

Intercessions for the week beginning 14 June 2020

ANNUAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia

All who are guiding the nations and shaping national policies at this time

THE DIOCESE IN EUROPE

All in the diocese of Europe who are suffering the loss of members of their chaplaincy, and the families of those who have been lost

All throughout the diocese who are separated from loved ones

CHRIST CHURCH VIENNA

Gabe Byng, our current CEMES intern, as he starts on the next stage of his journey with God, and Rosie Evans, who will be joining Christ Church as a CEMES intern in September

PRAYER CONCERNS

For an increased mutual understanding, empathy and respect for others, throughout all neighbourhoods, especially in the United States, and an end to racism and discrimination of any kind

All who are with child, about to give birth or who have recently given birth; all newborn children and their families

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

NAME

Melba Sacher

Jane Reynard

Randal Lapsley

Hans-Peter Schneider

Fred Reyes

Patrick Knox-Peebles

Departed

Clive Reynard

Patricia Hamilton

Elio Cogno

Audrey Tschirk

REQUESTED BY

Mike Stevens

Katharina Schneider

Vinette Huber

Nigel Reynard

Rosalind Shakespear

Jeremy Llewellyn

Gabriele Schwab

SUNDAY READINGS: 21 June – Second Sunday after Trinity:

Romans 6.1-11; Psalm 69.8-11; Matthew 10.24-39



CHRIST CHURCH

THE ANGLICAN/EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN VIENNA

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Into your hands, O merciful Saviour, we commend your servant. Acknowledge, we humbly beseech you, a sheep of your own fold, a lamb of your own flock, a sinner of your own redeeming. Receive him/her into the arms of your mercy, into the blessed rest of everlasting peace, and into the glorious company of the saints in light.

*Episcopal Church of the United Saints of America,
Book of Common Prayer*

First Sunday after Trinity

14 June 2020

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

Services in the Christ Church building

The church continues to be open for public services:

Sunday 14 June (First Sunday after Trinity):

- 08.00 Holy Communion
- 10.00 Holy Communion with organ
- 18.00 Holy Communion with strings

Wednesday June 17:

- 09.30 Holy Communion

Please note the following important information concerning services held in the church building:

- There is presently no need to register in advance for any service.
- Families may sit together.
- All attending services must continue to come wearing a mask and bring their own hand disinfectant.

KidsChurch is now taking a break for the summer. We look forward to seeing you in September.

The July/August edition of **Crossways** is being prepared. You can send your contribution to the editor, Judy Castelino: crossways@aon.at

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Services via Zoom

This week's Zoom services are as follows:

Sunday June 14, First Sunday after Trinity:

09.00 Sunday service, Zoom

Tues June 16, 08.30 Morning Prayer

Tues June 16, 18.15 Evening Prayer

Thurs June 18, 18.15 Evening Prayer

To access a service via Zoom, use the following link by copying and pasting if necessary:

ccv-services.org

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

Dates for Your Diary

- June 17, 19.00 **Prayer Ministry**
- June 20, 08.30 **CCV volunteers at 's Häferl**
- June 30, 18.15 **Meditative service in church**
- July 3, 18.30 **Council Meeting**
- July 16, 18.45 **Reading Group, Olga Tokarczuk, *Drive Your Plow Over the Bones of the Dead***
- Aug 30, 12.00 **Church BBQ**
- Sept 1 **Creationtide begins**
- Sept 2, 19.00 **Annual Chaplaincy Meeting**
- Sept 5 **Parish Outing**
- Sept 12, 17.00 **African Fest**
- Sept 19 **Zoom study day: Creationtide, the Revd Dr Clare Amos**
- Sept 25 – 27 **Homecoming weekend**
- Sept 25 **Jazz Concert**
- Sept 26 **Family Day**
- Oct 4, 10.00 **Harvest Thanksgiving**
- Oct 10, 17.00 **Animal Blessing Service**

The Gate of Glory "At the centre of our being is a point of nothingness which is untouched by sin and by illusion, a point of pure truth, a point or spark which belongs entirely to God, which is never at our disposal, from which God disposes of our lives, which is inaccessible to the fantasies of our own mind or the brutalities of our own will. This little point of nothingness and of absolute poverty is the pure glory of God in us. It is so to speak His name written in us, as our poverty, as our indigence, as our dependence, as our sonship. It is like a pure diamond, blazing with the invisible light of heaven. It is in everybody, and if we could see it we would see these billions of points of light coming together in the face and blaze of a sun that would make all the darkness and cruelty of life vanish completely ... I have no program for this seeing. It is only given. But the gate of heaven is everywhere." - Thomas Merton (1915-1968), *Conjectures of a Guilty Bystander*

Christ Church Shop: Tuesdays-Fridays, 09.30-13.00

Christ Church relies to a great degree on the income from the shop for its financial wellbeing. Please consider who you might ask to volunteer to help in the shop: perhaps an acquaintance, friend or family member in their summer vacation from education, or away from the workplace at this time?: you can email the church office: office@christchurchvienna.org

When in the shop, please wear masks and observe social-distancing. Only two shoppers are permitted inside at one time. We continue to urge younger volunteers to come forward to help in the shop until long serving volunteers can return to the shop.