

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church

“Rosary for the Peace in the Middle East and our World ”

Prayer for the Persecuted Church - *Please Stand - Together*

Lord, strengthen your people who are suffering violence and threat for their Christian beliefs.

Shield them so that they can follow you and worship in peace.

Change the hearts of those who believe force and intimidation can build

a better world.

May men and women of goodwill everywhere rally to defend religious

Hymn to Mary

Holy Rosary: The Five Mysteries of Light - *Sit or Kneel*

First Mystery: Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River

Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to be baptized by John.

Second Mystery: Manifestation of marriage Feast of Cana

On the third day a wedding took place at Cana of Galilee. Jesus' Mother was there.

Third Mystery: Proclamation of the Kingdom of God with His Call to Conversion

“The time has come,” He said. “The Kingdom of God is Near. Repent and believe the good news!”

Fourth Mystery: Transfiguration

Jesus took Peter, John and James with him onto the mountain to pray. As He was praying, the appearance of His Face changed, and His clothes became bright as a flash of lightning.

Fifth Mystery: Institution of the Eucharist



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Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary - *Sit or Kneel*

Response for the following: Be our guide.

Mary, wellspring of peace

Model of strength

Model of gentleness

Model of trust

Model of courage

Model of patience

Model of risk

Model of openness

Model of perseverance

Response for the following: Pray for us.

Mother of the liberator

Mother of the homeless

Mother of the dying

Mother of the nonviolent

Widowed mother

Mother of a political prisoner

Mother of the condemned

Response for the following: Lead us to life.

Oppressed woman

Comforter of the afflicted

Cause of our joy

Sign of contradiction

Breaker of bondage

Political refugee

Seeker of sanctuary

First disciple

Sharer in Christ's ministry

Participant in Christ's passion

Seeker of God's will

Witness to Christ's Resurrection

Let us pray: *Together*

Mary, Queen of peace, we entrust our lives to you and seek your care and wisdom. Teach us to live in peace, inspire us to act justly, to reverence all God has made. Root us deeply and firmly into the Life of your son and our Brother, Jesus.

Amen.

Closing Hymn