

## **Sermon Review**

**Date: November 15, 2020**

### **“A Fresh Breath of Air From God”**

*John 20:19 - 23*

As we continue through this pandemic, our present political posturing and our personal lives we are consumed and nearly overwhelmed by the odor of our times. Our times just don't smell good. So much so, in essence we are choking, barely able to breathe the breath of life from God. Life, deliberately or not can, do that to you. The societal pungent odors of life and society are enough by themselves from bigotry, racism, sexism, hatred, intolerance and insensitivity. To add to that are our own personal life's experiences that leave us gasping for air. The odors of illness, death, failure, poverty, and relationships gone awry, they too are choking experiences. The followers of Christ after His death were bewildered by the odor of His crucifixion and death until that moment He entered the room they were in and He breathed on them. It was indeed a fresh breath of air from God Himself. That's what we all need today. We all need to be breathed on by God. His breath on you will give you peace and comfort. It will strengthen you do go and live another day. While there are many fragrances that make up our world that are sweet, absolutely nothing can refresh our lives, like a fresh breath of air from God, for it will for sure resuscitate.

In Service For Him,

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