

A WEEKLY WORD – Renee Noseworthy

Readings for the week of June 9, 2019

Acts 2:1-21

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

Romans 8:14-17

John 14:8-17, (25-27)

In John 14:25-27, Jesus says, *“I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.”*

Some may think that the Holy Spirit is gone, or “a thing of the past.” That is not true. The Holy Spirit is the living and active third person of the Holy Trinity; God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. He is the same yesterday, today and forever. (Hebrews 13:8) He never changes.

This passage from John Chapter 14, gives us a glimpse of what the Holy Spirit does for us in our present day lives. He teaches us, reminds us of Jesus’ words, gives us a peace that is far above anything this world offers, and so much more.

He guides us into all truth (John 16:13), which includes encouraging us that Acts 2:21 is true. That verse says, *“Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”*