SCRIPTURES – April 11th, 2021

Acts 4:32-35

32 All the believers were one in heart and mind. No one claimed that any of their possessions was
their own, but they shared everything they had. 33 With great power the apostles continued to
testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus. And God's grace was so powerfully at work in them
all 34 that there were no needy persons among them. For from time to time those who owned land or
houses sold them, brought the money from the sales 35 and put it at the apostles' feet, and it was
distributed to anyone who had need.

Psalm 133 (#856 VU)

John 20:19-31

19 On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors
locked for fear of the Jewish leaders, 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.

21 Again Jesus said, "Peace be with you! As the Father has sent me, I am sending you." 22 And with
that he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. 23 If you forgive anyone's sins, their
sins are forgiven; if you do not forgive them, they are not forgiven."

24 Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the Twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus
came. 25 So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord!"

But he said to them, "Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails
were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe."

26 A week later his disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors
were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" 27 Then he said to
Thomas, "Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop
doubting and believe."

28 Thomas said to him, "My Lord and my God!"

29 Then Jesus told him, "Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have
not seen and yet have believed."

30 Jesus performed many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this
book. 31 But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and
that by believing you may have life in his name.