

INTERCESSIONS for the weeks beginning 17 and 24 September 2017

ANNUAL CYCLE OF PRAYER FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD

17 September: Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania

24 September: Belarus, Moldova, Russia, Ukraine

DIOCESAN CALENDAR

17 September: The Russian Orthodox Church and the Revd Canon Malcolm Rogers, Chaplain in Moscow

24 September: The Church of Sweden

PRAYER CONCERNS

17 September: Displaced persons, for freedom and security

24 September: Those in authority, for the right use of power

CHRIST CHURCH VIENNA

17 September: Archdeaconry Synod, Chania, Crete; Team at 's Häferl

24 September: Family Day

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

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Sunday Readings: 24 September, Trinity 15

Jonah 3.10-end of 4, Ps. 145.1-8, Philippians 1.21-end,
Matthew 20.1-16

1 October, Trinity 16/Harvest Thanksgiving:

Exekiel 18.1-4, 25-end, Ps. 25.1-8, Philippians 2.1-13, Matthew 21.23-32

CHRIST CHURCH, VIENNA

Anglican/Episcopal

The Revd Canon Patrick Curran, Chaplain

The Revd Mike Waltner, Honorary Assistant Curate

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My spirit is dry within me because it forgets to feed
on thee.

John of the Cross, 1542-91

O Lord, never suffer us to think that we can stand by
ourselves, and not need thee.

John Donne, 1573-1631

Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

17 September 2017

Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

24 September 2017

A warm welcome to all newcomers and visitors. Please make yourself known to the clergy. Light refreshments are served after the Sunday 10am service in the Church Centre, Salesianergasse 24, or the church garden, weather permitting.

Services at Christ Church

Tuesdays	Morning Prayer	830am
Wednesdays	Holy Communion	930am
Thursdays	Evening Prayer	615pm

Sunday 24 September, 15th Sunday of Trinity

Holy Communion	8am
Sung Eucharist	10am
Six O'clock service	6pm

Sunday 1 October Harvest Thanksgiving

Holy Communion	8am
Family Eucharist	10am
Choral Evensong	6pm

Family Day on Saturday 30 September 10am-5pm at the Schönstattzentrum. Theme: Together in Christ. Register now!

Prayer through Movement, dates: 25 September, October 2, 9, 16 & 30; November 13 & 20 at 615pm in the church centre. Fee is €5 a class. Registration required. Contact: Lynn Finnegan, lynnfinnegan1475@gmail.com

First Communion Classes begin today 17 September; admission to Holy Communion on Sunday 15 October. Contact: Alexandra Schmidt

Dates for your Diary

Sept 30	Family Day
Oct 4, 630pm	Council meeting
Oct 5, 645pm	Reading Group 'The noise of time' Julian Barnes
Oct 6-8	Weekend away Theme: Discipleship
Oct 10, 7pm	Soundings: Living in community, Philip Milton
Oct 12, 7pm	Theology on Tap
Oct 14	Men's Breakfast, 9am Animal Blessing service, 5pm African Fest - 5pm details right
Oct 15 10am	Admission to First Communion
Oct 18, 7pm	Prayer Ministry
Nov 1, 10am	All Saints' Day Sung Eucharist
Nov 2, 615pm	All Souls' Prayers for the Departed
Nov 4	Pastoral Care Course, details tba

The Eastern Archdeaconry Synod will be held in Chania, Crete from 21-24 September. Representatives from Christ Church: the Revd Canon Patrick Curran, Revd Mike Waltner, Miranda Kopetzky, Angela Peake-Herzog, Morkor Korley and Philip Milton. Most of the 17 chaplaincies in the Archdeaconry will be represented at the synod.

You are invited to join members of Christ Church for a **weekend away** 6-8 October Göttweig monastery. The theme of the weekend is Discipleship - **An invitation to explore and deepen your faith with fellow Christians.** Cost: €120, including all meals. If interested speak to the Chaplain, Derek or Janet Lacey. Register now!

Our new website was launched on 6 September: www.christchurchvienna.org. Take a look and keep in touch. Like us on **facebook**.

The African Fest 2017 Saturday 14 October at the Christus Hoffnung der Welt Church near the VIC (U1 to Kaisermühlen/VIC), starting at 17.00. Don't miss this annual event - great food, great drinks and great music!

Christ Church Shop, tel. 718 46 34
Salesianergasse 20, 1030 Wien
Tues-Fri 930-1600
Saturdays 1000-1200

A number of adults have expressed interest in being baptised, confirmed or received into the Church of England. The **confirmation service** will be held during the Easter Vigil 2018 (Saturday 31 March). The confirming bishop is Bishop David Hamid. Adults interested in being baptised, confirmed or received should speak to the Chaplain ASAP and before the end of September.

Sunday 1 October is **Harvest Thanksgiving**. Vivian and Herbert Stenzenberger will be decorating the church on **Saturday morning** 30 September. All help most welcome! **The produce offered** at the Harvest Thanksgiving will be given to the Missionaries of Charity, Mariahilfergürtel 11, 15th District. Please bring donations suitable for their soup kitchen.

At the end of September Miranda Kopetzky is stepping down as the **church office administrator**. A job description has been drawn up. Contact the office for a copy. Deadlines for application submissions and interviews to be fixed.