

Wednesday, March 18, 2026

Wednesday of Reminiscere

Lent • One-Year (Historic) • 2075–2076 Church Year • Purple

APPOINTED READINGS

LESSON

Esther 13:8-11, 15-17

GOSPEL

Matthew 20:17-28

INTROIT

Ne derelinquas me — Psalm 38

Forsake me not, O Lord my God, do not thou depart from me; attend unto my help, O Lord, the power of my salvation. Psalm. Rebuke me not, O Lord, in thy indignation: nor chastise me in thy wrath.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Mercifully regard thy people, O Lord, we beseech thee, and grant that we, whom thou commandest to abstain from carnal food, may also cease from hurtful vices. Through our Lord, &c.;

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