

## FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT, C

### Priest Celebrant

Let us call on the name of the Lord  
who comes to save us:

### Deacon/Cantor/Reader

(Optional: “Our Advent response is, **Come, Lord Jesus!**”)

For our Holy Father, his brother bishops, priests and deacons;  
for generous service to all God’s children,  
we pray:

For peace in the land of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph,  
its neighboring countries and every suffering land,  
we pray:

For freedom from excess, sinful pleasures, and loss of temper,  
as we celebrate the Coming of our God,  
we pray:

For expectant parents and those who desire children;  
for adoptive parents and children,  
we pray:

For the abused and their rescue from abuse;  
for the healing both of the innocent and of the guilty,  
we pray:

For our brothers and sisters who serve the hungry and homeless,  
the sick, the lonely, the imprisoned,  
we pray:

For the presence of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph at the side of  
[ \_\_\_\_\_ ],  
the war-injured, and everyone who suffers in body or spirit,  
we pray:

For [ \_\_\_\_\_ ],  
the war-dead, and whoever mourns spouse, child, parent, relative, friend,  
we pray:

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Hail Mary, full of grace ....