

Year 3
Week 144

The Day of Pentecost

Scriptures: Acts 1:15-26, Acts 2

Key Verse: Acts 2:38 “Then Peter said to them, 'Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.'”

Key Points:

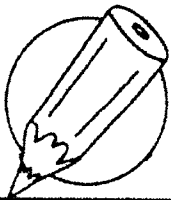
1. Peter and the other disciples chose Matthias to take Judas' place as an apostle. The disciples numbered 120.
2. They were gathered together on the Day of Pentecost. The sound of a rushing wind came from heaven, and a divided tongue of fire sat upon each of them.
3. They were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in tongues.
4. Jews from every nation heard the disciples speak in their own language, and they wondered what this could mean. But some men mocked the disciples, saying they were drunk.
5. Peter stood and delivered a sermon, explaining how Jesus fulfilled prophecies in the scriptures. Although Jesus was crucified and died, God raised Him up, and He is Lord and Christ.
6. The people were cut to the heart, and said “What shall we do?” They were told to repent and be baptized to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. About three thousand souls were added to the church.
7. They followed the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, breaking the bread, and prayer. They divided their possessions so that no one was in need. And more souls were added to the church each day.





Fifty days after Jesus' death, and after his ascension, was the day of the Pentecost. There was a great noise and tongues of fire became visible.

