



# EESTI KIRIKUTE NÕUKOGU

Estonian Council of Churches

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Dear friends in Christ,

For God alone my soul waits in silence; from Him comes my salvation. He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress, I shall not be greatly shaken. For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence, for my hope is from Him.

He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken. On God rests my salvation and my glory; my mighty rock, my refuge is God. (Psalm 62: 1-2, 5-7).

At this difficult moment, after you have lost many beloved leaders of your country and members of clergy, please allow us to stand at your side in grief, meditation and prayer.

We are grateful to God for all the blessings He has bestowed upon the dear departed in life and, through them, upon their families and friends and upon the entire nation and people of Poland.

We thank God for His Holy Word and sacraments with which the Lord Christ has called the dear departed to Himself and has reaffirmed their faith.

We pray to God to console, through His Holy Spirit, everyone who is in mourning and to grant the deceased His most glorious eternal peace.

May God let them be remembered with blessing among the living and may He be merciful to them.

We pray for the Lord's grace and mercy for all who continue their paths in this life, placing all hope in our Lord, Jesus Christ!

Our sincere condolences go out to the families of the deceased and to the entire nation of Poland!

Peace be with you!

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