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Witness

Mission Action Profile (MAP) in Israel

Israel is a country with ancient connections to the stories of the Bible, yet it also suffers from major divisions, injustice and violence between Israeli and Arab peoples. In this place of tremendous turmoil, Mennonite Church Canada Witness supports ministries that witness to Christ's gospel of peace, justice and reconciliation.

Mennonite Church Canada Witness

***Encourages** peace and reconciliation ministries by:*

- Promoting Anabaptist peace and justice traditions and inter-religious dialogue between Jewish, Muslim and Christian people
- Providing resources for North American Christians to understand and respond to current peace issues of the Israeli-Arab conflict.
- Educating Holy Land visitors by providing resources and leading tours.
- A monthly newsletter "MennoLetter from Jerusalem," about peace issues in Israel/Palestine, written by Witness worker Glenn Edward Witmer.

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***Promotes** reconciliation through Nazareth Village*

- A re-creation of what the town may have looked like 2000 years ago when Jesus lived here.
- Visitors learn about Jesus' land and culture, his teaching ministry and his purpose in coming.
- Visitors come from local Muslim, Christian, and Jewish communities, including many school children.
- In a country that has experienced much tension between Jewish and Arab people, Nazareth Village is a starting point for reconciliation.

Website www.nazarethvillage.com

This year, Mennonite Church Canada Witness has committed \$23,400 for this work in Israel. Your contribution is an important part of our shared commitment to this ministry.

You are invited to send your contributions to Mennonite Church Canada Witness, 600 Shaftesbury Blvd, Winnipeg, MB R3P 0M4. Please note **"Israel Ministries"** with your cheques to MC Canada Witness.