

Make these at the beginning of the session and put aside to dry for use in the story later.

## Pentecost Flames

### Materials:

- ♦ pop-sticks
- ♦ red, yellow and orange crepe paper cut into 3cm X 30cm strips (2 of each colour per child)
- ♦ craft glue or sticky tape

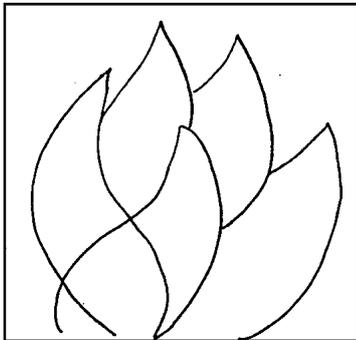
### Suggestion:

Try gluing and sticky taping the crepe paper yourself beforehand: you may decide one is easier than the other, or one works better.

### Method:

- ♦ Children glue or tape the coloured crepe paper strips on to one end of the pop-stick.
- ♦ Children can write their name on the stick if they wish to identify their own to take home at the end of the next session.

## Pentecost Flame Collages



### Materials:

- ♦ black paper or card
- ♦ scraps of red, yellow and orange material or paper,
- ♦ scissors, glue

Give each child a piece of black paper or card, some coloured material or paper, scissors and glue, and let them loose to create their own flame picture on the black background.

*Pictures can be A4 or A5 size, depending on how much you are prepared to spend on black paper! It is a good idea to do one yourself as an example.*

*To save time you can cut the flame shapes out beforehand, especially if you are using material .*

## String and alfoil picture

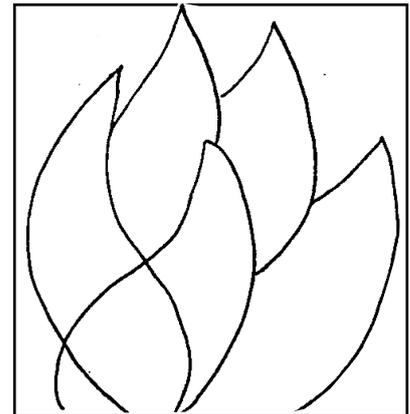
### Materials:

- ♦ recycled cardboard (from biscuit or cereal packets) – an A5 sized piece for each child
- ♦ string
- ♦ white craft glue
- ♦ alfoil
- ♦ bright flame coloured textas
- ♦ scissors
- ♦ sticky tape or masking tape
- ♦ ribbon for hanger.

### Method:

- ♦ Cut various lengths of string no longer than the piece of cardboard, including a few shorter ones to fill in gaps.
- ♦ Arrange string on card to represent the shape of flames rising.
- ♦ Where necessary cut string to fit.

- ♦ Trickle white craft glue along lines where string is to go.
- ♦ Glue string in place.
- ♦ Allow a little time to dry.
- ♦ (*Helpful hint: popsticks are useful for trickling white craft glue, rather than letting children loose with the bottle.*)
- ♦ Tear off a piece of alfoil about 5cm larger all round than the cardboard.
- ♦ Gently smooth the alfoil over the card, and secure in place on the back with sticky tape or masking tape (not too tight).
- ♦ On the front, gently press the alfoil into the hollows inside the string out-lines.
- ♦ Using flame coloured textas, colour in the flames inside the string out-lines, one colour per section.
- ♦ Attach a hanger in the centre of the back.



- ♦ *Caution: Be gentle when pressing the alfoil and when colouring to avoid puncturing or tearing the alfoil.*

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