



World Council of Churches

Seek #JusticeAndPeace in the Holy Land

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Love and peace will prevail

My hope is that love will prevail. There is no life without love-- only waste, strife, madness and destruction. We must find the way of truth, understanding, justice, and peace; otherwise, we will destroy others and ourselves.

With love comes peace.

Peace is a state of respect, cooperation and well-being. It's the presence of social justice and the absence of war, poverty, hunger and oppression.

Peace is having enough to eat and the freedom from sickness and diseases. It is employment and health.

Peace is hope for our future and the future of all God's children and God's world. It is when we have no fear to assemble, to worship, to work, to publish, and to say the truth, even to power.

Peace is Salam, well-being for all, equality and respect for human rights.

Peace is where everybody feels at home and accepted, no barriers of age, class, sex, race, religion or nationality.

Peace is action that is dynamic and positive. It is when we break down the seen and unseen walls that separate people, nations, religions, and races.

Peace is that fragile harmony that carries with it the experience of the struggle, the endurance of suffering and the strength of love.

May we all be strengthened to work for this kind of peace by creating justice, equality and a world without seen and unseen walls. That is my hope.

Walls were built by people and people can pull them down, by creating enough breaches, enough openings, while digging deeper to understand and undermine their foundation.

My hope is that the walls that separate us will be broken down and that we will be united in a single body.

My hope is that in the end, love and peace will prevail.