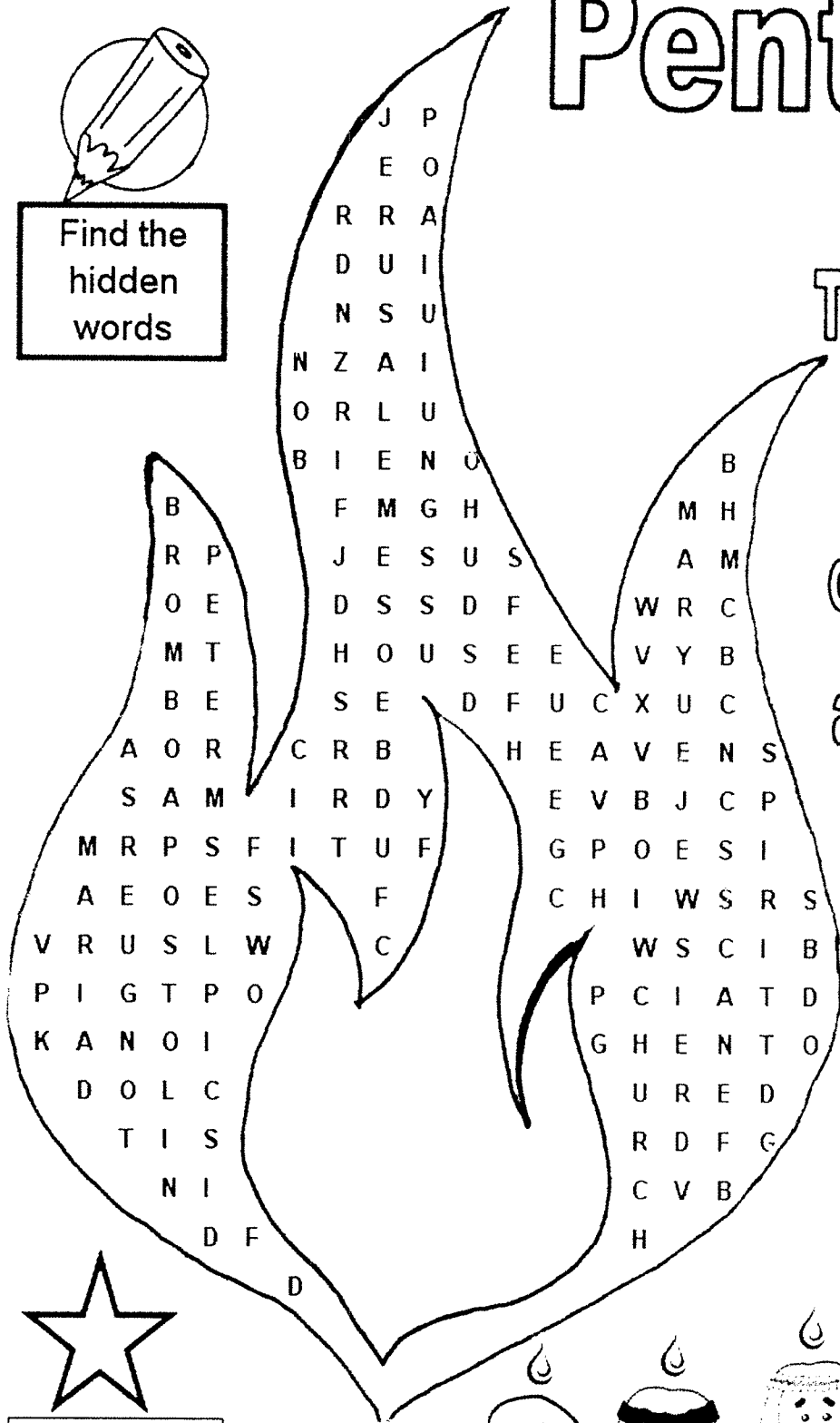
Pentecost



Find the hidden words

Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them.

Acts 2:3



Wind
Heaven
House
Tongues
Fire
Spirit
Jews
Jerusalem



