

## World Day of Prayer

for Women's Ordination

Nothing will be impossible for Jod

God of All Possibility,

Mary's fiat was a "Yes" that enfleshed divinity That shook the foundations of power That bore You through her human body to a broken world.

You promised her that with You, nothing will be impossible. And so, amen, we believe the same. We pray that those who have deserted your creative Spirit To worship at the idols of patriarchy and privilege Will awaken to the wondrous possibility That women may, yet again, bear the image of Christ, as Mary did. That women may, yet again, say "This is my body, this is my blood," as Mary did. That women may, yet again, preach the raising of the lowly and the humbling of the powers that be, as Mary did.

We pray to birth a new Church where all may live into the fullness of their priestly callings. For Mary bore the priestly duty of bringing Christ into the world. And your power and possibility ensure that women today may do the same.

> Holy Disrupter of the Ordinary, may it be done to us according to your will. Amen.

