# PARENT CORNER

weekly **TODAY: MAY 10-11** 

Bible Story: Peter Preaches at Pentecost Acts 2:1–41

Big Idea: The Holy Spirit is our Helper.

Focus: The Holy Spirit is our Helper, and He convicts us.

Memory Verse: "But the Father will send the Friend in my name to help

you. The Friend is the Holy Spirit." John 14:26a (NIrV)

### **Bible Story Summary:**

### Read and meditate on Acts 2:1-41

The disciples were gathered together in Jerusalem, just as Jesus had instructed them. As they were all together in one place, a rush of wind filled the room and tongues of fire rested above their heads. God sent the Holy Spirit, just like Jesus had promised! The Holy Spirit rested upon them, and the disciples were filled with His power. The disciples miraculously spoke in languages the people around understood and shared about the mighty works of God. Peter preached and told about what Jesus had done for everyone. That day, three thousand people became believers in Jesus

He Question: Why does the Holy Spirit convict us?

Because God loves us so much, the Holy Spirit helps us realize we sinned so we can repent and have a right relationship with Him.

We Question: What can we do when we feel convicted about sin? We can confess our sin to God, seek His forgiveness, and seek to live His way.

Me Question: What does God want me to know about Him, and what does this mean for my life?

Kids will be given the opportunity to reflect on the truth they learned about God and respond accordingly.



As your family prepares for your day, talk about how the Holy Spirit convicts you when you do something wrong (sin). Draw a heart on each family member's hand. Let that be a reminder today that the Holy Spirit is always with you and convicts you to do what is right when you do something wrong.







**READ** "But the Father will send the Friend in my name to help you. The Friend is the Holy Spirit." John 14:26a (NIrV)

This is the memory verse for the month of May! All month long we are learning that God sent the Holy Spirit to be our Helper.

How many times do you put on clothes in a day? Think about it, you put on clothes to go to school, a swimsuit to play outside, maybe a uniform for a sports practice, and then pajamas before bed!

Every time you put on an item of clothing today, say the memory verse! This is a great way to remember that the Holy Spirit is your Helper.

How many times did you say the memory verse today?

**PRACTICE** this memory verse as a reminder that the Holy Spirit is your Helper



READ "The Lord is not slow to keep His promise. He is not slow in the way some people understand it. Instead, He is patient with you. He doesn't want anyone to be destroyed. Instead, He wants all people to turn away from their sin." 2 Peter 3:8 (NIrV)

This week, we learned that the Holy Spirit convicts us because God loves us too much to leave us in our sin. God gives us a way out, and we can do the right thing when do these three things.

Draw a picture of praying hands to remember to confess your sin to God when you feel convicted about something you did wrong.

Draw a picture of a cross as a reminder of the price Jesus paid for our sins and the forgiveness He offers when we confess our sins to Him.

Draw a picture of a heart as a reminder to try and live God's way.

KNOW that the Holy Spirit is our Helper, and He convicts us.



#### READ Acts 2:1-41 (NIrV)

Acts 2:1-41 is our Bible story for this week. In the Bible story, we learned how the Holy Spirit convicted the disciples to share God's word with others.

After reading Acts 2:1-41, answer the questions below by filling in the blanks.

What did the sound that came from heaven sound like?

What did the Holy Spirit give the disciples the ability to do?

Who speaks to the crowd?

How many people became believers that day?

### BE THANKFUL that the Holy Spirit is our

that the Holy Spirit is our Helper, and He convicts us

### **HEY PARENTS**SIGN HERE!

Have a parent sign your completed GodTime.

Parent signature

Date

**Return for 5 Bible Bucks!** 



READ "But God is faithful and fair. If we confess our sins, He will forgive our sins. He will forgive every wrong thing we have done. He will make us pure." 1 John 1:9

This week we learned that the Holy Spirit convicts us when we do something wrong. You have probably done something wrong and afterwards you felt guilty, bad, or sorry for what you did. Write down something you have done recently where you felt sorry or guilty afterwards on the line below.

The good news is that God forgives us of our sins when we confess our sins to Him! Take a moment and pray to God. Confess your sin to Him and ask Him for His forgiveness.

PRAY

and thank God for giving us the Holy Spirit who convicts us

## parent CUE:

We want to let you know that we have an amazing opportunity for you and your child. We are learning the importance of giving (tithing) in UpTown. For many years the kids in UpTown have been caring for children through Compassion International and Forgotten Children Worldwide. We are currently sponsoring a boy named John that lives in Tanzania and a girl named Akeelo that lives in Uganda.

Our support will provide John and Akeelo with:

- Food to combat malnutrition
- Health care and immunizations
- Education and income generating skills
- The Gospel message and spiritual guidance
- The love and support of the church staff

Every week during Studio24 and Clubhouse, your child will have the chance to give an offering to help sponsor John and Akeelo. We pray that you will partner with us in this. Learning to have a heart of generosity will help your child grow to have a heart like Jesus.

# at a GLANCE



### **Bibles-N-Bucks Shopping**

May 17-18 2nd Grade
May 31-Jun 1 4th Grade

### **FOURTH GRADE GRADUATION IS MAY 31-JUNE 1**

All school age kids will be promoted to the next grade on June 7-8.



Child's Name: