

Wednesday, March 18, 1857

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Lent • One-Year (Historic) • 1856–1857 Church Year • Purple

## APPOINTED READINGS

### LESSON

Exodus 20:12-24a

### GOSPEL

Matthew 15:1-20

## INTROIT

*Ego autem in Domino sperabo* — Psalm 31

*But I will hope in the Lord: I will be glad, and rejoice in thy mercy; for thou hast regarded my humility. Psalm. In thee, O Lord, have I hoped, let me never be confounded: deliver me in thy justice, and rescue me.*

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Grant us, we beseech thee, O Lord, that instructed by wholesome fasting, and abstaining from dangerous vices, we may more easily obtain thy favour. Through our Lord, &c.;*

Introit and collect: Husenbeth, The Missal for the Use of the Laity (London, 1853) — Wednesday, Third Week, public domain (historic Western propers; not from Lutheran service books). Readings per The Lutheran Missal, "Lenten Lections" (2020).