## Prayer for Ukraine (added 03/17/22)

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Holy One, we come to You troubled by the war in Ukraine.
We are filled with anxieties and questions. What change are we able to effect by our prayer before You, by our words, by our deeds?
What can we do to bring peace to our planet?

Hole One, we need You to settle and redirect our hearts. We need Your hope to rekindle and sustain our passion for justice. We need Your wisdom that we might recognize anew Your presence dwelling within us, calling us to live as people of light and hope, rather than of darkness and fear.

Be with us. Help us to truly believe, not only in Your abiding presence within and among us, but in the power of our prayer to move mountains. Help us, Holy One, to build a world where people of every nation form community, where all co-exist in peace, gratitude and love.

Amen.