

Prayers of the Faithful

3rd Sunday of Advent

December 17, 2017

-We pray for the Church. That we may live the Gospel in joy and generosity of heart, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for our Parish family. That we may live in the heart of Christ in the heart of our community, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for vocations of service for and from our Diocese. That many young men and women may joyfully give their lives for the glory of God and for the good of all people, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for those suffering from mental illness, depression, and addiction. For the well-being and safety of them and their loved ones, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for families struggling to find proper housing. **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for the sick and the suffering. That God may bless them with his healing presence, **We pray to the Lord.**

-We pray for those who have died. That the Lord, in his goodness, may welcome them home, **We pray to the Lord.**