



SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS

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Pentecost
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READ

Acts 2

FUN WITH FIRE

The Holy Spirit Lights us on Fire for Jesus

- Gather up candles from around your home. Recount, remember the part of the story with fire, light the candles as you are talking with the kids about this and as they respond
- Talk about what the symbol of fire means – that the Holy Spirit comes to light us on fire for Jesus

SAY: We sometimes think of fire as bad, but let's think about some of the good things about fire (warms you up, cooks food, it removes old grass and trees so new ones can grow)

- Look at the candles and see how many different colors are in fire. Relate this to the Holy Spirit is for all kinds of people
- CREATE FIRE – choose one or more of the below
 - ◆ Decorate cupcakes or cookies with all these different colors (red, orange, yellow, blue) Make it look like a fire.
 - ◆ Use watercolors or markers to create a picture of fire with red, orange, yellow, blue
 - ◆ Color the attached picture using reds, oranges, yellows, blues

MANY LANGUAGES

The Holy Spirit is for All People

- Recount, remember the part of the story that everyone could suddenly speak different languages, so that the message of Jesus could be heard by all of the different people that were in Jerusalem.
- Relate this to the fact that Jesus is for all people – no matter what language they speak
- Talk about how difficult it would be to spread the story of Jesus to others if all of the disciples only spoke one language.
- Look at the list of "I Love You" in other languages
- Pick out some and try them out together: Say and have the kids repeat, several times
- Use a globe or map to find the country of that language – always reiterating the point that Jesus' love is for ALL people.

POWER OF WIND

Shows Power of Holy Spirit

- Recount, remember the part of the story with the rushing wind
- Talk about that the wind showed the power of Jesus which is the Holy Spirit.

SAY: The Holy Spirit is the power and love of Jesus that lives within each of us today

SAY: Can you see wind? You can see its effects, right. You can't see the wind, but you can see things move with the wind. Just like we can't see Jesus, but we can still see his effect – his love.

- Experiment with wind – Fly a kite if you have one and it is windy enough.. If not use fans and different object to make them move. As they are doing this, relate it to the power of the Holy Spirit to move us into acting on the lessons that Jesus taught us.

