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A Rosary for Peace in the Middle East and in Our World

Prayer for International Agencies - *Please Stand - Together*

Lord God, You created this vast and wonderful universe, redeemed it in the blood of Your Son, and now guide it by Your Holy Spirit.

It is your will that we live as brothers and sisters, building up the world by the marvelous powers that You have given us.

Look graciously on the representatives of the nations who gather together today for the good of all. Enlighten them to put forth wise proposals in accord with Your will.

Teach them to make just decisions that will result in the peace and welfare of all nations. Amen

Hymn to Mary

Holy Rosary: The Five Sorrowful Mysteries - Sit or Kneel

First Mystery: The Agony in the Garden

Jesus, in the Garden of Gethsemane, You suffered a bitter agony because of our sins; grant me true contrition.

Second Mystery: The Scourging at the Pillar

Jesus, You endured a scourging and Your flesh was torn by heavy blows; help me to have the virtue of purity.

Third Mystery: The Crowning with Thorns

Jesus, You patiently endured the pain from the crown of sharp thorns; grant me the strength to have moral courage.

Fourth Mystery: The Carrying of the Cross

Jesus, You willingly carried your Cross for love of your Father and all people; grant me the virtue of patience.

Fifth Mystery: The Crucifixion

Jesus, for love of me you endured three hours of torture on the Cross and gave up Your Spirit; grant me the grace of final perseverance.

Litany of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Lord, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy, *Christ, have mercy*.

Lord, have mercy, Lord, have mercy.

Christ, hear us, Christ, graciously hear us.

God the Father of Heaven, Have mercy on us.

God the Son, redeemer of the world, *Have mercy on us.*

God the Holy Spirit, Have mercy on us.

Holy Trinity, one God, Have mercy on us.

Response to the following: Pray for us.

Heart of Mary

Heart of Mary, after God's own Heart

Heart of Mary, in union with the Heart of Jesus

Heart of Mary, the vessel of the Holy Spirit

Heart of Mary, shrine of the Trinity

Heart of Mary, home of the Word

Heart of Mary, immaculate in your creation

Heart of Mary, flooded with grace

Heart of Mary, blessed of all hearts

Heart of Mary, Throne of glory

Heart of Mary, Abyss of humbleness,

Heart of Mary, Victim of love

Heart of Mary, nailed to the cross

Heart of Mary, comfort of the sad

Heart of Mary, refuge of the sinner

Heart of Mary, hope of the dying

Heart of Mary, seat of mercy

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, Spare us, O Lord.

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, *Graciously hear us, O Lord.*

Lamb of God, who take away the sins of the world, Have mercy on us.

Christ, hear us. Christ, graciously hear us.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy. All

Lord, have mercy.

L: Immaculate Mary, meek and humble of heart.

A: Conform our hearts to the heart of Jesus.

Let us pray: Together

The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone that fled to thy protection, implored Thy help, or sought Thy intersession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto you, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother. To thee do I come, before thee I stand sinful and sorrowful. O, Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in Thy mercy, hear and answer me.

Amen.

Closing Hymn