



Rejoice in the Lord  
(Pentecost)

June 5, 2022

Use this resource at home to guide your household's daily devotions.



**Pray:** Light a candle and open your devotion time with a prayer.

Eloquent God, your missionaries spoke and people heard in every language. Help us to speak in a way that we are heard. Help us to hear in a way that others are heard. Amen.



**Read:** Read the key verses from Sunday's reading.

*<sup>2</sup>And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup>Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. <sup>4</sup>All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. (Acts 2:2-4)*



**Reflect:** Reflect on the scripture summary.

**God gave the gift of the Holy Spirit on the day of Pentecost. The ability to speak to one another was an effective tool for breaking down barriers between people and cultures.**



**Connect:** Connect in conversation with others in your household.

What was a high point of your day? What was a low point?

Tell of a time something happened to you that changed you from the inside out. Was the change positive or negative? How has the change shaped who you are today? Where is God's spirit leading you today?

For the littles: Where do you pray?



**Bless:** Close your devotion with a blessing.

May God fill you with the Holy Spirit. Amen.



**Do:** By acting on what we learn, we make God's word come alive. Do the following activity this week.

Make a list of your top 5 values. Google how to write them in 5 different languages. (You might try these—the New Testament was originally written in Greek; the Old Testament in Hebrew; and Jesus spoke Aramaic.) Hang your words somewhere you can be reminded every day of who you are and what you value.



**Go Deeper:** Go to [clergystuff.com/daily-devotions](http://clergystuff.com/daily-devotions) for devotions on the daily readings.

Sunday, Acts 2:1-21; Philippians 4:4-7, Pentecost; Rejoice in the Lord  
Monday, Acts 3:11-16, Peter Speaks in Solomon's Portico  
Tuesday, Acts 3:17-26, Peter Speaks in Solomon's Portico  
Wednesday, Acts 4:1-12, Peter and John before the Council  
Thursday, Acts 4:13-22, Peter and John before the Council  
Friday, Acts 4:23-31, The Believers Pray for Boldness  
Saturday, Acts 4:32-37, The Believers Share Their Possessions