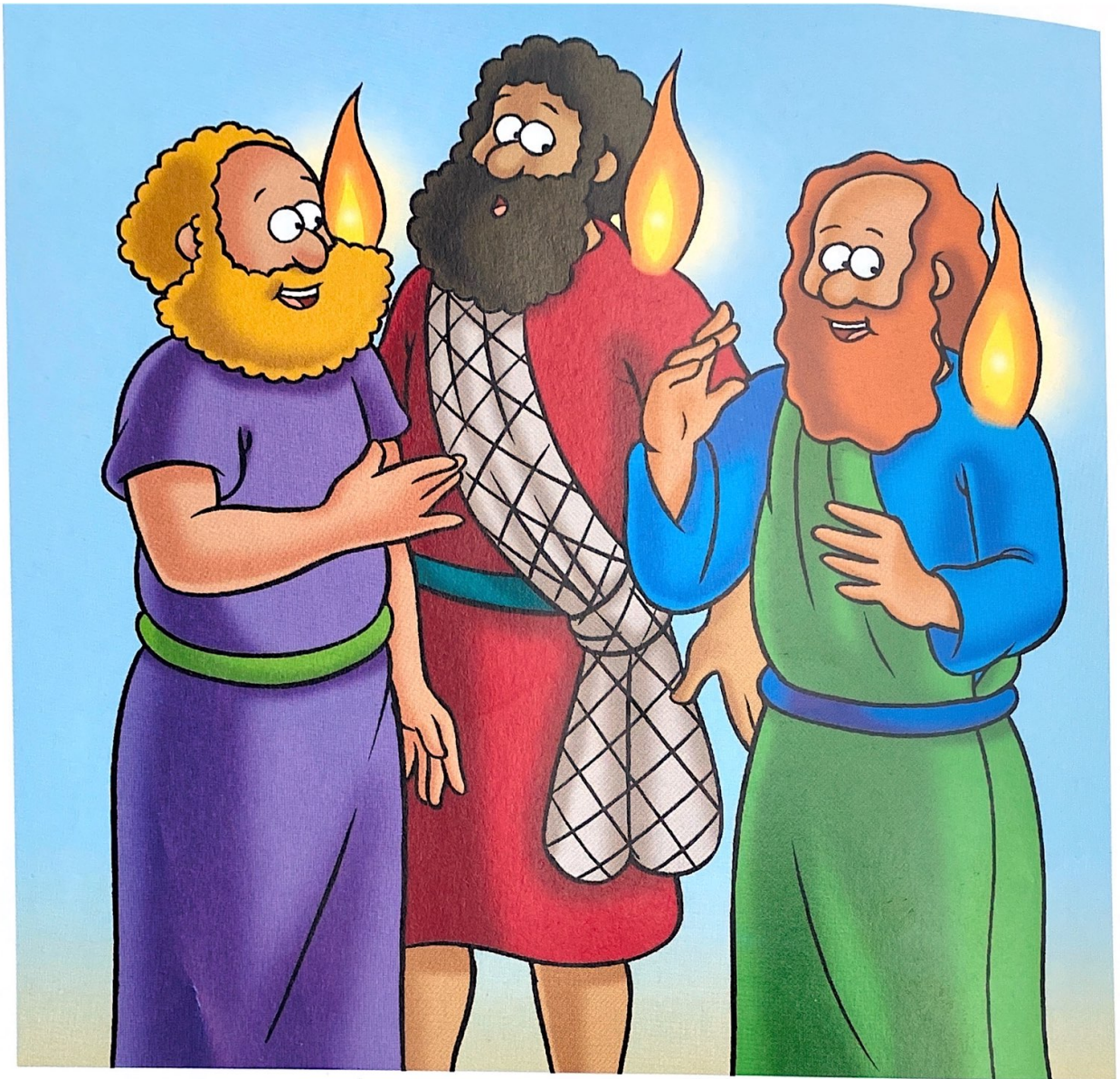




The Holy Spirit Comes

Acts 2

Thousands of people went to Jerusalem to celebrate a Jewish holiday called *Pentecost*. They came from many countries and spoke many different languages. Jesus' disciples were staying there. They were praying together.



Suddenly, a noise filled the room.
It sounded like a strong wind blowing.
The Holy Spirit appeared as
tongues of fire on each of the disciples.



They started talking in languages
they did not know.
The people in Jerusalem heard the noise
and came to see what was happening.



The crowd was amazed and asked, “How are you able to speak *our* languages?” Peter said, “The prophets told us this would happen.”



Then Peter told them about God's plan.
"God sent Jesus to save everyone
from the bad things they have done."



The people asked, “What should we do?”
Peter replied, “Ask Jesus to forgive you
for your sins and be baptised in the
name of Jesus Christ.”



On that day, 3,000 people believed in Jesus. The disciples baptised all of them.