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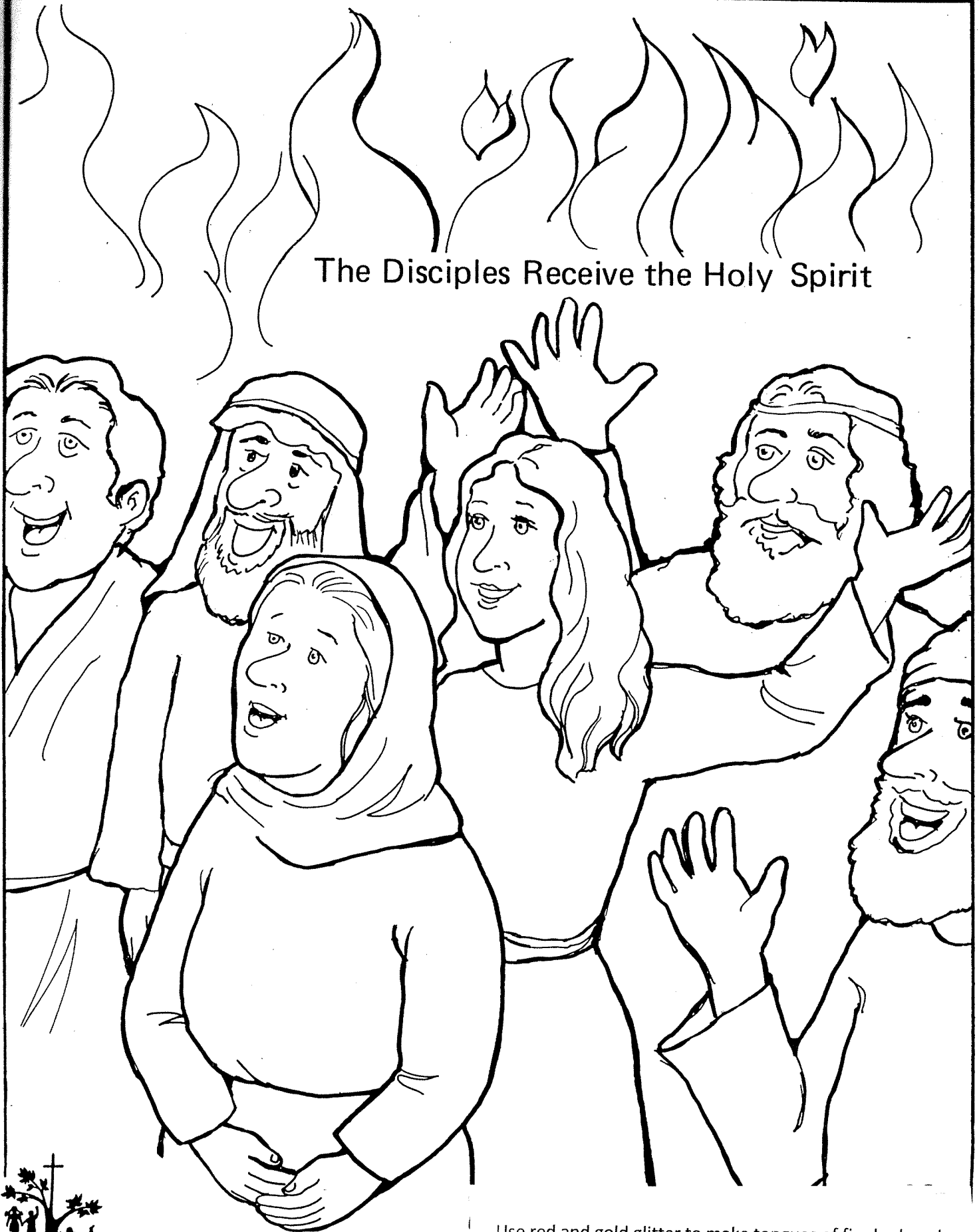
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And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.



