

Intercessions for the week beginning 2 January 2022

ECUMENICAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

02 Jan Middle East: Egypt, Israel and Palestine, Jordan, Lebanon

09 Jan Iran, Iraq, Syria

THE DIOCESE IN EUROPE

- Pray for the Church of Sweden, and for the Swedish Lutheran Church in Vienna, Pastor Peter Styrman
- for the Ecumenical Patriarchate of Constantinople (Turkey), for Patriarch Bartholomew and the autocephalous Orthodox Churches and their leaders

CHRIST CHURCH

- We give thanks for God's assurance and guidance throughout the year and for brothers and sisters at CCV
- Pray that all our congregants and their family members remain healthy and free of COVID and other infections throughout the Christmas season
- for all members of the medical service, healthcare workers, teachers, lecturers, and all those working with and caring for young children and for the elderly

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Pray for those with child and young parents
- for those working at Christmas, and those who long to work
- for refugees and migrants
- for the destitute and the homeless
- For areas of conflict throughout the world

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

NAME	REQUESTED
Robert Clive	Melinda May
Callum Wyatt	Hyacinth Oesterliln
Stella Carmichael	Hyacinth Oesterlin
Amber Reiter	Reiter Family

DECEASED

Irene Moehs	Teta Moehs
Selena Hutchinson	Teta Moehs
Barbara Ryder, former churchwarden of Ljubljana	
Greg Blackley	
Anthony Quadrelli	Vivian and Herbert Stenzenberger

*READINGS 2 January 2022, 2nd Sunday of Christmas
Ephesians 1.3-14, Psalm 147.13-end, John 1. 1-18*



CHRIST CHURCH

THE ANGLICAN/EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN VIENNA

The Revd Canon Patrick Curran, Chaplain
The Revds Mike Waltner and Dr Robert Kinney,
Honorary Assistant Curates

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O God our Father,
who by the bright shining of a star
led the wise men to the city of David:
guide us by the light of your Spirit,
that we too may come into the presence of Jesus
and offer our gifts and worship to him,
our Saviour and our Lord. Amen. *Alan Warren*

Christmastide 2021/22

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

Services at Christ Church

Church services continue to be held, abiding by the regulations, which we ask you to please observe.

Sunday services are at 09.00 and 10.30. People attending the 10.30am service **must register:** intern@christchurchvienna.org

Weekday services remain the same. You must wear a FFP2 mask during the service, sanitize your hands beforehand, and if you have travelled recently, please have yourself tested before coming to church.

Sunday evening services on Sunday 9 January

Sundays	09.00, 10.30	Holy Communion
	18.00	Resumes 9 Jan.
Tuesdays	08.30	Morning Prayer
Wednesdays	09.30	Holy Communion
	Services via Zoom	
Tuesdays	18.15	Evening Prayer
Thursdays	18.15	Evening Prayer
Sundays	10.30	Holy Communion

We resume Sunday evening services on Sunday 9 January.

To access a service or an event via Zoom, use the following link by copying and pasting: ccv-services.org, Zoom ID: 808 226 2476 - Visit our website for services: www.ccvathome.org

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1030 Wien office@christchurchvienna.org

Dates for Your Diary

Dec 31 16.00	New Year's Eve Service
Jan 02 10.30	2 nd Sunday of Christmas Service
Jan 06 10.30	Epiphany, Solemn Sung Eucharist
Jan 09 10.30	Baptism of Christ Service
Jan 13 19.00	CCV Bible Study via zoom
Jan 17 18.00	Tag des Judentums, Greek Orthodox Church, Fleischmarkt, 3 rd district
Jan 22 09.00	's Häferl soup kitchen
Jan 22 10.00	How to study the Bible

To arrange collection of any still outstanding tombola prizes, please contact bazaar@christchurchvienna.org

Reading the Bible - the most popular book in the world and the most important for Christians: This educational series, initiated last month by the Revd. Dr. Robert Kinney, is informed by both the academy and the Anglican tradition, and discusses the tools needed to understand the Bible - composed long ago in different cultures and languages. The next meeting is on 22 January (tbc) from 10.00-11.00

The Church Shop is now closed, reopening for trade on 11 January 2022
Tuesdays to Fridays from 09:30 to 13:00
If you have saleable items to drop off, please send an email to bazaar@christchurchvienna.org

This week's LivingLight Blog #51: Speaking Truth to Power honours the late Archbishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu who died on St. Stephen's Day, 26 December 2021, a fighter against apartheid and a social justice activist, Tutu was also uncompromising in standing up against those who would not address climate change: The blog recounts some of Tutu's inspiring messages and actions as he promoted justice on all fronts: <https://ccv-site.org/web/index.php/connect/living-light-ecoblog>.

CCV Bible study resumes on Thursday 13 January at 19.00 via zoom, coordinated by Charles Bishop, who can be contacted via email on: intern@christchurchvienna.org

Kids' Church remains closed until the New Year. We are still exploring 30 January as a possibility for a belated Nativity Play.

Volunteers are sought to help out at 's Häferl, the soup kitchen with a difference. Dates have been set for the first six months of 2022. The first is on 22 Jan. If anyone feels they could spare some time to help, please contact office@christchurchvienna.org for more details.

Commencing on March 8, the Chaplain will be leading a Lenten Group on the Book of Acts, in preparation for the Greek Pilgrimage in May 2022 – deadline for registration for the pilgrimage is 25 February.