

The Following Collect, Epistle & Gospel will be read during the Eucharist today in the personal Chapel of the Presiding Archbishop of the Australian Church of Antioch, The Most Reverend Frank Bugge.

The 2nd Sunday after Trinity

Green.

Intent - God as Light.

Candles 6.

The Collect

O Holy Father, irradiate our hearts by the glory of your radiance and light, that we may ever shine as beacons amid the stormy sea of life; that through us, weary and tempest driven souls may be guided to the haven where they may find rest and peace in the eternal sunlight of your presence, O Holy Lord Almighty. Amen.

The Epistle for the 2nd Sunday after Trinity is from the writings of Master Kuan Yim.

Beloved ones, the Heavenly Light is the full power of God in action to wipe out the cause and cores of human mistakes, regardless of how, when, where or why, or by whom they were made. God's light never fails to act instantly to your call. The only appearance of delay or failure there can be is for the outer self of the unascended to give up too soon. At your earnest prayer, light answers instantly and goes directly to the person, place, condition, and thing to whom it has been directed in this world of form. However once there, it often meets with the dense, solidified, heavy, and slowly vibrating substance of discordance around the one in need; this shadowed substance acting like a shield against the light until the light has an opportunity to dissolve the obstruction. The light of God will dissolve the obstruction, but we must have patience. The dissolving also depends on sincerity, faith, and love on the part of the caller. The light is a reliable, eternal, unstoppable gift from God. We can purchase this light with prayer.

Here Endeth the Epistle.

The Gospel for the 2nd Sunday after Trinity is quoting from the sayings of the Maharshi.

The moon shines by reflecting the light of the Sun. When the Sun has set, the moon may be useful for displaying objects. When the Sun has risen no one needs or looks on the moon, although it may still be visible in the sky. So it is with the mind and heart. When we have only reflected light, we are compelled to use it. But when the Direct Source is high, it becomes the only Light we need.

Praise Be to Thee O Christ.