Name _____

The Disciples Receive the Holy Spirit



Use red and gold glitter to make tongues of fire look real.

The Day of Pentecost

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| <u>1</u> Took Judas' place as an apostle
Acts 1:26 | ___ Pierced |
| <u>2</u> On the Day of Pentecost this came rushing in and filled the whole house where they were sitting.
Acts 2:2 | ___ Jews |
| <u>3</u> The Apostles were filled with this and began to speak in this.
Acts 2:4 | ___ Baptized |
| <u>4</u> They were from every nation and heard the disciples speak in their own language.
Acts 2: 5,6 | ___ Matthias |
| <u>5</u> Taking his stand with the eleven he spoke to the men of Judea, and all who lived in Jerusalem.
Acts 2: 14 | ___ Wind |
| <u>6</u> After Peter spoke to them this happened to their hearts.
Acts 2:37 | ___ Holy Spirit
Tongues |
| <u>7</u> They were told to repent and be....
Acts 2:38 | ___ Peter |
| <u>8</u> They sold and divided these so no one was in need.
Acts 2:45 | ___ Possessions |

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4 Letters

WIND

5 Letters

DOUBT

SOUND

SPEAK

6 Letters

ACCORD

AMAZED

DEVOUT

FILLED

MIGHTY

NOISED

7 Letters

RUSHING

SITTING

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8 Letters

APPEARED

CONFOUND

DWELLING

LANGUAGE

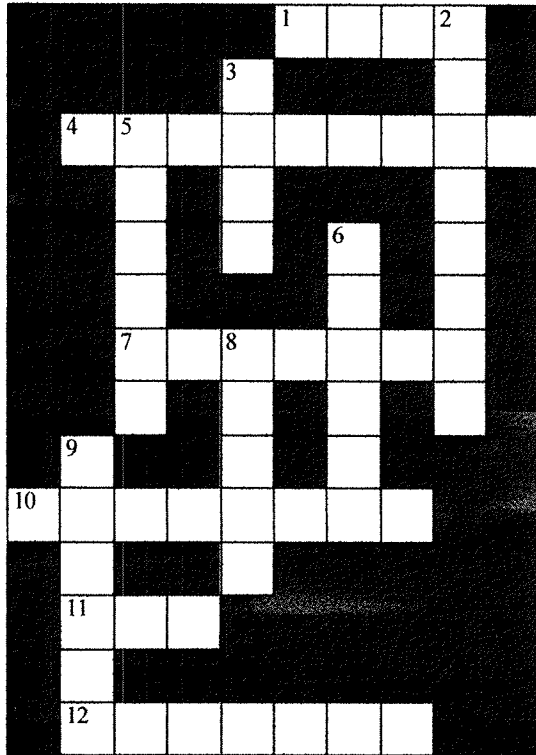
SUDDENLY

9 Letters

PENTECOST

STRANGERS

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ACROSS

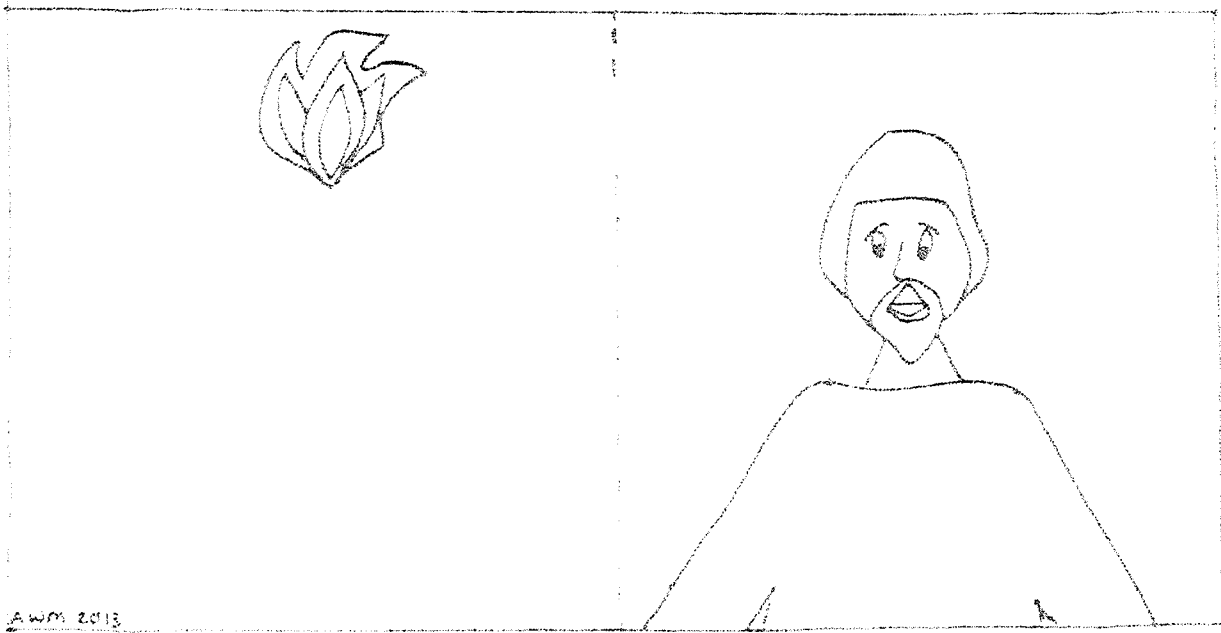
- 1 For these are not drunken, as ye suppose, seeing it is but the third hour of the day. But this is that which was spoken by the prophet _____;
- 4 And they were all amazed and marvelled, saying one to another, Behold, are not all these which speak _____? And how hear we every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born.
- 7 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a _____

- mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.
- 10 And on my _____ and on my handmaidens I will pour out in those days of my Spirit; and they shall prophesy:
- 11 . . . in Egypt, and in the parts of Libya about Cyrene, and strangers of Rome, Jews and proselytes, 11 Cretes and Arabians, we do hear them speak in _____ tongues the wonderful works of God.
- 12 And there appeared unto them cloven _____

like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.

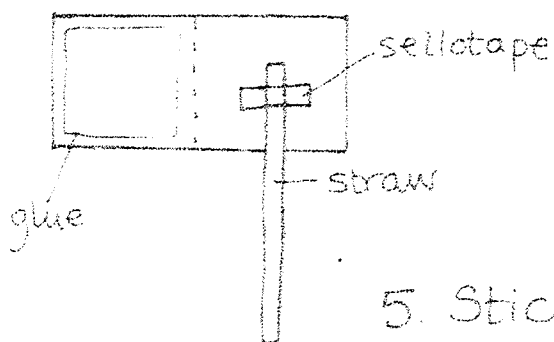
DOWN

- 2 Now when this was noised abroad, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that every man heard them speak in his own _____.
- 3 And they were all amazed, and were in doubt, saying one to another, What meaneth this? Others mocking said, These men are full of new _____.
- 5 And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one _____ in one place.
- 6 And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my _____ upon all flesh: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams:
- 8 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to _____ with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.
- 9 And there were dwelling at Jerusalem Jews, _____ men, out of every nation under heaven.



Pentecost Spinner

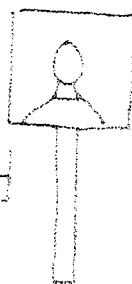
1. Cut out the rectangle above and colour it in
2. Fold along the dotted line
3. Turn the rectangle face down



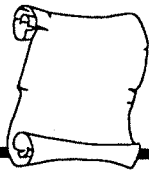
4. Stick a straw to the middle of one half and glue all round the other half

5. Stick the glued side on top of the straw side

6. Twizzle the straw between your hands to make the sound of the wind



7. Watch the flame appear above the disciple's head



Jesus

Dying and Rising Again

I Corinthians 15:1-8; I Timothy 1:15

Memory Verse

He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life.

