

Catholic Trivia 5-15-26 Answers:

1. Acts 1:9-11 says that Jesus remained on earth for **40 days** after his resurrection.
2. The ascension of Jesus is directly narrated in two primary New Testament locations, **Luke 24:50-51** and **Acts 1:9-11**, with a brief summary in **Mark 16:19**. While only Luke and Acts provides a detailed account, several epistles allude to the event, including Romans 8:34, Ephesians 1:20, 1 Timothy 3:16, and 1 Peter 3:22.
3. Jesus promised (John 16) to send the **Paraclete** (also translated as Advocate or Comforter), who is the Holy Spirit.
4. The **Solemnity of Pentecost** is the feast of the coming of the Holy Spirit on the disciples who were gathered together.
5. Some people refer to Pentecost as the “birthday of the Church” because the disciples of Jesus actively **take up the mission of the Church** which Jesus entrusted to them, namely, to go and make disciples of all nations.