



# Making it Mine

A Bible study for kids ready to  
grow a faith of their own.

**Month 2 Week 1**

**The Holy Spirit**

READ:  
Acts 1-7

HEART  
GRAFFITO:

**"REPENT and be  
baptized, every  
one of you, in the  
name of Jesus  
CHRIST for the  
forgiveness of  
your sins. And  
you will receive  
the GIFT of the  
Holy SPIRIT."**

**Acts 2:38**

We cannot really know God without knowing His Spirit. The Spirit is a distinct being, yet not separate from God, just like Jesus lived among us as an individual, yet was still one with God. The Spirit is a part of God, an expression of Him; like knowing His character or honesty or personality. The Spirit is not an "it", but a He because the Spirit is God, the very breath of Him. Someone who is full of life we call "spirited". Their personality is so strong that there is no mistaking what they are like. The presence of God's spirit in that gathering of believers on the day of Pentecost was unmistakable. God is spirited. People, as beings made in God's image, also have a spirit. The same Hebrew word, "ruah" is used for the spirit of both man and God. We are spiritual beings made to get along with a spiritual God. God's spirit is holy. If the presence, power, and personality of God has become our own spirit, then we are a new creation! There are certain behaviors that show that God's spirit is present. What are some ways that God's spirit shows itself in the way we act? \_\_\_\_\_

We must remember that the Holy Spirit is the spirit of God so it would be impossible for Him to behave in a way contrary to God. It is impossible for us to accept God without also accepting His spirit. The Holy Spirit must be more than a visiting voice that occasionally whispers a suggestion to us. We must allow the spirit of God to be our Lord and Master.

What does 1 Corinthians 2:10-16 say about the Spirit of God?

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Who has God's Spirit? \_\_\_\_\_

## THE DAY OF PENTECOST

Acts 1 and 2

What did Jesus promise His followers about the Holy Spirit in Acts 1:4-8?

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Who gathered in the upper room in Jerusalem? \_\_\_\_\_

How did the Spirit appear? \_\_\_\_\_

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What did those with the Spirit do? \_\_\_\_\_

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Who did Peter say the Spirit would be poured out on? \_\_\_\_\_

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How did things change after that event?

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## THE SPIRIT'S ACTIVITY

Acts 4-7

What amazed the religious leaders about Peter and John? (4:13) \_\_\_\_\_

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What made them able to speak this way?

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What did the believers ask for in 4:29?

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What happened? \_\_\_\_\_

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What were the qualifications of the seven men to be chosen in 6:3? \_\_\_\_\_

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How can you tell that someone is full of the Spirit? \_\_\_\_\_

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In 6:10, what made Stephen's words irresistible? \_\_\_\_\_

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What happened to Stephen? \_\_\_\_\_

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## PUZZLE CLUES

### Across

1. sent to lay hands on Saul so that he would be healed and filled with the Spirit Acts 9:17

7. number of Spirit filled men chosen to serve Acts 6:3

9. came to rest with the Spirit Acts 2:3

10. the Spirit compelled Paul to go here Acts 20:22

12. repeated the Holy Spirit's warnings to Paul Acts 21:10,11

14. miraculous ones were done by the apostles Acts 3:43

16. God showed His by giving the Holy Spirit Acts 15:8

17. where the Spirit took Philip Acts 8:39

19. poured on men and women Acts 2:18

21. Saul rebuked him while full of the Spirit Acts 13:9,10

23. the Holy Spirit Acts 3:38

24. the coming of the Spirit sounded like this Acts 2:2

25. the Holy Spirit warned Paul of these Acts 20:23

26. the crowd was able to do this in their own language Acts 2:8

### Down

1. the Holy Spirit prevented Paul from preaching here Acts 16:6

2. Stephen \_\_\_\_\_ by the Spirit Acts 6:10

3. received when the Spirit comes Acts 1:8

4. the Spirit's presence made the believers speak this way Acts 4:31

5. prophet quoted in Acts 2

6. what Ananias did to the Spirit Acts 5:3

7. people here received the Spirit after Peter and John put their hands on them Acts 8:14-17

8. stiff-necked people do this to the Spirit Acts 7:51

9. the Spirit spoke to the believers at Antioch while they were doing this Acts 13:1,2

