Second Sunday of Easter
Year A

Acts 2:14a, 22-32
Psalm 16
1 Peter 1:3-9
John 20:19-31
... God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power.

Acts 2:24
Jesus Arising

Abbey of Bath, Bath, England
You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy...

Psalm 16:11a
Resurrection -- Perical Fazzini, Vatican Museum, Vatican City
Although you have not seen him, you love him...

1 Peter 1:8
Beloved

Linda Crossan
Second Presbyterian Church, Nashville, TN
When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, ... Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you."

John 20:19ac
Christ Appearing to His Disciples

Bavarian National Museum, Munich, Germany
... he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit."

John 20:22b
Holy Spirit Seminary -- Hong Kong, China
But Thomas…was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord."

John 20:24ac, 25a
Reunion

Ernst Barlach
St. Gertrude’s Chapel, Gustrow, Germany
But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."

John 20:25b
Christ with Thomas -- JESUS MAFA, Cameroon
A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them ... Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you."

John 20:26ac
Supper at Emmaus
Rembrandt, etching
Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side."

John 20:27
The Incredulity of Thomas -- Caravaggio, Sanssouci, Potsdam, Germany
Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!"

John 20:28
Christ with Thomas Rowan and Irene LeCompte, Washington Cathedral, DC
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