

Intercessions for the week beginning 7 and 14 February

ECUMENICAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

7 Feb Andorra, Italy, Malta, Portugal, San Marino, Spain, Vatican City
14 Feb Austria, Liechtenstein, Switzerland

THE DIOCESE IN EUROPE

7 Feb Ankara Chaplaincy, Officers and Chaplain, Patrick Irwin
14 Feb Kiev Chaplaincy, Officers and Thamarai Pandian, Lay leader

CHRIST CHURCH VIENNA

7 Feb Our keeping of Lent; Thanksgiving for all those who give to support the life, ministry and mission

14 Feb The Creation Keepers; All who lead services, prayers or preach

PRAYER CONCERNS

7 Feb All involved in advising decision makers with regard to the pandemic
14 Feb All who risk their lives in the service of others. Keep them safe

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

NAME	REQUESTED BY
Mike Stevens	
Sally Reading	
Renate Scherr	Daniel Leisser
Caitlynn Foster	Family Foster

Deceased

Tom Wilkinson	Kirsten McDowell-Barnett
Georg Hanke, Werner Wilde and Chong Hui McGuire	Teta Moehs/Wiliam Begley
Niklaus Veit	Mike Waltner
Vjollca Ducellari	Mike Waltner

SUNDAY READINGS:

14 February, The Sunday next before Lent

2 Corinthians 4.3-6, Psalm 50.1-6, Mark 9.2-9

21 February First Sunday of Lent

1 Peter 3.18-end, Psalm 25.1-9, Mark 1.9-15



CHRIST CHURCH

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In the morning, while it was still very dark,
Jesus got up and went out to a deserted place,
and there he prayed. Mark 1.35

The 2nd Sunday before Lent, 7 February
The Next Sunday before Lent, 14 February

Please take the wrap home with you. Keep the Church in your prayers.

Services at Christ Church

On Monday the Austrian government announced lighter restrictions. The curve is flattening but only slowly. Vigilance is required of everyone.

The churches with other religious institutions in Austria willingly continue to play their part. Keep checking the church's website for updates.

Services in Church

As of Sunday (7 Feb) we can welcome 38 people to the the 9am and 1030am services. You must wear a FFP2 **mask, sanitize your hands before the service and keep two metres distance from anyone not in your household or bubble.** We do not want to contribute to the spread of the virus. **If you have travelled recently make sure to have yourself tested first.**

Services via Zoom

Tuesdays	0830	Morning Prayer
	1815	Evening Prayer
Thursdays	1815	Evening Prayer
Sundays	1030	Holy Communion

To access a service or an event via Zoom use the following link by copying and pasting if necessary: ccv-services.org **Zoom ID 808 226 2476**

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Visit our website under "Christ Church @Home": www.ccvathome.org There you will find the link required for all services and can access the Zoom video conference app, orders of service, sermons, and liturgies.

Dates for your diary

Feb 7, 1800 Peace in the City, evening service Zoom
Feb 10, 1900 Prayer Ministry
Feb 14, 1800 Six o'clock service resumes, said
Feb 16, 1900 Shrove Tuesday Party
Feb 17, 930 & 1900 Ash Wednesday services
Feb 17 Lent groups begin
March 3, 1900 Theology on Tap
March 4, 1900 Steppenwolf, Hermann Hesse

Shop opening hours

The shop remains closed.

Earliest opening is presently 16 February

www.christchurchvienna.org
twitter.com/CCVienna; We are also on Facebook.

One of the new features of the refreshed website is a page called *Living Light*. **This week's blog - Living Light Blog no. 4: Meatless in Vienna** The Living Light page is the child of the Christ Church Creation Keepers. The purpose of the blog is to provide us with tips and tricks helping to help us make informed choices that will lighten the load on the planet caused by humans. In 2019 we committed ourselves to being intentional about Creation/Environment writing into our Mission Statement. "Christ Church ... invites people from every walk of life ... to participate in God's mission to the world as disciples of Jesus and stewards of God's creation."

-Bring your old **palm crosses** to church over the next two Sundays. It is out of these palm crosses that we make the ashes.

- Remember to bring you **old Christmas cards** to church. Guli and Betty are getting ready to make cards for this year's bazaar. After the bazaar is before the bazaar. ;)

The Social Committee is organizing a social event for

Shrove Tuesday, Rosalind writes, Time to give ourselves a lift and have a party!

Join us on 16th February from 19.00 to 20.20 for a Zoom Shrove Tuesday Pancake Party Chat, Carnival stories, pancake jokes, a fun quiz, music and dancing

Make your own pancakes at home, dress up and get into the Mardi Gras spirit!

Normal Christ Church zoom link

No need to register

The Social Committee looks forward to seeing you!

Lent is fast approaching! It is time to think about how to keep Lent. We are offering three as in previous years. These may all need to be online depending on how the pandemic develops. Tuesdays 7pm, Wednesdays 1015am and Thursdays 7pm.

Lent Course 2021 - Caring for Creation

Rosie is leading two of the three Lent courses this year. The current plan is to hold one on Wednesday mornings in the church centre at 10:15 tbc, and the other on Zoom on Thursday evenings at 7pm. They will begin during the week commencing 15 February. We will follow the York Lent Course entitled "Caring for Creation". This theme fits well with the work of the Creation Keepers team (the Christ Church Vienna Eco Church Committee). If you are interested in participating in the Lent course, please let Rosie know by emailing intern@christchurchvienna.org.

Tuesday evening Lent Course, 7pm

We will be reading **A Way other than our own: Devotions for Lent** by Walter Brueggemann. These thought-provoking reflections for the season of Lent invite us to consider the challenging, beautiful life that comes with walking the way of grace. There is a short reading for each day of Lent. It can be purchased as an eBook. Please register via the office. The Chaplain