

+ Sign of the Cross.

Lord have mercy on me, a sinner.

*I keep calling out to You, My Love, Who saves me
and is Savior of the World.*

*In the face of so much despair, I petition You, O
Lord, like Jeremiah, who held out hope in You.*

The world is so caught in troubles and divides.

*I cling to the prophet's words from the Book of
Lamentations, chapter 3*



I make it my own, as a believer on earth, wanting to see change, just like
Jeremiah did.

“But this I will call to mind; therefore I will hope:

The Lord’s acts of mercy are not exhausted, the Divine Compassion is not spent;

They are renewed each morning— great is your faithfulness! (3:21-23)”

(Be in silence with those words for 3 minutes)

On this day of prayer, as the sun will set in Israel and Palestine and all over the
world, I pray for the peace You give, O Lord.

*God of mercy and compassion, of grace and reconciliation, pour your power upon all
your children in the Middle East: Jews, Muslims, and Christians, Palestinians and
Israelis.*

*Let hatred be turned into love, fear to trust, despair to hope, oppression to freedom,
occupation to liberation, that violent encounters may be replaced by loving embraces,
and peace and justice could be experienced by all”.*

- As a Catholic, I pray....In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the
Holy Spirit. Amen