

*The Evangelical Lutheran Church
in Jordan and the Holy Land*



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In this critical hour, we also call upon you, our partners around the world, to accompany the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land with renewed commitment and solidarity. The people we serve are already facing severe economic hardship, instability, and fear, and this current escalation deepens their suffering. Despite our limited resources, we remain steadfast in supporting all who are in need and in sustaining the Christian presence in this land. Yet the magnitude of these challenges requires us to intensify our ministries of diakonia, pastoral care, and humanitarian response. We therefore invite you to walk closely with us—through prayer, advocacy, and generous partnership—so that together we may strengthen hope in this difficult time.

Our region and people are weary of cycles of violence that have stolen too many futures and burdened too many generations. The Church must not be content with calls for a superficial calm. Now is the time for the global body of Christ to embody its vocation as peacemaker, seeking not the quiet of managed conflict, but the costly, just peace that transforms hearts, structures, and the life of our region.

In this Lenten season, may God grant us the courage to choose life, the clarity to speak truth, and the steadfast faith to walk in the way of Christ, the Prince of Peace.

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