

MESSAGE NOTES

MAY 24, 2009

“JESUS LEAVES US WITH HIS WORD!”

What will be your legacy? What do you want people to remember about you?

READ: John 17:11b-19

1. _____ from the world!

- *“Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth” (17).*

How would you define these words...

- Truth
- Sanctify

What does it mean for a Christian to be set apart?

- *“My prayer is not that you take them out of the world” (15).*

How does the world react to your reliance on the Word of God?

- *“I have given them your word and the world has hated them” (14).*

What was Jesus’ response to the hatred of the world?

- *“Holy Father, protect them” (11).*

What are some of the temptations that the devil and the world continue to throw at us?

What comfort does God give us?

- *“For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet was without sin” (Hebrews 4:15).*

2. _____ to the world!

- *“As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world” (18).*

How did the disciples know that Jesus’ Word was the truth?

How did the disciples respond to the Word?

How have you been an “armchair Christian”?

How do you have confidence to go with the Word to the world?

- *“we cannot help speaking about what we have seen and heard” (Acts 4:20).*

During the week: Think about who God is sending you to. Who do you know that does not yet know Jesus as their Savior? Look for opportunities to tell of the love of Jesus.