

# First Sunday of Lent, Year C

**Key Themes:** We called on the Lord and He brought us from a land of toil and oppression. Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble. The Lord is our refuge. Believe that Jesus is Lord and God raised Him from the dead. There is no distinction between Jew and Greek. Jesus was lead by the Spirit through the desert where He was tempted.

**Notes:** (1) During Lent, we do not say (or sing) the Gloria. Also, the Gospel acclamation does not use the word "Alleluia", nor should other hymns or acclamations.  
 (2) "Tree Of Life" (GAUS 307) is a useful hymn to play throughout Lent. Play the general Lenten Verse, then the verse appropriate for the relevant Sunday, then go to the normal verse 1 and following.

**Lenten Hymn:** Tree Of Life GAUS 307

**Mass:** Mass for Moderns

**Psalm:**

Be With Me, Lord	Colin Smith		
Be With Me Lord	Cox	GAUS	52
Be With Me, Lord	Haugen	GAUS	53
Be With Me Lord	Peloquin/Gelineau	CWB	203

**Gospel Acclamation:** Mass for Moderns

**Other Hymns:**

All That Is Hidden	Farrell	AOV1	127
Ashes		GAUS	209
Be Not Afraid		GAUS	449
Be With Me Lord	Joncas	AOV1	116
Centre Of My Life		GAUS	444
God Of Abraham		GAUS	306
God Of Mercy And Compassion		GAUS	302
Grant To Us		GAUS	303
Keep In Mind		GAUS	391
The Lord Is Near		GAUS	457
A New Heart For A New World		GAUS	438
On Eagle's Wings		GAUS	452
One Bread, One Body		GAUS	193
Now In This Banquet (use Lenten Response)		GAUS	197
Praise To You, O Christ Our Saviour		GAUS	407
Restless Is The Heart	Farrell	GAUS	239
Shelter Me, O God		GAUS	230
Take And Eat		GAUS	198
Though The Mountains May Fall		GAUS	453
Unless A Grain Of Wheat		GAUS	500
You Are Near*		GAUS	451

**Hymns of Interest:** Lenten Litany Barr

\* Note the need to use updated words see website for link to the use of "Yahweh"

Link: <https://stagatha.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Use-Of-Yahweh-In-Hymns.pdf>