

## **FIRST READING**

*Instruction:* This is the first reading. Approach altar after the Opening Prayer when all people sit down.

### **A Reading from the book of Isaiah**

No longer shall the sun be your light by day, Nor the brightness of the moon shine upon you at night; The LORD shall be your light forever, your God shall be your glory.

No longer shall your sun go down, or your moon withdraw, For the LORD will be your light forever, and the days of your mourning shall be at an end.

### **The Word of the Lord**

(Isaiah 60:19-20)