion

The Church of England invites all baptised persons who are communicant members of churches subscribing to the doctrine of the Holy Trinity to receive Holy Communion. Those who do not wish to receive Communion are invited to come forward for a blessing. The practice of intinction (dipping the bread into the wine) is not permitted as directed by our bishop. If you are uncertain about drinking from the common cup receiving the bread only is acceptable.

This week **Youth Group** will be on break for the school holidays, resuming once more on Sunday 22 February.

Now is the time to start thinking about collecting your **palm crosses** from last year and returning them to the church to be made into ashes for Ash Wednesday.

Are you able to assist with **arranging flowers** in the church? Please contact the church office.

Are you or is someone you know able to assist with **'s Häferl soup kitchen?** The dates for the spring are: 14 February, 4 April, 18 April, 9 May and 27 June. Drop an email to the church office for details.

This year's **Ecumenical Study Day** will take place on Saturday 21 February at 10.00 at the English-Speaking United Methodist Church, Sechshauser Strasse 56, 1150. The topic is 'Envy, violence, and scapegoats.' To register, please email the church office by 16 February.

Lent group will resume again this year, with the first in person session on 26 February at 19.00 in the church building. Following sessions will be held on Thursdays at 19.00 in the 21st district near City Gate on the U1. Contact the office to register and receive your lent booklet. Limited spaces.

The dates for this year's **retreat** have been fixed. They are **5 – 7 June** at the Benedictine monastery of Göttweig. The speakers are The Revd Dr Canon Judith Maltby and Prof Helen Wilcox. The theme is the Anglican literary tradition. Please see Andrew Rooke if you would like to attend.

If you are interested in knowing more about the **Prayer Ministry Group** please speak to Andrew Rooke. There are prayer request forms in every pew and at the back of the church if you would like the group to pray for something in particular. The next meeting will be on 11 February at 18.30.

Coffee Rota: If you enjoy a coffee after service, please consider signing up to help with refreshments after the 10.30 service. The sign-up sheet is located on the noticeboard in the church centre.

The Reading Group will gather once more on 11 March at 19.00 to discuss David Szalay, *Flesh*. Contact Nigel Shakespear via the church office for details.