



In a time of uncertainty and doubt, the Ministries Foundation encourages you to take 5-10 minutes today to pray, meditate or connect to your spirit. This weekly email will include either a simple prayer, reflection, poem or piece related to spirituality and contemplation.

This past Wednesday marked the 76th anniversary of the liberation of the Auschwitz concentration camp, celebrated as International Holocaust Remembrance Day. Cities around the world [paid tribute](#) and as the below prayer urges us, "...may nonviolence become the hallmark of our decisions, our relationships and our actions..."

In Peace.

May charity and nonviolence
govern how we treat
each other as individuals,
within society and
in international life.

When victims of violence
are able to resist the
temptation to retaliate,
they become the most
credible promoters of
nonviolent peacemaking.

In the most local and
ordinary situations and
in the international order,
may nonviolence become
the hallmark of our decisions,
our relationships
and our actions,
and indeed of political
life in all its forms.

Pope Francis
[from Sisters of St. Joseph Brentwood](#)

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