

Sunday, December 15

Third Sunday of Advent

PRESIDER:

With thanksgiving, let us make our requests known to the God who is always near.

LECTOR:

1. For all those baptized in water and anointed with the Holy Spirit:
May we serve the world by proclaiming the good news of the One who is coming. We pray to the Lord.
2. For all in need of food or clothing, for those deprived of adequate housing or suitable employment: May these blessings soon be theirs.
We pray to the Lord.
3. For those in our community who will find the coming holiday season a time of anxiety: May we support them with our prayers and assist them with our resources. We pray to the Lord.
4. For this assembly, gathered together to rejoice in the Lord: May our gentleness be known to everyone. We pray to the Lord.
5. For all who have died: may the One who is to come in glory gather them into the joy of the kingdom. We pray to the Lord.