

Explore It TOGETHER

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GOD IS WITH US *Pentecost*

 Acts 2:1-13 The Holy Spirit Comes

Here are some ideas and activities you could do as a family



Create

Let your community know your church is still worshipping, praying, supporting and filled with the Holy Spirit by decorating your windows and display boards with banners. Use any resources you can find to create large flame banners. You could add messages of hope or pictures of ministry your Salvation Army corps has been doing? Send photos of your banners to youthchildren@salvationarmy.org.uk or www.facebook.com/youthchildrenSA.



Bake

Celebrate the church's birthday with the grandest cake you can bake. Light candles, throw a party and enjoy knowing God is always with you and your family. Could you share a slice with your neighbour and tell them what you have been celebrating?



Read

Repeat the story telling from our Pentecost session. Get creative as you read through Acts 2:1-13.

- ➔ Use facial expressions to show the different emotions the disciples may have been feeling at different points.
- ➔ How can you huddle together in your home?
- ➔ Who can create the loudest wind sound?
- ➔ Pretend to be a tongue of fire.
- ➔ Talk to each other in different languages.
- ➔ Have some fun together trying to pronounce the names of different places or find them on a map.
- ➔ Have someone take the role of Peter and read Acts 2:38-39.



Share

Each member of your family could create a dish from around the world to contribute to a family buffet. Could you teach your family some of the phrases in other languages from your Pentecost session or look them up online? (<https://ideas.brf.org.uk/speaking-tongues>). Greet each other in different languages and enjoy remembering Christians all over the world who are celebrating the coming of the Holy Spirit.



Pray

Light a candle after your family meal together and watch the flicker of the flame. Reflect on all that God has provided for you.



Investigate

Kite Making. Explore some different ways to make kites with recyclable materials. Have a family competition to see who can make the best kite to fly. Write prayers on your kites and fly them high in the sky!