

Extraordinary Prayer of all Churches for Reconciliation, Unity and Peace, beginning in and proceeding from Jerusalem



«You who call on the LORD, give yourselves no rest, and give him no rest till he establishes Jerusalem and makes her the praise of the earth».

(Is 62: 6b-7)



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The Church of Jerusalem calls all Christian communities and all individual Christians to participate, wherever they are, privately or in community, in this great intercessory prayer for our time for the grace of Reconciliation, Unity and Peace, in the Church and thus in the world, beginning in and proceeding from the Holy City (Luke 24:47).

She asks all Christians for their profound and intensive prayer, **every Saturday between 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. local time throughout the world** (those unable to participate fully are suggested to fervently participate at least for a few minutes), for the following intentions:

- + For Peace in Jerusalem, for Peace in the Holy Land;
- + For the Mother Church of Jerusalem, that she might fully respond to her vocation of inspiring and promoting Unity among Christians and of inspiring and promoting interreligious dialogue;
- + For the unification of the date of Easter among Christians, in view of Unity in the Spirit.

The participants adhere, by the very nature of the prayer, to the Unity for which Christ asked for (John 17: 21) and which is itself a source of Joy. By a small act of conversion, which consists in willfully praying together, they place themselves in the movement of the Spirit, who makes all things new, and hearts rejoice again.