Intercessions December 26, 2021

Presider:

Loving God, as we celebrate the Holy Family, we bring our prayers to you without reservation or hesitation, for we know that you hear the prayers of your family.

- For the church, may we continue to grow in understanding the needs and realities for families today... we pray,
- For local and national leaders, may they enact legislation that supports families and provides livable wages and healthy working conditions... we pray,
- For all who feel separated or isolated from their families, may they find love and support, knowing they are never alone... we pray,
- For all victims of domestic abuse, may they find support, healing, and justice... we pray,
- For all of us in the family of disciples at St. Pius the Tenth, may our family of faith support our discipleship to love unconditionally like Jesus... we pray,
- [7pm Only, look at camera: For those friends, family, and seekers of faith joining through live-stream, may you know that you are a cherished part of the family of God and be sustained by our prayers... we pray,]
- For the sick, the suffering, and for those who have died, especially... we pray,

Lector, please remain at the ambo until the following prayer is concluded.

Presider:

Loving God, hear the prayers we bring before you today through the intercession of the Holy Family. May we find comfort in the support of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph as we strive to live as your disciples in our own families. We ask this through Christ our Lord.