

Peace Be With You (Sunday evening, April 5, 33)

Mark 16:13b–14	Luke 24:33b–43	John 20:19–25
<p>13b [and reported it to the others,</p> <p>but they did not believe them either.</p> <p>14 Afterward He appeared to the eleven themselves as they were reclining <i>at the table</i>;</p> <p>and He reproached them for their unbelief and hardness of heart, because they had not believed those who had seen Him after He had risen.]</p>	<p>33b and found gathered together the eleven and those who were with them,</p> <p>34 saying, “The Lord has really risen and has appeared to Simon.” [1 Cor 15:5a]</p> <p>35 They <i>began</i> to relate their experiences on the road and how He was recognized by them in the breaking of the bread.</p> <p>36 While they were telling these things, He Himself stood in their midst</p> <p>and said to them, “Peace be to you.”</p> <p>37 But they were startled and frightened and thought that they were seeing a spirit.</p> <p>38 And He said to them, “Why are you troubled, and why do doubts arise in your hearts?</p> <p>39 See My hands and My feet, that it is I Myself; touch Me and see, for a spirit does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.”</p> <p>40 And when He had said this, He showed them His hands and His feet.</p> <p>41 While they still could not believe <i>it</i> because of their joy and amazement, He said to them, “Have you anything here to eat?”</p>	<p>19 So when it was evening on that day, the first <i>day</i> of the week, and when the doors were shut where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews,</p> <p>Jesus came and stood in their midst</p> <p>and said to them, “Peace <i>be</i> with you.”</p> <p>20 And when He had said this, He showed them both His hands and His side. The disciples then rejoiced when they saw the Lord.</p>

	<p>42 They gave Him a piece of a broiled fish; 43 and He took it and ate <i>it</i> before them.</p>	<p>21 So Jesus said to them again, “Peace <i>be</i> with you; as the Father has sent Me, I also send you.” 22 And when He had said this, He breathed on them and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. 23 If you forgive the sins of any, <i>their sins</i> have been forgiven them; if you retain the <i>sins</i> of any, they have been retained.” 24 But Thomas, one of the twelve, called Didymus, was not with them when Jesus came. 25 So the other disciples were saying to him, “We have seen the Lord!” But he said to them, “Unless I see in His hands the imprint of the nails, and put my finger into the place of the nails, and put my hand into His side, I will not believe.”</p>
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