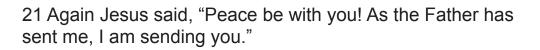
# The Coming of the Holy Spirit

John 20:19-23 - Jesus Gives the Holy Spirit

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!"

20 After He said this, He showed them His hands and side. The disciples were overjoyed when they saw the Lord.



22 And with that He breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. 23 If you forgive anyone His sins, they are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."

### Acts 2:1-8, 41 - The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.

2 Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. 3 They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. 4 All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

5 Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. 6 When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard them speaking in his own language.

7 Utterly amazed, they asked: "Are not all these men who are speaking Galileans? 8 Then how is it that each of us hears them in his own native language?"

41 So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.



#### A Closer Look - Pentecost

#### Acts 2:1-8, 41

- 1. The Feast of Pentecost was a time to celebrate God's blessings. Who came for this celebration? (*Jews from every nation under heaven came to Jerusalem.*)
- 2. What sound was heard? (A sound like a violent wind)
- 3. Were the apostles the only ones that heard the sound? (No, the God fearing Jews in Jerusalem also heard the sound.)
- 4. How did the Holy Spirit appear? (As tongues of fire)
- 5. What could the apostles do after the Holy Spirit came? (*They could speak in the languages of all present.*)
- 6. How did the believers react? (A great crowd gathered in bewilderment)
- 7. How many were baptized that day? (3000)
- 8. What does the Holy Spirit do in your life? (*He keeps you in the faith. He gives you the power to forgive the sins of others.*)

#### Pendekosti

Mabasa Avapostori 2:1-8, 41

- 1. Mutambo wePendekosti yaiva nguva yokupemberera maropafadzo aMwari. Ndivanani vaiuya kumutambo uyu? (VaJuda vose pasi pose vaiuya KuJerusarema.)
- 2. Izwi rudzii rakanzwikwa? (Izwi rakaita seremhepo huru.)
- 3. Ko vaApostora ndivo voga vakanzwa izwi iri here? (Kwete, navaJuda vaitya Mwari vaiva muJerusarema vakarinzwavo.)
- 4. Ko Mweya Mutsvene akaratidzika sei? (Semarimi emoto.)
- 5. Ko vadzidzi vakwanisa kuitei mushure mekunge Mweya Mutvene auya? (Vakakwanisa kutaura nemitauro yavose vaivapo.)
- 6. Ko vatendi vakaiteiko? (Vanhu vazhinji-zhinji vakaungana vachishamiswa zvikuru.)
- 7. Vanhu vangani vakabhapatidzwa nomusi uyu? (Zviuru zvitatu.)
- 8. Ko Mweya Mutsvene anoitei muupenyu hwako? (Anokuchengeta mukutenda. Anokupa simba rokugona kureregera zvivi zvavamwe vanokutadzira.)

# Kuuya kwaMweya Mutsvene

## Johani 20:19-23 - Jesu Vanopa Mweya Mutsvene

Madekwana ezuva rokutanga revhiki, vadzidzi pavakanga vari pamwe chete, mikova yakazarirwa nokuda kwokutya vaJudha, Jesu akauya akasvikomira pakati pavo akati, "Rugare ngaruve kwamuri!"

20 Shure kwokutaura izvi, akavaratidza maoko ake naparutivi pake. Vadzidzi vakafara zvikuru pavakaona Ishe.

21 Jesu akatizve kwavari, "Rugare ngaruve kwamuri! Sezvo Baba vakandituma, ndiri kukutumaiwo."



22 Uye adaro akavafemera akati, "Gamuchirai Mweya Mutsvene. 23 Kana muchiregerera ani zvake zvivi zvake, zvicharegererwa; kana musingavaregereri, havaregererwi."

## Mabasa Avapostori 2:1-8, 41 - Mweya Mutsvene Unouya nomusi wePentekosti

Zuva rePendekosti rakati rasvika, vakanga vakaungana vose panzvimbo imwe chete.

2 Pakarepo kutinhira sokwemhepo inovhuvhuta nesimba kwakabva kudenga uye kukazadza imba yose yavakanga vagere.

3 Vakaona zvakanga zvakaita sendimi dzomoto dzakaparadzana uye dzikamhara pamusoro pomumwe nomumwe wavo. 4 Vose vakazadzwa noMweya Mutsvene uye vakatanga kutaura nedzimwe ndimi sokupiwa kwavakaitwa noMweya.

5 Zvino muJerusarema maigara vaJudha vaitya Mwari vaibva kundudzi dzose pasi pedenga. 6 Vakati vanzwa mutinhiro uyu, vazhinji vakaungana pamwe chete vachishamiswa, nokuti mumwe nomumwe akavanzwa vachitaura norurumi rwake chairwo.

7 Vakashamiswa kwazvo, vakabvunzana vachiti, "Ko, vanhu ava vose havasi vaGarirea here vari kutaura? 8 Zvino seiko mumwe nomumwe wedu achivanzwa nomutauro waakaberekwa nawo?

41 Avo vakagamuchira shoko rake vakabhabhatidzwa, uye pazuva iro, vanhu vanenge zviuru zvitatu vakawedzerwa pauwandu hwavo.

# Akavafemera akati, "Gamuchirai Mweya Mutsvene." Johani 20:22