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.

**Trinity Sunday** 

## **Intent - Guidance by Love**

### The Collect

Almighty God, we pray thee that thou wouldst keep us steadfast in the true pathway to knowledge, and leading us with your ministers and angels of spiritual love defend us from all error, this we implore through the guarantee of the Christ Jesus. Amen.

### The Epistle for Trinity Sunday is from the writings of Annie Besant

God has made the earth by his power, he has established the world by his wisdom; and has stretched out the heaven by his understanding. The references to three functions is very clear. These three are inseparable, indivisible, three aspects of one. Their functions may be thought of separately, for the sake of clearness, but cannot be disjoined. Each is necessary to each, and each is present in each. In the first being, will power is seen as predominant, as characteristic, but wisdom and creative action are also present; in the second being, wisdom is seen as being predominant, but power and creative action are none the less inherent in him; in the third being, creative action is seen as predominant, but power and wisdom are ever also to be seen. Though the words first, second and third are used, because the being are thus manifested in time, in the order of self unfolding, yet in eternity they are known as inter-dependent and co-equal. None is greater or less than the other.

### Here Endeth the Epistle.

### The Gospel for Trinity Sunday is from the Writing of the Author Annie Kirkwood.

Mankind will evolve into more mental beings. We will be able to hear sounds which are not yet heard, we will see things that are not yet seen. We will have better use of all abilities, but the greatest advance will be love. Love will answer nearly all our problems, because anger and fear in problems will be seen for what they are. People will speak from the standpoint of love and compassion. Forgiveness will be the accepted mode of conduct. When enough people are loving, others will react in the same way simply for the reason that they will be the odd one out. At this stage no one will lie and deceive others, for this will be instantly obvious to the higher sight of everyone else around them. This will bring a self disciplining of each individual to guide themselves by the standards of the love factor. This love which is the light of God, is even now working itself through each of us to elevate us to far greater heights than we ever imagined.

# Praise Be to Thee O Christ

**Candles Many.** 

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