Monday, March 26, 1979

# Monday of Laetare

Lent • One-Year (Historic) • 1978–1979 Church Year • Purple

## APPOINTED READINGS

**LESSON**
1 Kings 3:16-28

**GOSPEL**
John 2:13-25

## INTROIT

*Deus in nomine tuo* — Psalm 54

*Save me, O God, by thy name, and in thy strength deliver me: O God, hear my prayer; give ear to the words of my mouth. Psalm. For strangers have risen up against me: and the mighty have sought after my soul.*

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Grant, we beseech thee, Almighty God, that keeping with yearly devotion these sacred observances, we may please thee both in body and mind. Through, &c.*

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