

INTERCESSIONS FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING 30 NOVEMBER 2025

ECUMENICAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

Brunei, Malaysia, Singapore

THE DIOCESE IN EUROPE: EASTERN ARCHDEACONRY

Anglican congregation in Warsaw, Revd. Kasta Dip

PRAYER CONCERNS

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

CHRIST CHURCH

Our keeping of Advent and Christmas
Gratitude for a successful Advent bazaar
Sharing Committee
Support for our evening service with the gifts of time and talent
Former CCV interns: Philip Milton, Ben O'Neill, Gabe Byng, Rosie Evans, Charles Bishop, Ádám Bak, and Lauren George-Wood

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
Elizabeth Romirer	Andrew Rooke
Monica Auböck	Andrew Rooke
Isabel Laayon	Melba Sacher
Francis and Alice Hanauer	Kerry McCormack

DEPARTED

Ian Billcliff	Miranda Kopetzky
Eileen Beechey	Tricia Rothmayer
Penny Pichler	Christoph Pichler



CHRIST CHURCH

THE ANGLICAN CHURCH IN VIENNA

The Revd Canon Patrick Curran, Chaplain
The Revd Dr Michael Dormandy, Curate; Dr Frank Sauer, Reader
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Advent Calendar, Rowan Williams

He will come like last leaf's fall.
One night when the November wind
has flayed the trees to the bone, and earth
wakes choking on the mould,
the soft shroud's folding.

He will come like frost.
One morning when the shrinking earth
opens on mist, to find itself
arrested in the net
of alien, sword-set beauty.

He will come like dark.
One evening when the bursting red
December sun draws up the sheet
and penny-masks its eye to yield
the star-snowed fields of sky.

He will come, will come,
will come like crying in the night,
like blood, like breaking,
as the earth writhes to toss him free.
He will come like child.

Advent Sunday 30 November 2025

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

Readings for Second Sunday of Advent

7 December 2025

Isaiah 11.1-10 Psalm 72.1-7 Romans 15.4-13 Matthew 3.1-12

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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: 12.00 – 16.00

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We welcome all visitors and newcomers Tonight: Advent Carol Service 18.00

Dec 3	18.30	Council Meeting
Dec 4	19.00	Reading Group (Zoom)
		<i>The Little World of Don Camillo</i> , Giovanni Guareschi
Dec 7	13.00	Farewell event for the Currans at Habibi & Hawara
Dec 10	18.30	Prayer Ministry
Dec 11	19.00	Australian Charity Christmas Concert
Dec 14	10.30	Kids' Church Nativity Play
	18.00	Nine Lessons and Carols
Dec 16	19.00	Soundings
		<i>Appointing the next CCV chaplain</i>
Dec 21	18.00	Jazz inspired service
Jan 6	TBC	Last chance carols

This week **Youth Group** will learn about Watching for Christ, the Lamb of God. Next week, Youth Group will be taking a break for Patrick and Lucille's farewell lunch.

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

Lauren George-Wood, our 2024/25 intern will be visiting from 16 to 23 December. We look forward to welcoming her back and catching up on her news.

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.

Upcoming Evening Services: The final Jazz service of the year is on **21 December**. If you have never been to a Jazz service, please consider yourself welcome. The first session begins at 17.45.

Pianist sought: This position has been filled. Prayer answered. We were praying looking for an experienced pianist to volunteer to playing at the evening service. We are grateful.

Advent 1 30 November 2025

18.00 Advent Carol Service

Advent 2 7 December 2025

18.00 Evensong with Organ and Hymns

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

Christmas Eve 24 December 2025

16.00 Crib Service for families with young children

22.45 Midnight Mass – First Eucharist of Christmas

Christmas Day 25 December 2025

8.30 Holy Communion

10.30 Sung Eucharist with Carols

Christmas 1 28 December 2025

8.30 Holy Communion

10.30 Sung Eucharist

New Year's Eve 31 December 2025

9.30 Holy Communion

Christmas 2 4 January 2026

8.30 Holy Communion

10.30 Sung Eucharist

The Feast of the Epiphany 6 January 2026

10.30 Solemn Sung Eucharist