



## Ascension

Hello, and good to be able to send you this week's Messy Church!

Today we are looking at The Ascension. This is when Jesus went to go back to heaven to be with God. This ascension takes place after Easter Sunday, and a few weeks have passed...

We have chosen this story as it helps us see the way that god intended Jesus to return to heaven after Easter, but in returning to heaven Jesus promised them a help – the Holy spirit to come and be with them as they seek to carry on the work of Jesus.

Here is the FB link to Messy Church this week -

<https://www.facebook.com/parishofmundeford/videos/175950787123552/>

Even though we cannot physically meet at this time, if you do need to make contact with us please feel free to do that - my mobile is 07734 941580.

Hope to see you at the Messy Church Zoom meeting very soon!

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Andy Saunders

Children's & Family Minister

## 1. Fairy Cakes

This week we are sending you the recipe for fairy cakes. They should be easy to make. You can eat them just as they are or you could ice and decorate them.

You will need a bun tin and paper cake cases.

Ingredients:

100gram of sugar

100gram soft margarine or butter

100 gram self- raising flour

2 eggs, beaten

¼ teaspoon vanilla essence

What to do:

1. Mix all the ingredients together well..
2. Divide the mixture between the cake cases.
3. Bake in the oven at Gas Mark 4 or 180C for about 20 minutes.
4. Allow to cool.

If you wish to decorate the cakes, you could mix a little icing sugar with water until it is soft enough to swirl onto the cakes. Then add sprinkles, sweets or cherries to look good.



## **2. Science Experiment - DIY cloud**

(This activity needs adult supervision)

You will need: a glass jar with a lid; four to five ice cubes; warm water; hairspray/deodorant or similar aerosol spray

Make a mini cloud! Warm your jar up by putting the warm (not boiling) water in it and swirling it around.

(Let an adult help if appropriate. ) Drop the ice cubes in and quickly put the lid on. Then squirt a blast of

hairspray or deodorant into the jar and clap the lid back on as quickly as you can. Watch carefully as you

take the lid off and release your cloudy pillar!



### **3. A link to today's story in a cartoon animated version**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UcFw8pLBSIo>

### **4. Messy Church Zoom Meeting**

Here is the link for the MC Meetup next on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May @4.00pm

Join us for a 10 – 15-minute gathering to say hello and have our drinks and cakes / biscuits together!

Join Zoom Meeting

**(Please contact us at [info@lighthouseministries.co.uk](mailto:info@lighthouseministries.co.uk) if you would like to join the Zoom meeting)**