

With Ashes on Our Foreheads

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Harm. Johann Sebastian Bach, 1829

With ash - es on our fore - heads and sor - row for our sin,
Through prayer and med - i - ta - tion may we be tru - ly blest,
With Je - sus we af - firm that it's not a - lone by bread
As an - gels came and served him through for - ty days and nights,

The sol - emn Len - ten sea - son to - geth - er we be - gin.
Re - mem - ber - ing our Sav - ior's en - dur - ing ev' - ry test.
That life's sus - tained and nur - tured: The spir - it must be fed.
May we serve him by liv - ing the lives that grace in - vites:

In pen - i - tence we pray for a tru - er faith - ful - ness,
May we with him have cour - age to face each try - ing hour,
Feed us with lov - ing wis - dom, your pur - pos - es to know,
Lives marked by lov - ing ser - vice in this wide world of need,

As with the Lord we so - journ out in the wild - er - ness.
To stand with him, re - sist - ing the fear - some temp - ter's power.
That filled with grace and good - ness, your love our lives may show.
Lives now re - ded - i - ca - ted his sheep to tend and feed.