

PRAYER FOR INITIATIVE WITH DIOCESE OF JERUSALEM AND THE MIDDLE
EAST

God,
throughout human history
you have heard the cry of your people
when they turn to you for help and healing,
for merciful belonging and for new life.
Bless those who today tend the flame of witness
to your kindly presence
in the Land of The Holy One.
Give grace and protection
to the bishop, the clergy and people
in the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem and The Middle East
who heed your command to
love God and neighbour
with courage and with generosity.
Bless those who in the United Dioceses of Dublin and Glendalough
build partnership, solidarity and friendship
with the peoples of The Middle East
at this time of harrowing and of hope.
We ask this in the name of God
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
Amen.