



I hope you enjoyed the Ascension Day activities. Please send pictures of anything you made.

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Here are a few ideas that you might enjoy for Pentecost, which is on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May.

We would love to include some pictures of the things you have made in Sunday's Pentecost service, please send me some pictures.

Best wishes Deborah

Listen to the story of Pentecost

https://kidscorner.reframemedia.com/bible-stories/the-storyof-pentecost

Watch the story of Pentecost

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IqG\_lvZhU-A

There are ideas here that you might enjoy for virtual Sunday school

https://www.youtube.com/watch?
v=srY6MiYzgg4&feature=youtu.be

Have you visited the benefice website, you can view the weekly newsletter and find the links to our weekly online services.

www.yardleyhastingsbenefice.co.uk

Need some help explaining Coronavirus to children, take a look at this new free book illustrated by Gruffalo illustrator Axel Scheffler.

https://nosycrowcoronavirus.s3-eu-west-1.amazonaws.com/ Coronavirus ABookForChildren.pdf

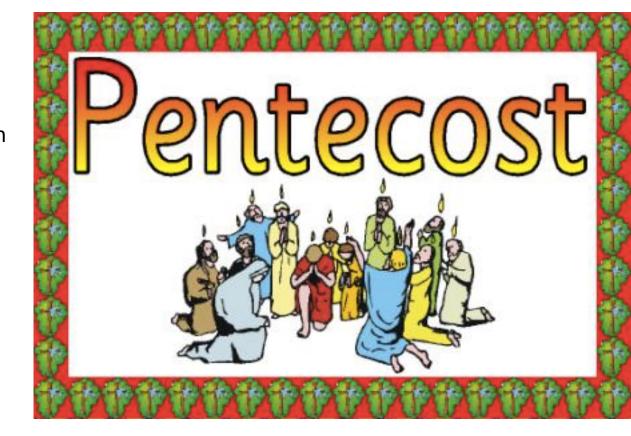


This organisation has useful advice on talking with children about bereavement

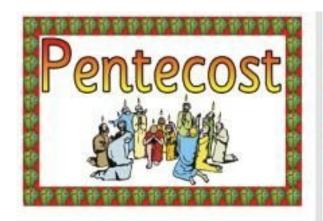
www.childbereavementuk.org

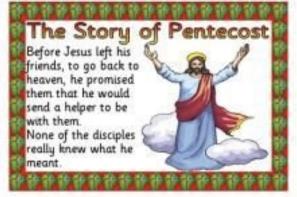
The Christian holiday of **Pentecost**, which is celebrated the 49th day (the seventh sunday) after Easter Sunday, commemorates the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other followers of Jesus Christ while they were in Jerusalem celebrating the Feast of Weeks, as described in the Acts of the Apostles (Acts 2:1–31).

The holiday is also called "White Sunday" or "Whitsunday" or "Whitsun", especially in the United Kingdom, where traditionally the next day, Whit Monday, was also a public holiday (since 1971 fixed by statute on the last Monday in May). In German, Pentecost is called Pfingsten, developed through contracting the Greek term pen[te]k[os]te, and often coincides with scholastic holidays and the beginning of many outdoor and springtime activities, such as festivals and organised outdoor activities by youth organisations. The Monday after Pentecost is a legal holiday in many European countries.

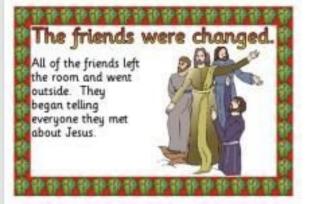


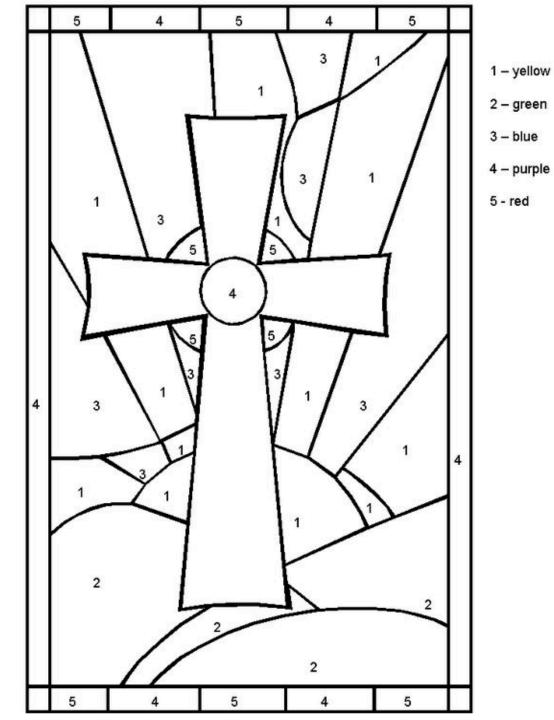












We are connected together by the Holy Spirt, we are connected by the love of God.

Cut out the flame and colour it red, orange & yellow.

