**INTERCESSIONS**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT Dec 16 & 17, 2023**

**Priest: Let us offer our petitions to the Eternal Father, who**

 **sent Saint John the Baptist to announce the coming**

 **of our Lord Jesus Christ. We turn to him with our**

 **needs:**

**INTERCESSIONS:**

* For the renewal of the Church: That the Lord may sanctify her during this holy season of Advent, [**pause**], we pray to the Lord.
* For our nation: That the Lord may guide the minds of those who govern to promote the common good and assure justice for all, [**pause**], we pray to the Lord.
* For catechists and all who teach the faith: That they may be given wisdom and grace as they form new generations of disciples for Christ, [**pause**], we pray to the Lord.
* For the grace this holiday season to recognize the presence of Christ during our many activities, [**pause**], we pray to the Lord.
* For our parish community: That we may continue to grow together in faith, hope, and love during this time of preparation., [**pause**], we pray to the Lord.

**INTENTIONS FOR EACH MASS**

***SAT 4:00 pm*** For the repose of the soul of **Pablo Fernandez**

For the Special Intention of **Ethna Dawson, Denise Tennyson**

For all the **Souls in Purgatory**

For the sick and suffering in our parish, and…

***SUN 7:00 am*** For the repose of the soul of **George Gardner**

For the Special Intention of **Ethna Dawson, Denise Tennyson**

 For the sick and suffering in our parish, and…

 ***9:00 am*** For the repose of the soul of **tom Hales, Julessa Bass, and Missy Poindexter**

For the Special Intention of **The Tennyson Family, Ethna Dawson, The Anderson Family, Kane David Carlin**

For the sick and suffering in our parish, and…

***11:00 am*** For the repose of the soul of **Alberto Mendoza**

For the Special Intention of **Dorothy Nunes, Denise Tennyson and Ethna Dawson**

For the sick and suffering in our parish, and…

 ***1:00 pm*** For the Special Intention of the **Familia Garcia Romero, Ethna Dawson, and Denise Tennyson**

For the sick and suffering in our parish, and…

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* For all those who have died, (***pause***). May they inherit the promise of eternal life, [**pause**], we pray to the Lord.

**Priest: Loving Father, you used John the Baptist to prepare your**

**people for the Advent of your son. By emulating the prophetic role of the Baptist, may we preach your truth to all nations. Through Christ our Lord. Amen**