Prayers for the 1st Sunday of Advent – November 27, 2016

PENITENTIAL ACT

Confiteor w/ Sung Kyrie

PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Presider My friends, let us pray that this holy season will make us alert to Christ's coming through the needs and concerns of all people.

Lector For the church: that we may be a focused and watchful people during this Advent season...with waiting hearts, we pray,

- For those who are alert to opportunities for justice and meeting the needs of the poor and disenfranchised...with waiting hearts, we pray,
- For the millions around the world living and dying with AIDS...with waiting hearts, we pray,
- For those who keep us aware, whose voices prod and disturb us...with waiting hearts, we pray,
- For eyes that see the signs of God's action in our world...with waiting hearts, we pray,
- For those who can lead us into national unity in this time of disunity...with waiting hearts, we pray,
- For us, that we may we be open to God's unexpected interruptions in our lives and allow these interruptions to draw us into His grace, peace, love, and hope....with waiting hearts, we pray,
- For the grace to be alert to the needy, the sick and the dying in this community and wherever we venture each day...with waiting hearts, we pray,
- For those who have died...(including)...and those who grieve for them...with waiting hearts, we pray,

Saturday/Sábado, November 26, 2016

5:00 pm For the People [Skip intention...Do not read including]

Sunday/Domingo, November 27, 2016

8:30 am † Marilyn Barrett

10:30 am † Frank & Eileen Violante

12:30 pm † Eddy Velez

Presider God who is ever present, we need your help to stay focused in the midst of compelling distractions that confront us every day. Grant us the capacity to see the face of Jesus wherever he appears among us, and help us to live this Advent season in fine-tuned awareness. We humbly ask this in his name. Amen.