



Hello Messy Church,

Great to be back with you for another week. We trust you are all keeping well and we long for the day when we can all be back at Messy Church at All Saints, or High Cross. However, till then we shall continue to meet with the help of the internet.

This week we are looking at Pentecost, this is seen as the birthday of the church – when Jesus sent the promise helper (the Holy Spirit) to help them continue the work they had started with him. We trust some of Messy Church this week will help us all understand a bit more about the Holy Spirit, and how its still at work today in Christians lives.

If you need to make contact with us, then please do – we would love to hear from you.

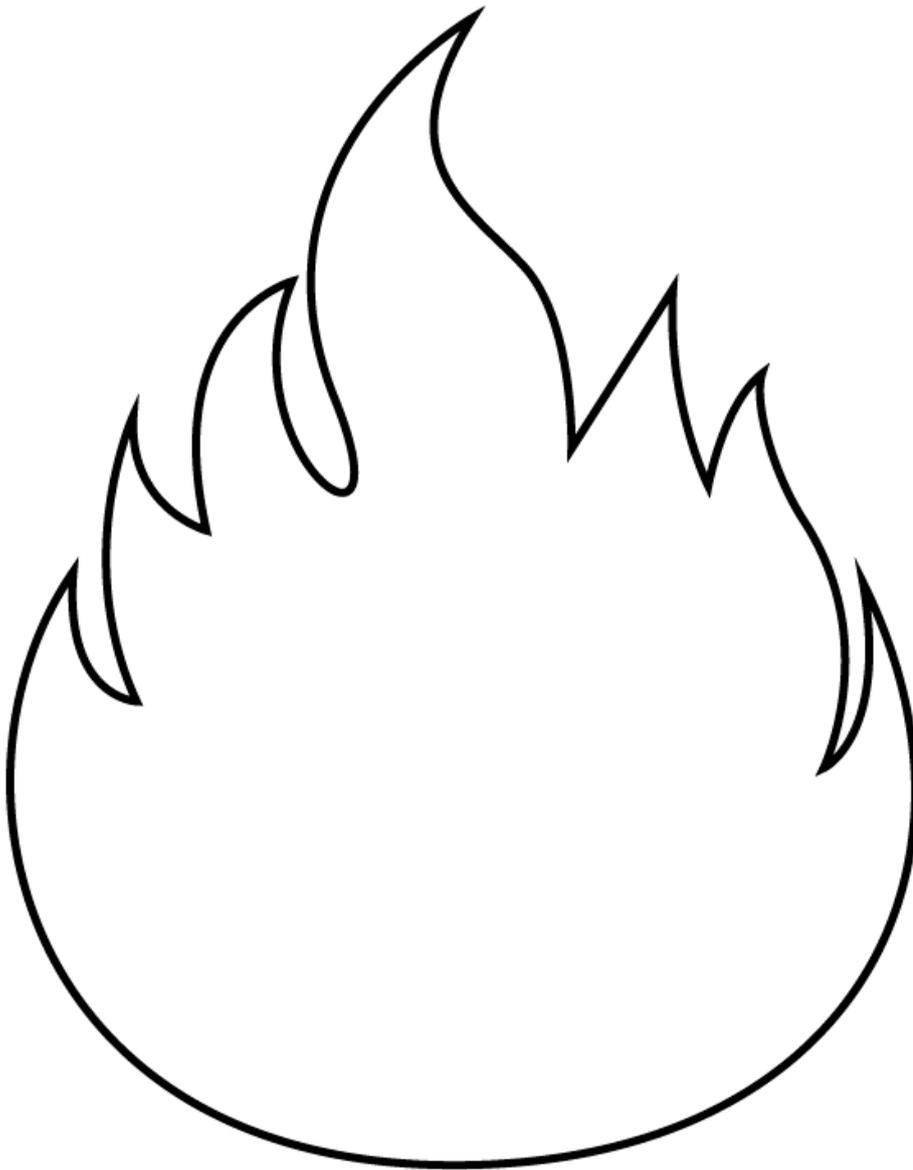
Bye for now

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1.Flame Template

Colour and cut out to create your own personal flame! Stick on to some card to make it last longer! A picture to use for the prayers and story today.



2. Strawberry shortcake Recipe

You will need:

225g self raising flour
2 level teaspoons baking powder
Pinch of salt
75g butter or margarine
1 large egg
3 tablespoons of milk
40g sugar, preferable castor
Icing sugar, for dusting

Filling

225-350g strawberries
¼ pint double cream
25g castor sugar

What to do:

1. Heat the oven to Gas Mark 7 or 220C. Grease 2x 20cms cake tins.
2. Sift the flour, baking powder and salt into a mixing bowl.
3. Add the butter cut into small pieces and rub in with your fingertips.
4. Mix the egg, milk and sugar in another bowl and pour into the flour mixture.
5. Mix to a rough dough with a fork. Turn onto a floured surface and knead just long enough to remove the cracks.
6. Divide the dough in half and put a round flat circle into each of the baking tins.
7. Bake in the oven for 15 minutes.

When the cakes are cool, whip together the cream and sugar. Sandwich the shortcake layers with strawberries and cream and dust the top with icing sugar.

Enjoy!

3. Song - Family focused song on Pentecost

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3VyjpsFPE-I&list=RD3VyjpsFPE-I&start_radio=1&t=133

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4. Pentecost Video

A video to tell the story we have been thinking about today at Messy Church.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OMQKy1Mx49M>