

**Scripture reference:** God sends help: Pentecost

**Story summary:** Jesus sent His Spirit to help the disciples obey him and tell others about him.

**Optional Lesson Strengthening:** Say: "If something is important to us, we like telling others about it. May I have a volunteer to come up to the front and talk about something for 20 seconds? It can be anything at all. You can talk about a sport for 20 seconds or your family or your pet or your favourite toy or anything you like for 20 seconds. But you have to talk about your subject nonstop for 20 seconds. I will time you. Who will take the challenge?". Ask someone to come up and say "Go!" Time 20 seconds and then say "Stop." Comment appropriately and encouragingly. Allow as many children as time allows. Toward the end of the allocated time, ask if anyone is willing to talk about Jesus for 20 seconds. Ask a child or two to do this. It would be good if you or one of the other adult parents could take a turn and recap the gospel in 20 seconds. At the end of the activity, say: "Sometimes it can be hard to talk about Jesus—even for just 20 seconds. But since Jesus is important to us, we should like telling others about him. Jesus promised the disciples and us that he will help us do that."

**Activities:**

**What you need:**

- Template
- Colouring in crayons or pencils
- Eraser

**Further discussion:** If you believe in Jesus, God the Holy Spirit lives in you and will be with you. It is like having Jesus with you always. The Holy Spirit will help you to do what God wants and help you tell others about Jesus. Pray aloud, thanking God that the Holy Spirit lives in everyone who believes in Jesus. Pray that the Holy Spirit would help you and the children to obey and tell others about Jesus.

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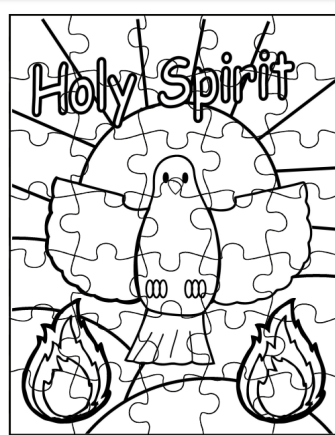
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**245. THE DAY OF PENTECOST**  
(ACTS 2:1-41)

