Monday, March 9, 2026

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Lent • One-Year (Historic) • 2025–2026 Church Year • Purple

APPOINTED READINGS

LESSON
2 Kings 5:1-15a

GOSPEL
Luke 4:23b-30

INTROIT

In Deo laudabo — Psalm 56

In God I will praise the word, in the Lord I will praise his speech: in God I will trust, I will not fear what man can do against me. Psalm. Have mercy on me, O God, for man hath trodden me under foot: all the day long he hath afflicted me, fighting against me.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Pour forth in thy mercy, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts, that as we abstain from flesh, we may also restrain our senses from hurtful excesses. Through, &c.

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