

ASH WEDNESDAY

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Lord, for we have sinned.

p Be mer - ci - ful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

PRAISE TO YOU
This is the favourable time,
this is the day of salvation.

1. Have mer-cy on me, God, in your kind-ness. In your com-pas-sion blot out my of-fence. O

wash me more and more from my guilt and cleanse me from my sin.

2. My of-fen-ces tru - ly I know them; my sin is al-ways be - fore me. A -

gainst you, you a-lone, have I sinned; what is e - vil in your sight I have done.

3. A pure heart cre-ate for me, O God, put a stead-fast spi-rit with-in me. Do not
4. Give me a-gain the joy of your help; with a spi - rit of fer-vour sus-tain me. O

cast me a-way from your pre-sence, nor de- prive me of your ho - ly spi - rit.
Lord, o - pen my lips and my mouth shall de-clare your praise.