

April 26, 2026, Week 4

Bible Story: Pentecost/Fruit of the Spirit
• *Acts 2:1-41; Galatians 5:22-23*

Bottom Line: The Holy Spirit gives you joy.

Monthly Memory Verse: *Always be joyful because you belong to the Lord. I will say it again. Be joyful!* • *Philippians 4:4 (NIRV)*

Headband Story

Talk about God | Bible Story Review
Made to Create

What You Need:

- Bible
- Sentence strips
- Prepared paper flames
- Stapler
- Clear tape
- Coloring supplies

What You Do:

- Read Acts 2:1-4 out loud to the group. Explain that this is part of the story of Pentecost when God sent the Holy Spirit.
- Give each kid a sentence strip. Measure it to fit their head and set it down.
- Retell the story of Pentecost. Remind the kids that the Holy Spirit came like a strong wind and looked like little flames of fire on the disciples' heads!
- Give each kid a flame cutout to glue or tape onto their headband.
- Set out the coloring supplies to decorate their headband.
- Staple the headbands closed so they can wear them.
- Place tape over the exposed edges of the staple.

What You Say:

"As the believers waited and prayed, a rushing sound, like wind, suddenly filled the whole house! Then tongues of fire appeared in the room, separated, and moved to rest over each

believer. The wind and fire were signs that each believer had been filled with the Holy Spirit.

"God gave another sign too: these men and women began speaking in languages that they hadn't known before! A crowd gathered because they heard their own languages being spoken. They were hearing about God's Big Story in a way they could understand!

"God had sent His very Spirit, the Holy Spirit, to be with each believer. And the Holy Spirit is with all Jesus-followers now too! These headbands with flames remind us that **[Bottom Line] the Holy Spirit gives you joy** and helps you. The Holy Spirit is God's special gift to us!"