11. wanted the ability to give the Spirit Acts 8:18,19

13. received the Spirit even before being baptized Acts 10:45-47

15. Stephen saw God's Acts 7:55

18. filled with the Spirit Acts 4:8

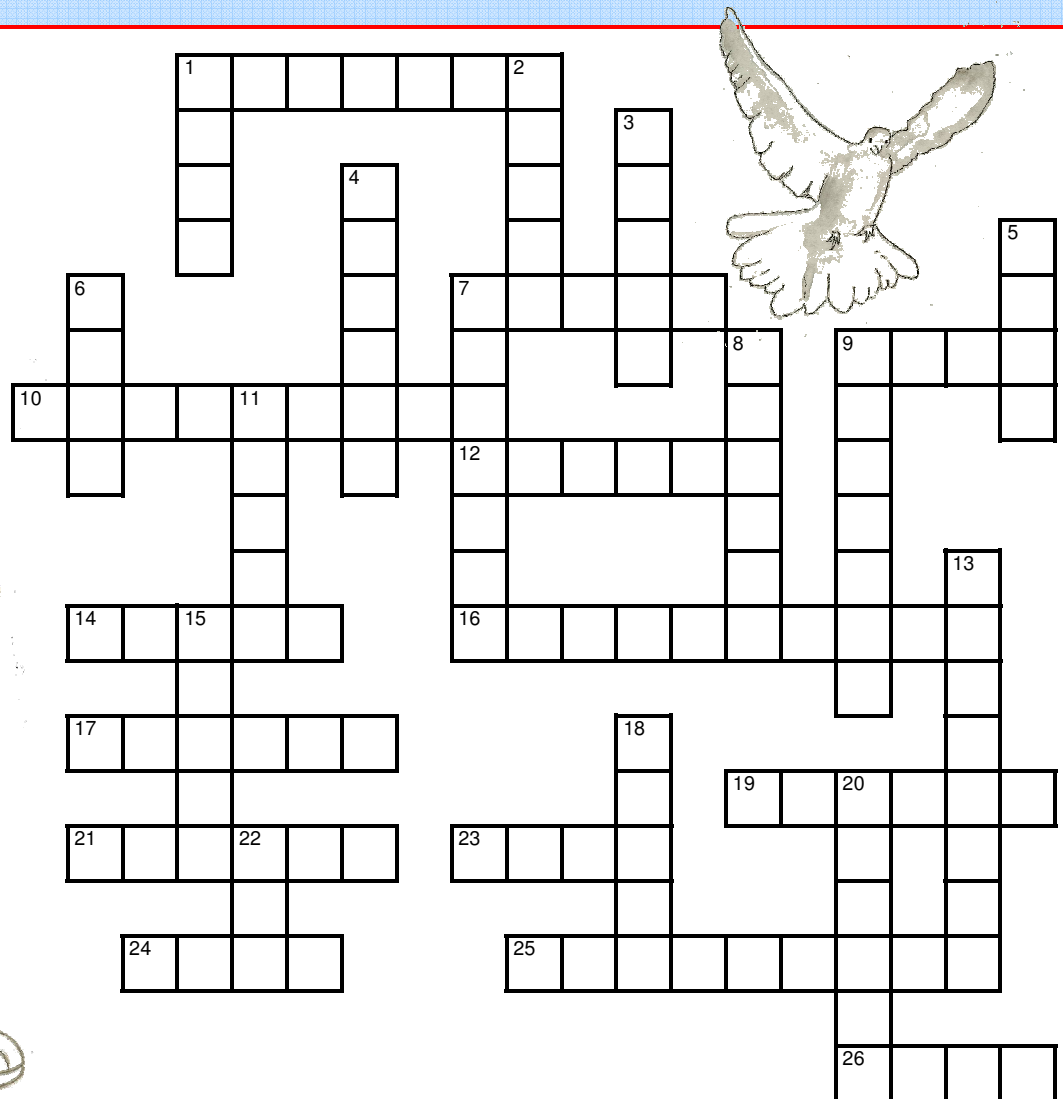
20. the Holy Spirit spoke through this prophet Acts 28:25

22. the Spirit sent three of them to Peter Acts 10:19



# PUZZLE PAGE

The Holy Spirit in the book of Acts



## SAUL'S EXPERIENCE WITH GOD'S SPIRIT 1 Samuel 10-28

Saul is chosen by God to be the king that the people have been asking for. What part did the Spirit play in his life? 1 Sam. 10:6 \_\_\_\_\_

How did Saul go wrong in 1 Sam. 13:13,14? \_\_\_\_\_

When God chose another king for Israel, what did the Spirit do? (1 Sam. 16:13,14) \_\_\_\_\_

How did Saul view that situation according to 1 Sam. 18:12? \_\_\_\_\_

Why did Saul turn to a medium to ask for Samuel's advice? (1 Sam. 28:15) \_\_\_\_\_

How important is the Spirit's presence to you? \_\_\_\_\_