The Following Collect, Epistle & Gospel was 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 3rd Sunday after Easter.

White.

Intent - Divine Protection.

Candles 6.

The Collect.

O Holy Father, shower us with your benevolent powers, that we may follow the true path of love and peace, radiating the spiritual forces of your divine grace which you have extended to us; may your mantle of beauty enfold us and protect us in this endeavour as we ask this through The Christed Lord. Amen.

The Epistle for the 3rd Sunday after Easter is from the works of an occult student Kra-Yomrand.

We all have spiritual guides, the level of which is dictated by our level of spiritual advancement. If any of you, by special efforts of good work and deeds come under the notice of a genuine spiritual teacher, then you are literally under divine protection. As you continue the good works, you will be nurtured and guided by the teacher, and surely guarded from straying from the path which is best suited for you in this present evolution that you are working your way through. There will be many times that you will be confronted by temptations, but the divine protection of your teacher will work through your conscience to show the way.

Here Endeth the Epistle.

The Gospel for the 3rd Sunday after Easter is from the words of the Oracle of Antioch.

When you, by your acts of prayer, compassion and love, enter into a covenant with The Great Ones, you will come under their wing and be subject to divine protection. This does not immediately protect the physical body unless it is the will of the Master, or for some karmic reason this has to be so. The protection you gain is divine, therefore it is non physical. Eventually with persistence of good works the divine protection will become physical protection, but there is a time lag between the two. Never believe that your prayer for protection is unheard, it just takes time to grind through the physical wall of the karma we have built around us. The grinding away of this wall is achieved by the persistence of good works that are described in many books, or given to you by the many Holy Seers and Prophets sent to Earth to instruct us. As the wall is ground away the protection can and will operate faster from the divine to the physical. The amount of protection we receive is therefore something we ourselves control, simply by obeying or denying the laws of God..

Praise Be to Thee O Christ.