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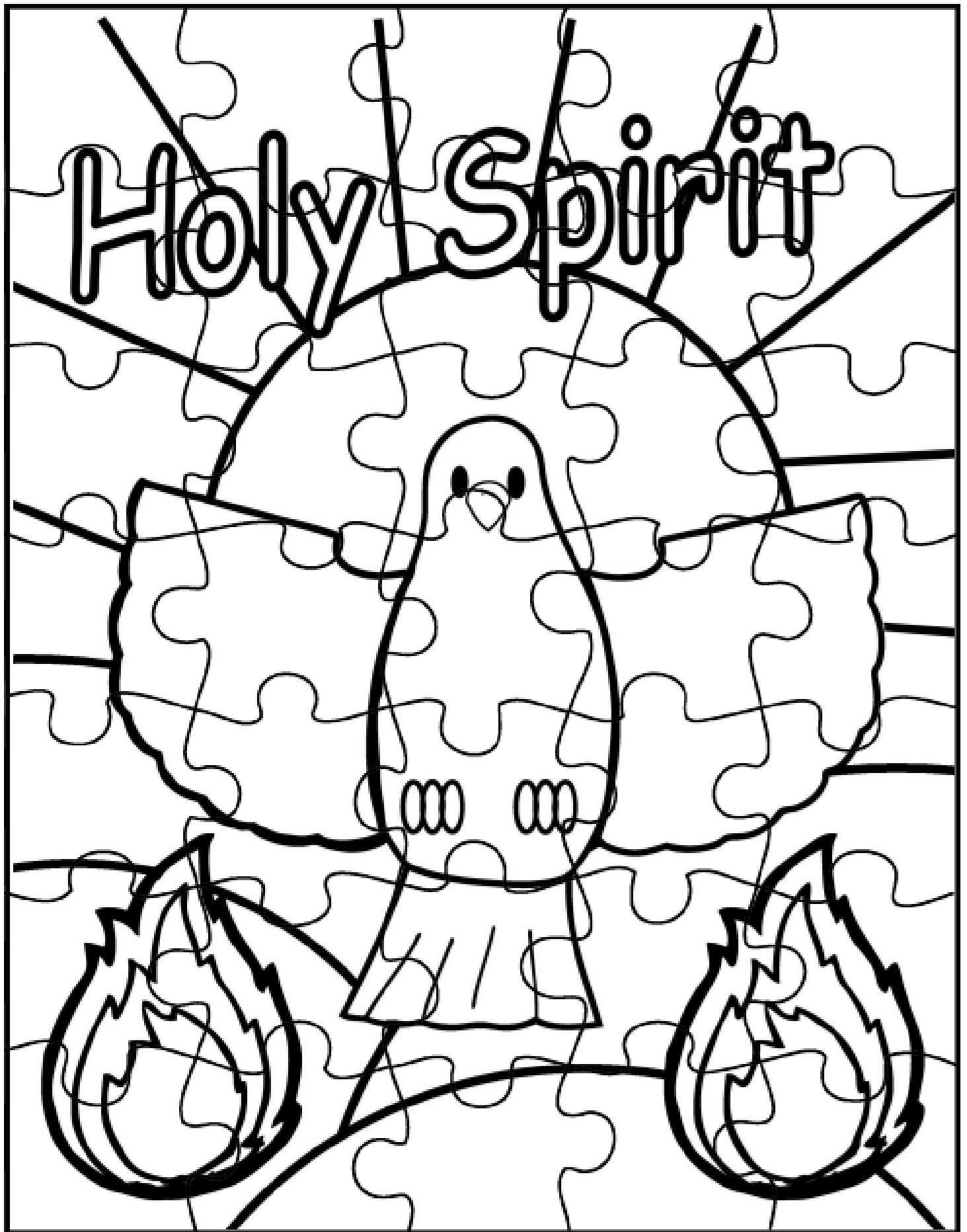
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- Puzzle Clues
- Check your answers by looking them up in the Bible.
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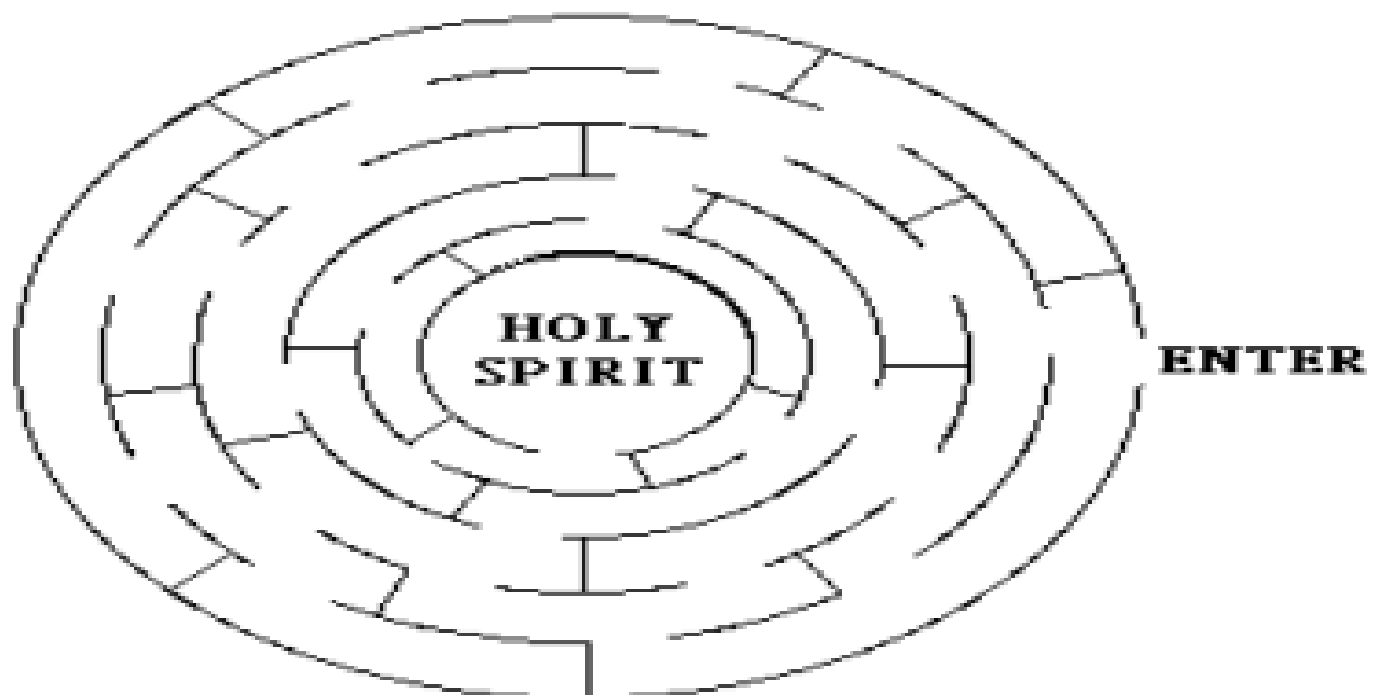
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