

GO!
Join the Story!

GROUP ACTIVITY

This activity can be used in a small group at church or even with your kids at home!

Meteor Shower

Set up: Crumple 10 pieces of paper into balls.

Directions: Read the Bible verse together several times so the kids can memorize it. Today's Bible verse says:

"But the Father will send the Friend in my name to help you. The Friend is the Holy Spirit." John 14:26

When ready, have the kids spread out and sit on the floor. Tell them that where they are sitting is their space station and the crumpled pieces of paper are meteors. Their mission is to protect the space station from getting hit by the meteors. Count to 3 and throw all 10 meteors simultaneously into the air above the space station. The kids will have to catch or swat the meteors out of the air, but some meteors will inevitably get through. Once a meteor has touched the floor, it cannot be moved. Count how many meteors landed in their lap or next to them and have the group recite the verse together that many times. Continue playing rounds for as long as you would like.

NOTE: Depending on the number of kids in your group, you may want to adjust the number of meteors up or down.

Question: Can you think of a time that the Holy Spirit has helped you? Tell us about it.



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STRIKE A POSE

LESSON 9.2



Draw a picture of the believers with small flames above their heads. While you're drawing, thank God for giving us the gift of the Holy Spirit.



Has the Holy Spirit ever helped you? Has He filled you with joy, helped you remember God's Word, guided you to do what's right, or given you a spiritual gift or talent? Write about it.

THIS WEEK WE LEARNED

THE PENTECOST

BIG IDEA: God gives us the Holy Spirit to help us follow Jesus.

BIBLE BASIS: Acts 2:1-41

KEY VERSE: "But the Father will send the Friend in my name to help you. The Friend is the Holy Spirit." John 14:26 (NIRV)





Acts 2:1-41. Draw a picture of the story or write to God about your favorite part of the story. Tell Him why you liked it.



Write a prayer to God and thank Him for giving us our Friend, the Holy Spirit.

NEXT WEEK'S LESSON

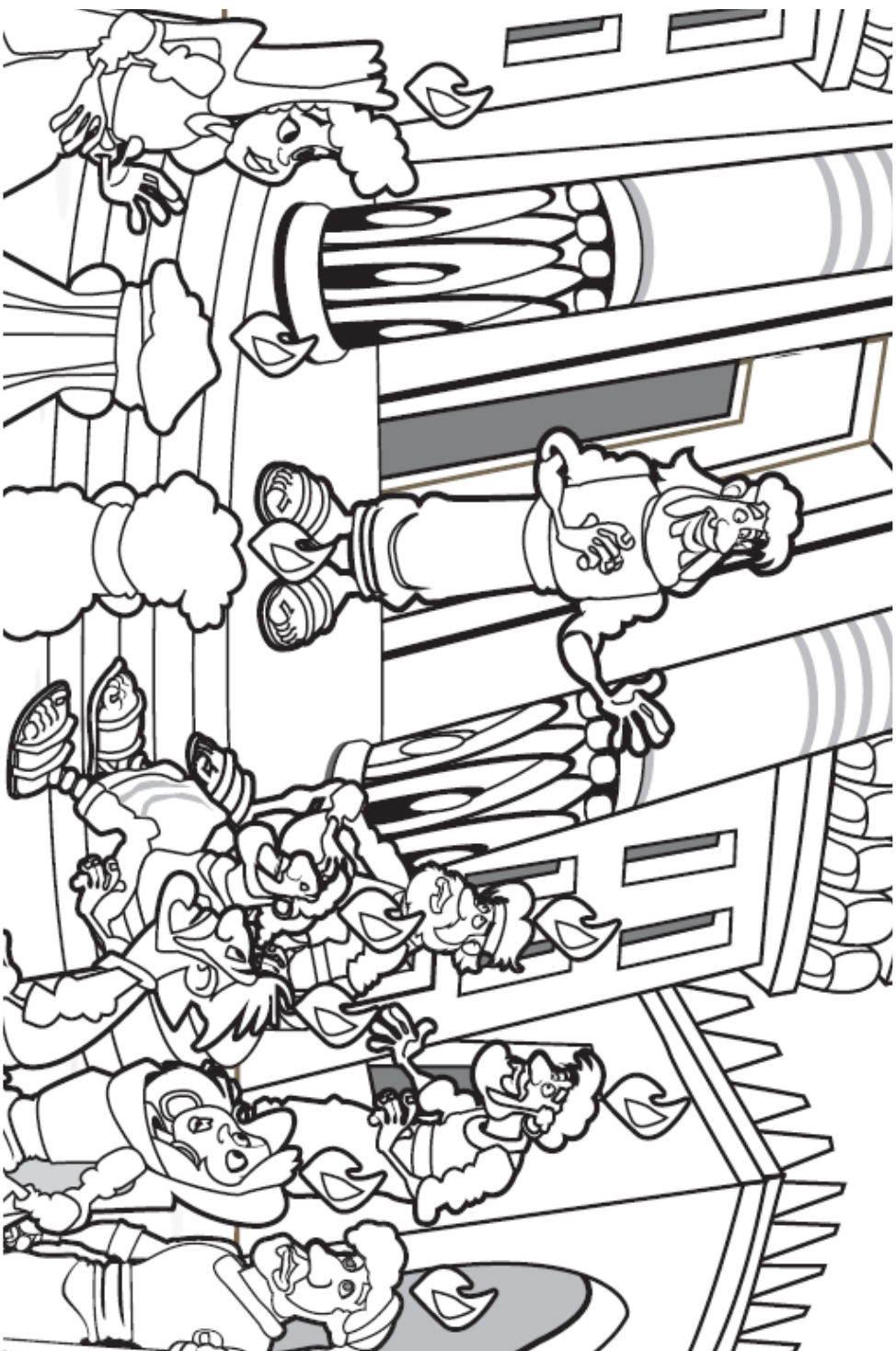
BARNABAS THE ENCOURAGER

BIG IDEA: God wants us to build His church by encouraging others.

BIBLE BASIS: Acts 4:32-37; 9:20-31; 11:19-26

KEY VERSE: "Therefore encourage one another and build each other up." 1 Thessalonians 5:11a (NIV)





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The Friend is the Holy Spirit." John 14:26 (NIV)

***BUT THE FATHER WILL SEND
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YOU. THE FRIEND IS THE HOLY SPIRIT.***

JOHN 14:26



DINNERTIME QUESTION

***HOW HAS THE HOLY SPIRIT
HELPED YOU? HAS HE GUIDED
YOU? COMFORTED YOU?
GIFTED YOU?***

***STRIKE A
POSE***

