

**Allen Temple Baptist Church  
Sunday School Live**

**Theme: Partners In A New Creation**

***Unit 2: “The Word The Agent of Creation”***

**Sunday July 31, 2022**

**Lesson Title: The Word Gives Peace**

**Text: John 14: 15-29**

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# SUNDAY SCHOOL RESOURCES

[www.allen-temple.org](http://www.allen-temple.org) > News Lessons & Slides

SS. Curriculum: [www.urbanministries.com](http://www.urbanministries.com) > SHOP

Precepts for Living 2022-2023 | Physical book

Precepts digital.com for online readings / videos.

A Comparative Study Bible, Partner, Group.

# LESSON AIMS

Examine

**Examine the relationship between God The Father, Son & Holy Spirit.**

Embrace

**Embrace the Presence, Power & Peace of the Holy Spirit.**

Commit

**Commit / Recommit to Obeying Jesus Commandments.**



# LESSON OUTLINES

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- 1. Requirements for Peace (John 14:15 - 21)**
- 2. Blessings in Obedience for Peace (John 14:22-24)**
- 3. The Comfort of Peace (John 14:25- 29)**

# LESSON CONTEXT

**JOHN: 13 -14 JESUS SERVES, COMMUNES WITH AND PROPHECIES TO HIS DISCIPLES. JESUS REMINDS THEM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. JESUS PREPARES FOR ASCENSION & DEPARTURE.**

## **John 14:15, 16 NRSV**

**<sup>15</sup> “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. <sup>16</sup> And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever.**



## **John 14:17 NRSV**

**<sup>17</sup> This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him because he abides with you, and he will be in you.**

## **John 14:18,19 NRSV**

**18 “I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. 19 In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live.**



## **John 14:20 NRSV**

**<sup>20</sup> On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you.**

## **John 14:21 NRSV**

**21 They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me, and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.**

# QUESTIONS?

**What charge & promise did Jesus Propose to the disciples in vs. 15, 16?**

**What is the significance of this promise?**

**Why can't the world see the spirit of truth. Vs 17?**



## **John 14:22, 23 NRSV**

**<sup>22</sup> Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, “Lord, how is it that you will reveal yourself to us and not to the world?” <sup>23</sup> Jesus answered him, “Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them.**

## **John 14:24 NRSV**

**24 Whoever does not love me does not keep my words, and the word that you hear is not mine but is from the Father who sent me.**



## John 14:25, 26 NRSV

**25 “I have said these things to you while I am still with you. 26 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.**



## **???QUESTIONS???**

**Why do you think Jesus strongly emphasized the presence of the Holy in his absence?**

**What message does Jesus' deliver to the Disciples in their anxiety of his departure?**

**What can we learn from that today?**

## **John 14:27 NRSV**

**<sup>27</sup> 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.**



## **John 14:28 NRSV**

**28 You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I am coming to you.' If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I.**



## **John 14:29 NRSV**

**29 And now I have told you this before  
it occurs, so that when it does occur  
you may believe.**

## **LESSON SUMMARY**

**We see the beauty & significance of a Triune God at work in this text. Jesus' commitment to complete His Father's will, His assignment as Lord, and faithfulness to comfort his disciples is a model to follow. The promise & reminder of the Holy Spirit gives us all peace within.**

## LIFE APPLICATION

**Jesus reminds the disciples more than once He would not leave the Disciples totally alone in his physical absence. The Holy Spirit is with us today, to equip, correct comfort & more. In those quiet times of bereavement, sorrow & pain and suffering. The Holy Spirit is our eternal peace.**