

Sermon Notes Page  
He Breathed on Them  
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John 20:19-23

- Happy Birthday!
- Pentecost – the forgotten holiday
  - o Christmas – the gift of invitational grace.
  - o Easter – the gift of saving grace.
  - o Pentecost – the gift of sustaining grace.
- John 14:25-27 – My peace I give to you.
  - o What the Spirit does – Teach and Remind
- Pentecost – the story we remember – Acts 2:1-21
  - o 50 days after the resurrection of Jesus.
  - o 10 days after the ascension of Jesus.
  - o THE mountaintop experience.
- But tragedy makes the deepest marks.
- He breathed on them:
  - o Luke 23:46 – He breathed his last
  - o John 20:21-23 – He breathed on them –
    - Peace be with you!
    - Receive the Holy Spirit
- Where does peace come from?
  - o The disciplines of faith **teach** us about peace.
  - o The rituals of the church **remind** us about peace.
  - o The Holy Spirit *grants* peace.