On the red part write names of those in Church who you want to pray for

On the orange part write names of those at school or on your community that you wish to pray for

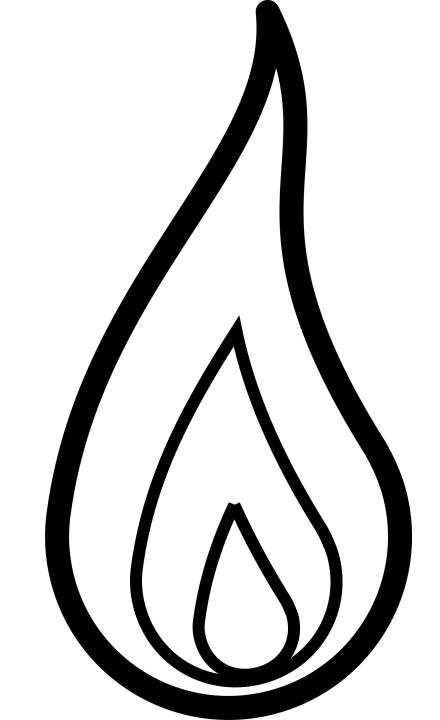
On the yellow part write names of family or friends that you wish to pray for.

Join your prayers together by saying this pray......

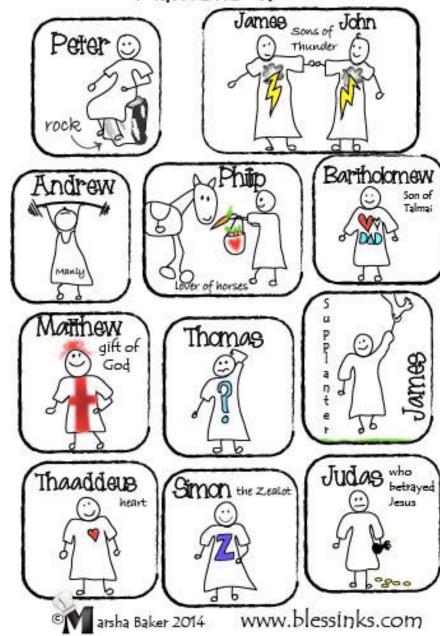
## **Closing Prayer**

Dear God, thank You for sending your Holy Spirit to be with us and to give us strength and power. We have the same Spirit in us today. Thank You for the good news that has gone out throughout the whole world for so many hundreds and thousands of years. We have heard it, and believe it. Help us now to tell others.

We ask these things in Jesus' name, Amen.