John 3:36

For the Teacher

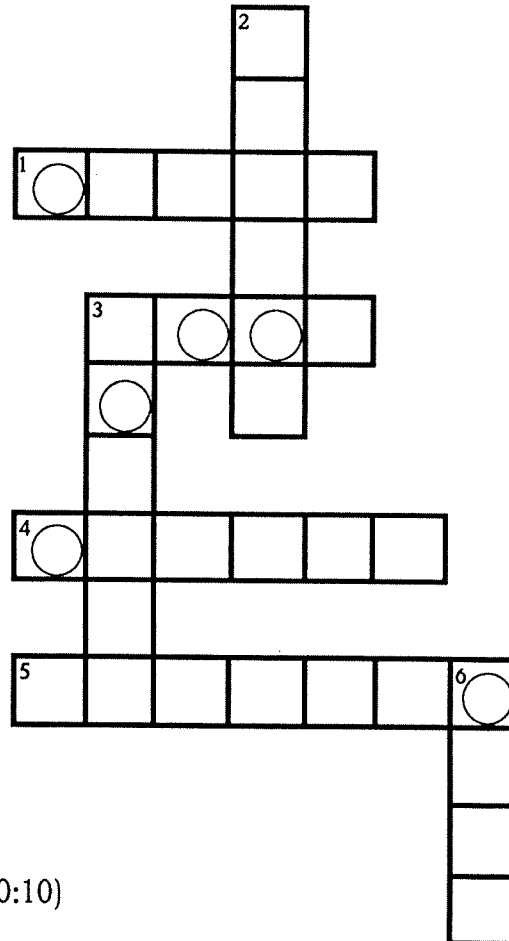
Provide a Bible, a pencil or marker, and a duplicated copy of the puzzle for each child. The verses quoted are from the KJV, but the words in the puzzle are also in the NIV. To solve the puzzle as a group, place the crossword on a wall, using one sheet of paper for each square. Divide the children into two teams. Give each team a different color marker. Choose a team to begin. Read the first sentence. The team must say the correct answer aloud and choose a player to fill in the blanks (with the team's help). If the team answers incorrectly, the other team may answer. If neither team answers correctly, the first team to find the correct answer in the Bible may write it in the puzzle. Give each team 1000 points for a correct answer. The first team to unscramble the circled words receives an additional 2000 points. Answers are on page 62.

Introduction

Why did the Son of God become a Man? Was it to teach us about God? Was it to heal the sick? He did those things and much more. But the real reason He came was to die. As Man, He could die for our sins. Because He is God, He rose again. He came to save sinners and take them to heaven one day, if they believe in Him.

Good News Crossword Puzzle

Are you saved from your sins? If you are, can you tell someone else the Good News of salvation? Here are the steps to salvation (the verses that go with them are in the puzzle): 1) I have sinned. 2) Jesus died for my sins and rose again. 3) I repent (turn away from my sins). 4) I believe in Jesus as my Savior and receive Him into my heart. Look up the verses, find the missing word, and print it in the puzzle. Then, print the circled letters in the blanks and unscramble them to discover what the Good News of salvation is called.



Across

- All have sinned and come short of the _____ of God. (Romans 3:23)
- We believe that Jesus died and _____ again. (I Thessalonians 4:14)
- Whosoever believeth in Him should not _____. (John 3:16)
- I give unto them _____ life. (John 10:28)

Down

- _____ died for our sins. (I Corinthians 15:3)
- _____ and turn to God. (Acts 26:20)
- I am come that they might have _____. (John 10:10)

What is the Good News of salvation called? The _____

Steps of Salvation

1. **Hear** the gospel
 - a. Romans 10:8-15
2. **Believe/ Have Faith** that Jesus Christ is the son of God
 - a. John 6:28-29
 - b. Hebrews 11:6
3. **Repent** of your sins (turn away)
 - a. Luke 13:3
 - b. Acts 17:30
 - c. Acts 26:20
 - d. 2 Peter 3:9
4. **Confess** that you believe that Jesus is the son of God
 - a. Matthew 10:32
 - b. Acts 8:37
5. **Baptism**
 - a. Matthew 28:19 “in the name of the Father, Son & Holy Spirit”
 - b. Mark 16:16
 - c. John 3:5
 - d. Acts 2:38-39
 - e. Acts 10:47-48
 - f. Acts 22:16
 - g. Romans 6:4
 - h. Galatians 3:27
 - i. 1 Peter 3:20-21
6. **Live Faithfully**
 - a. Matthew 6:33
 - b. John 14:15
 - c. Romans 12:1-2
 - d. 1 Corinthians 6:19-20
 - e. Revelation 22:14