INTERCESSIONS FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING 23 NOVEMBER 2025

ECUMENICAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

East Timor (Timor Leste), Indonesia, Philippines

THE DIOCESE IN EUROPE: EASTERN ARCHDEACONRY

St Margaret's Anglican Church, Budapest: The Revds Canon Dr Frank Hegedűs, John Wilson, Ádám Bak and Dan Cuthbertson

Those in the diocese who are in training or in the discernment process for ordained or reader ministry of the Church, and co-ordinators

Canon William Gulliford (Ordained), Archdeacon David Waller (Readers)

PRAYER CONCERNS

Ongoing efforts to establish good governance and justice worldwide
All working to further and build on the nascent peace process in the Middle East
An end to the war in Ukraine and hostilities in South Sudan
All suffering due to exposure to war and other conflicts including refugees

CHRIST CHURCH

Our keeping of Advent and Christmas

The Advent bazaar volunteers

Support for our evening service with the gifts of time and talent, and that a pianist may be secured

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

NAME REQUESTED BY

Lydia Goutas Sarah Eaton

Julia Schindler Christina Stevens
Sandy and Faith Vinette Huber
Francis and Alice Hanauer Kerry McCormack

DEPARTED

Ian Billcliff Miranda Kopetzky
Eileen Beechey Tricia Rothmayer
Penny Pichler Christoph Pichler
Ewald Zimmerman Michael Zimmerman

Readings for First Sunday of Advent 30 November 2025

Isaiah 2.1-5 Psalm 122 Romans 13.11-end Matthew 24.36-44



The Revd Canon Patrick Curran, Chaplain
The Revd Dr Michael Dormandy, Curate; Dr Frank Sauer, Reader
Telephone: 01/7148900, office@christchurchvienna.org

Scripture sentences for a Dedication Festival, Times and Seasons

We have waited on your loving-kindness, O God, in the midst of your temple. *Psalm 48.9*

Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labour in vain. *Psalm 127.1*

God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and in truth. *John 4.24*

Like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. 1 Peter 2.5

How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven. *Genesis 28.17*

Dedication (Patronal) Festival Christ the King 23 November 2025

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

Dedication Festival on Christ the King 23 November 2025

Services in the Church:

Sundays 08.30 Holy Communion, 1662 BCP

10.30 Sung Eucharist18.00 Six O'clock Service/

Evensong on 1st 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 under *ChristChurch@Home* (www.ccvathome.org). There you will find the link required for online services/meetings and can access the Zoom video conference app.

Office Hours: Salesianergasse 24

Tuesdays: 12.00 – 16.00 Wednesdays: 10.30 – 16.00 Thursdays: 10.00 – 16.30

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Tuesday to Friday 9.30 – 16.00

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We welcome all visitors and newcomers Tonight: Holy Communion with the laying on of hands 18.00

Nov 15 to 29		Advent Pop Up Bazaar
Nov 23	18.00	Evening Service with the Laying on
		of Hands
Nov 28	19.00	Guitar and Word
		Richard Lammiman and Patrick
		Curran
Nov 30	18.00	Advent Carol Service
Dec 4	19.00	Reading Group (Zoom)
Dec 7	13.00	Farewell event for the Currans at
		Habibi & Hawara
Dec 11	19.00	Australian Charity Christmas
		Concert

This week **Youth Group** will learn about Christ the King, the Lamb of God. Next week, Youth Group will learn about Watching for Christ.

The **Advent Pop-up Bazaar** runs until Saturday 29 November at **Rennweg 21**. Contact Philip Reading on philip.reading@outlook.com or 0676/9392969 if you wish to help in any way! Raffle tickets are available from Christina Stevens.

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.

The **flowers** today have been donated by Jan Hillerman in loving memory of husband Neal.

Word and Guitar: Looking for something a little different to start your weekend with?

Richard Lammiman is a gifted classical guitarist. Richard will play a collection of guitar pieces. These pieces will be interspersed by reflections provided by Patrick Curran. Friday, 28 November, 19.00.

Farewell Lunch Party for Patrick and Lucille: All are invited to sign up for a farewell lunch on Sunday, 7 December 2025, from 13:00, at Habibi & Hawara, 1030, Kundmanngasse 21-27/corner of Erdbergstraße. There will be a buffet lunch (Austrian/Lebanese), music, speeches, cake and good cheer. The cost will be €30 per person (€10 per child under 12). Deadline for payment and signing up is today 23 November.

Advent 1 30 November 2025

18.00 Advent Carol Service

Advent 2 7 December 2025

18.00 Evensong

Advent 3 14 December 2025

10.30 Sung Eucharist with Nativity Play

18.00 Nine Lessons and Carols

Advent 4 21 December 2025

18.00 Jazz Inspired Six O'clock Service

On Thursday 11 December at 19.00 musicians of the **Australian** community will present a **concert** of Christmas music from an Antipodean perspective.

Upcoming Evening Services: The final Jazz service of the year will be on **21 December**. If you have never been to a Jazz service please consider yourself welcome.

Pianist sought: After Christmas, the church is looking for an (ideally) experienced pianist to volunteer for playing at the evening service. Contact the church office if you can help.