## The 12 Apostles

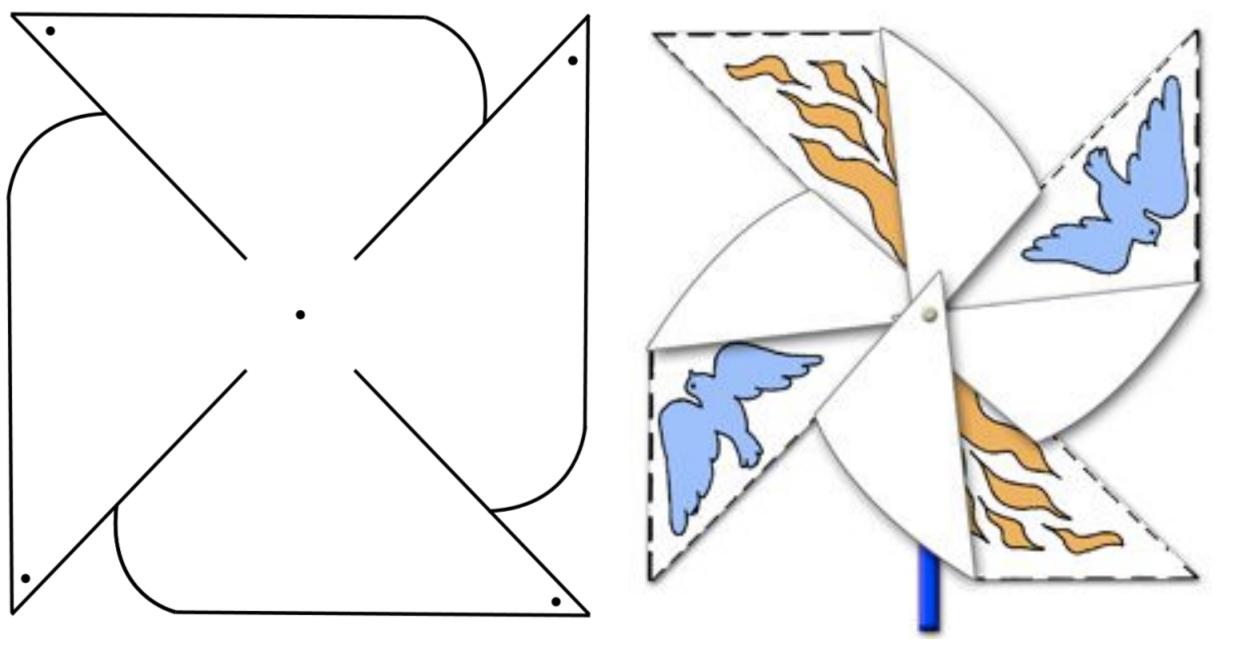




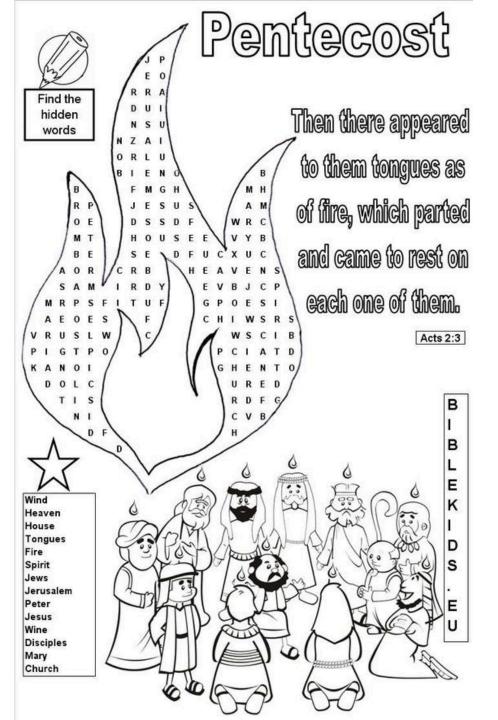


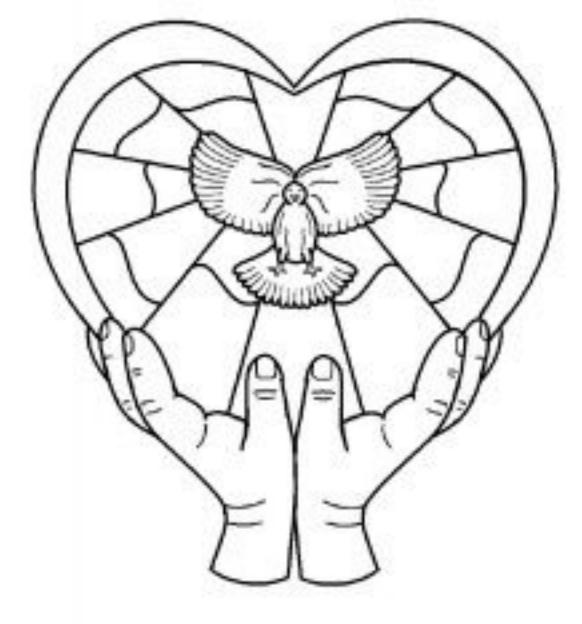


Pentecost snacks, send me a Picture of yours.

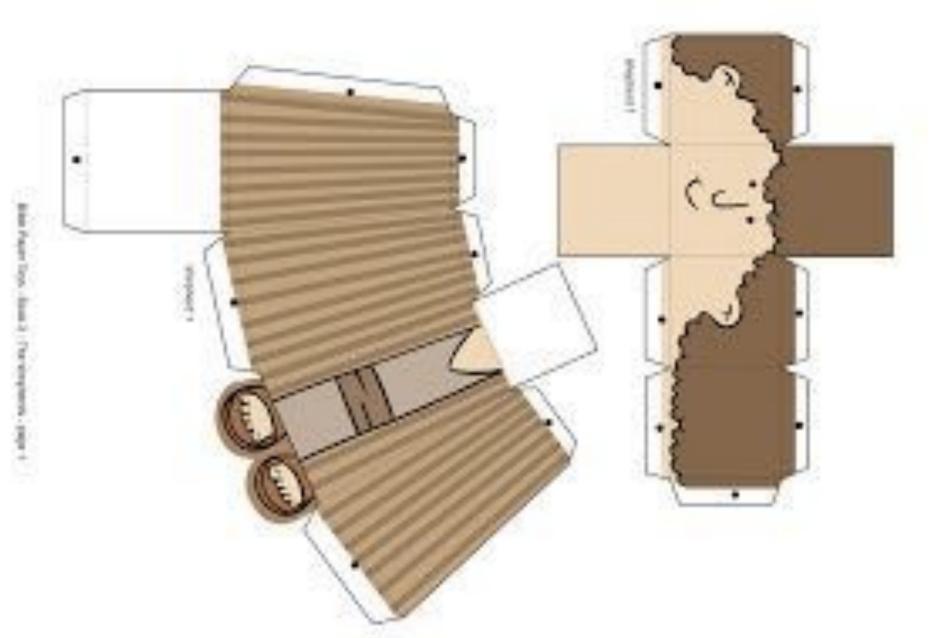


Print & decorate, cut along the lines to the middle, attach to a straw with a paper fastener, come holy spirit.....





Colour me.....



Print, cut out and make this model of Jesus

Hide him around the house (bit like Elf on the Shelf) to remind you that Jesus is always with you and that its surprising where we can find him.....

Have fun & send me some pictures of where you found Jesus, even when you weren't looking for him....