

INTERCESSIONS FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING 21 SEPTEMBER 2025

ECUMENICAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION

The Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

Primate: The Most Revd Justin Badi Arama

PRAYER CONCERNS

Ongoing efforts to establish good order, governance and equity with thanksgiving for all that has been achieved in these different areas of our common life

Relief for the suffering people of Gaza and the release of hostages

The Viennese police and emergency services

For refuse collectors and letter carriers

CHRIST CHURCH

Those to be baptised and/or confirmed:

Madiyar, Francis, Fredrik, Amy, Amber, Shefali, Samuel, and Rosemary

The Council Planning Day (27.09)

Those in the Prayer Ministry Team

Keziah Sheldon and Tray Keown being married today

Andrea Bianchi, training for ordained ministry in the Church of England, and family

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

NAME

REQUESTED BY

Mary Mason

Wendy von Bismarck

Sarah Eaton

Gerhard and Brenda Pressinger

Walter Mordarski

Irene Radda

Ewald Zimmerman

Michael Zimmerman

DEPARTED

The Revd Canon Denis Moss, former Chaplain of Budapest

Readings for Trinity 15

28 September 2025

Amos 6.1a,4-7 Psalm 146 I Timothy 6.6-19 Luke 16.19-end



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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Caravaggio, The Call of St. Matthew, ca. 1599



Jesus' hand points at the bearded tax collector, Matthew, in a gesture that mimics Adam's hand in Michelangelo's 'Creation of Adam'.

The Feast of St Matthew

21 September 2025

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

The Feast of St Matthew 21 September 2025

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: 808 226 2476 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

Wednesdays : 10.30 – 12.00

Thursdays: 9.30 - 12.00, 14.30 – 17.30

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Tuesday to Friday 9.30 – 16.00

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We welcome all visitors and newcomers

Dates for your diary

Sept 27	10.00	Council Planning Day
Sept 28	18.00	Jazz at the Six O'clock Service
Oct 1	18.30	Prayer Ministry
Oct 4	16.00	Animal Blessing Service
Oct 5	10.30	Harvest Thanksgiving
	18.00	Choral Evensong
Oct 6	18.30	Youth and Education Committee
Oct 9-12		Eastern Archdeaconry Synod, being hosted by Christ Church
Oct 12	16.00	Confirmation Service <u>No</u> Six O'clock Service
Oct 22	19.00	Reading Group

Concerning Receiving Holy Communion

The Church of England invites all baptised persons who are baptised and 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.

Christ Church is hosting the **Eastern Archdeaconry Synod** from 9-12 October. If you are interested in helping with some aspects of the catering contact the Social Committee. There is much to do and we wish to give the synod members a warm welcome. There will also be a **confirmation** service on this weekend.

The next meeting of the **Reading Group** will be on Wednesday 22 October at 19.00. We are reading *Darkenbloom/Dunkelblum* by Eva Menasse.

Today the **Youth Group** will be having a tour of the Botanical Gardens. Next week's theme: 'Storing up treasures in heaven'.

The **Coffee Rota** is again up in the church centre. Please consider helping with refreshments after the 10.30 service.

Please have a look at the **Six O'clock Service** rota in the church centre and consider signing up for welcoming and reading, providing food and, most importantly, washing the dishes!

Looking ahead:

Oct 29 – Church Council at 18.30

Nov 1 – All Saints Eucharist at 10.30

Nov 3 – All Souls prayers for the departed at 18.15

Nov 5 – Prayer Ministry at 18.30

Nov 9 – Remembrance Day at 11.50

Nov 22 to 29 – Advent Bazaar

Please take a leaflet about the **Animal Blessing** service and give it to a pet lover in your life! Even if you don't have a pet you are invited - it is a joyous occasion!

We are now advertising for a new **Church Office Administrator** at CCV to succeed Lucille Curran whose last day in the church office is 31 December. It is our hope and prayer that we can find a person of faith to work alongside her in the coming months so that there can be a smooth transition at a major time of change for Christ Church with the retirement of the Chaplain at the end of the year. The council have already begun working on appointing a new chaplain, however the process can only formally begin on 1 January 2026. Keep Christ Church in your prayers.

"When you hear, 'The Body of Christ' you reply 'Amen'. Be a member of Christ's body, then, so that your Amen ring true. ... Be what you see: receive what you are."
St Augustine (354-430)