AT-HOME ACTIVITY GUIDE WEEK OF MAY 23RD

BIG IDEA

The Holy Spirit is for everyone who believes.

The Holy Spirit Appears at Pentecost Acts 2:1-21

THE BIBLE

MEMORY VERSE

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Romans 8:14 (NIV)

FAMILY TABLE TALK

Keep the conversations going around the dinner table this week! Use our Family Table Talk guide to help review the lesson and connect with your kids over one meal this week. Find the guide at www.loopkids.org/legacy.

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

Visit www.loopkids.org/legacy to find the link to this week's video, Family Table Talk and coloring page. And be sure to check out additional activities below!

YOUNGER & OLDER KIDS ACTIVITY | Holy Spirit Wind

INSTRUCTIONS: Give the kids their own pile of craft sticks and encourage them to attempt to build a church building. Challenge them to try and build their churches without it falling down.

SAY: This week we learned about how the Holy Spirit came like a blowing wind on a day called Pentecost. This was the day the church was born!

Do this activity as long as interest allows.

YOUNGER ACTIVITY | Crack the Code

INSTRUCTIONS: Print out the <u>Crack the Code printable</u> for your kids to decode. Ask kids the questions below as they solve each clue.

ASK:

What was the special day called where everyone had gathered together? (Pentecost.) When the Holy Spirit came to them, everyone began to speak in a different what? (Language.) Who is the Holy Spirit for? (Everyone.)

OLDER & YOUNGER ACTIVITY | Legacy Language

INSTRUCTIONS: Use a translator app to find translations for today's Big Idea in various languages. Honor each language you choose by learning them as accurately as possible.

SAY: In today's Bible story, we heard about how the people were all speaking different languages, but they were able to understand each other. So, we are going to practice saying today's Big Idea, the Holy Spirit is for everyone, in a few other languages!

OLDER ACTIVITY | Around the World in A to Z

INSTRUCTIONS: Give your kids a paper and pencils and have them come up with a list of as many countries around the world as they can think of by going down the alphabet. If you have a few older kids, have them compete with each other (or with a parent) to see who can come up with the most countries.

SAY: Did you know there are 195 countries in the world? That's a lot of different cultures, languages, and traditions! And God cares about every single person in every single one of these countries! In this week's Bible story, we learned what Jesus wanted the disciples – and us – to do in the world.

OLDER ACTIVITY | Decoder Gadget

INSTRUCTIONS: Give each kid a <u>Decoder printable</u>, scissors, and a brad. Have them cut out the two circles, overlap them at the middle, and bind them together by poking the brad through the middle. Have kids rotate the circles and line up the letters in any position they want. The bigger circle is for the letters in the original text, and the smaller circle will be the code letters. Write today's Big Idea: The Holy Spirit is for everyone. Then under it, write the message in code, using your new decoder. Once you line up the letters, keep it in that position for the whole code!