

Intercessions for the week beginning 12 April, 2020

ANNUAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

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The health of the finances of all chaplaincies in our diocese as they come to terms with projected loss of income as a result of the Covid-19 slowdown

CHRIST CHURCH VIENNA

Members of our community who are finding life under slowdown taxing
Solidarity with Christians across Vienna, Austria and the around world as we face similar unprecedented challenges during the spread of the virus

PRAYER CONCERNS

An end to the spread of the Covid-19 virus

All who are infected with the virus

All healthcare professionals and caregivers, especially frontline health workers who have died caring for patients with the virus, and their families

Researchers tasked with developing a vaccine against Covid-19

All who are living with financial hardship as a result of the slowdown, including charities experiencing a drop in donations

Politicians and public officials facing difficult decisions at this time

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

NAME

Clive Reynard

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Beverly

Peter Doregger

Hans Peter Schneider

Departed

Christine Kohlmann

Conrad Benitez

Olive Stevenson

Heinz Zangerl

Emmanuel Sholarin

REQUESTED BY

Nigel Reynard

Janet Berkovic

The Shavers

Corin Doregger

Johanna Schneider

Johanna Cabili-Reuss

Melanie Bolam-Klein

Gulielma Jennewein

Robin Fox

SUNDAY READINGS:

12 April, Second Sunday of Easter (service via Zoom at 9am):

Acts 2.14a,22-32; Psalm 161; Peter 1.3-9; John 20.19-31



CHRIST CHURCH

THE ANGLICAN/EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN VIENNA

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How blessed is this day, when earth and heaven are joined and humanity is reconciled to God! May the light of Jesus shine continually to drive away all darkness. May Christ, the Morning Star who knows no setting, find his light ever burning in our hearts—he who gives his light to all creation, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen.

(adapted from the Book of Common Prayer, 1979, the Protestant Episcopal Church in the U.S.A)

Easter Day

12 April, 2020

Please keep Christ Church, Vienna and its continuing ministry in your prayers

Services at Christ Church

Adhering to the restrictions put in place by the Austrian authorities to flatten the spread of the Covid-19 virus, the churches and other religious institutions in Austria have been asked to play their part.

Accordingly, services at Christ Church are taking place via Zoom rather than in church.

Our upcoming services are as follows:

April 9, 18.15 Maundy Thursday Liturgy
April 10, 12.00 Ecumenical Good Friday Service
April 10, 18.00 Good Friday Liturgy
April 11, 09.30 Holy Saturday Morning Prayer
April 11, 20.00 Easter Vigil
April 12, 09.00 and 11.00 Easter Day
April 19, 09.00 The Second Sunday of Easter

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, liturgies and KidsChurch resources.

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Looking further ahead

The following events are planned, but could be subject to change, depending on the guidance of the Austrian authorities relating to the Covid-19 virus – please check future mailings of these Notices for updates.

April 15, 19.00 **Prayer Ministry**

April 21, 18.15 **Meditative Service** - *via Zoom* – see opposite

April 22, 18.30 **Reading Group** - *Outside Looking In* by T. C. Boyle

April 29, 19.00 **Council Meeting**

May 5, 19.00 **Soundings** – Living with an Imperialist, Nigel Shakespear

The following events have been postponed, given the current restrictions. New dates will be set in due course.

- Walking pilgrimage (originally 1-3 May)
 - Talent show (originally 15 May)
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The Annual Chaplaincy Meeting (ACM) has been postponed from 29 April to **Wednesday 3 June (19.00)**.

The **electoral roll** is being revised for the ACM. Anyone wanting to join the roll should **send their completed and signed form by post** to Alexander Rösch, Electoral Roll Officer, c/o church office (see postal address opposite). The necessary form is attached to the email. Contact the office if you need to assure yourself you are already on the roll. If you joined the roll last year, you do not need to submit a form this year. Being on the electoral roll enables you to attend the ACM, and nominate a candidate for election to be a churchwarden, church council member or archdeaconry synod representative, or to stand for election to one of those positions. Nomination forms will be circulated in due course.

**Christ the Lord is risen today. Alleluia!
Earth and heaven say, Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, you heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!**
—Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

The **Bible Study** has moved to Wednesday mornings at 10.15am after Morning Prayer. Contact Dr Gabriel Byng if you are interested in joining.

☺☺ **KidsChurch** is sending out a lesson each week for Sunday. If you would like to receive this week's lesson email the office or visit www.ccvathome.org ☺☺

Christ Church Shop is closed until further notice. We regret not being able to serve our wider public or provide opportunities for fellowship at this time.



The clergy and people of Christ Church wish you and your families a blessed Eastertide!

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