

## Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2020 – PENTECOST

Jesus' friends had spent time with Him and got to know Jesus. Jesus had shown them Father God and His great love for them.

Now Jesus had gone to heaven He had promised His friends a gift, a person to help them carry on showing everyone Gods love. His friends were praying together and waiting for the gift Jesus had promised. How exciting! What would it look like, how would it arrive?

The gift was to be a new friend, the Holy Spirit!! The friends heard a great wind, they saw pictures of fire on each other's heads and they spoke a new language to worship God with. Each of them was filled with the Holy Spirit (Gods power!) and went out to talk and share Gods love and healing to everyone around them. The Holy Spirit showed them what to do and helped them

*Spotlight* We can be filled with the Holy Spirit today too.

- We all need to have the Holy Spirit in us so we can share God's love to others all around us.
- We all need the Holy Spirit to help us to make good choices.
- We all need the Holy Spirit to help us see God and understand all he is doing.

## Prayer/Activity Ideas

**Receiving the Gift**: Jesus wants to give us the gift of the Holy Spirit today. Let us each hold out our hands and be ready to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit today. The Holy Spirit will come to you in a way that's special to you, be ready, be excited, what will you see, feel or hear as you encounter the Holy Spirit.



## Flame Wind Art: A couple of options here:

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• Salad Spinner – You will need: a salad spinner, paper plate (or cut paper into a circle), red/yellow/orange paint – Put paint on the paper, place paper in the salad spinner and spin!! The noise and the spinning as you make it is the like the wind in the story.

• *Paint blowing* – *You will need: paint, paper, a straw* – Put dots of runny paint on the paper. Using a straw, blow the paint across the paper!

Think about people they would like to meet the Holy Spirit and write the person's name on it.

**Colouring FUN!**: On the next page for a fun colouring page to colour in the best brightest colours! You can decide which person would you be in the picture? How would you feel?





