

First Sunday in Lent
PROPER 286

Sentence

We shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God. *Matthew 4.4*

Collect

Almighty God,
whose Son fasted forty days in the wilderness,
and was tempted as we are but did not sin,
give us grace to discipline ourselves
in submission to your Spirit,
that as you know our weakness,
so we may know your power to save;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Readings

Deuteronomy 26.1–11
Psalm 91.1–2, 9–16
Romans 10.8b–13
Luke 4.1–13

Prayer over the Gifts

God our refuge and our strength,
receive all we offer you this day,
and through the death and resurrection of your Son
transform us to his likeness.

We ask this in his name.

Preface of Lent

Prayer after Communion

Faithful God,
in this holy bread
you increase our faith and hope and love.
Lead us in the path of Christ
who is your Word of life.
We ask this in his name.