

Christians believe that the Spirit of God is active in each person and in a special way in the community of believers, which is the church.

It is the work of the Spirit to enable people to hear God's message, to respond and share it.

The feast of Pentecost is a celebration of the gift of God's Spirit and its transforming power.

After His resurrection, Jesus spends 40 days with His disciples before He ascends into Heaven. When He goes back to Heaven, the disciples feel lost without Him. Ten days later, the Holy Spirit comes down to the disciples to help them with their task of spreading the Good News. They are given the ability to speak in different languages and can feel the spirit moving through them in their actions.

## TRANSFORMATION

Year 5 Topic 7

### OUR BIG QUESTION

How can energy transform?

### SCRIPTURE

**List of the Fruits of the Holy Spirit:**

Galatians : 5: 16-17, 22-23

**The Road to Emmaus:** Luke 24: 13-35

**The Pentecost story (the coming of the Holy Spirit):** Acts 2: 1- 28

**Baptising of the Early Christians:** Acts 2: 32-39, 41-42

**The conversion of St Paul (previously Saul):** Acts 22: 6-16

**St Paul's advice to the Romans about accepting the Holy Spirit:** Romans 8: 14-17

*Come Holy Spirit,*  
FILL THE HEARTS OF YOUR FAITHFUL AND  
kindle IN THEM THE FIRE OF YOUR love.  
SEND FORTH YOUR SPIRIT AND THEY SHALL BE  
created. AND YOU SHALL renew THE FACE  
OF THE EARTH.

O, GOD, WHO BY THE light OF THE HOLY SPIRIT,  
DID INSTRUCT THE HEARTS OF THE FAITHFUL,  
GRANT THAT BY THE SAME HOLY SPIRIT WE MAY BE  
truly wise AND EVER ENJOY HIS  
CONSOLATIONS, THROUGH CHRIST OUR LORD,  
*Amen.*



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### KEY VOCABULARY

**transform energy Holy Spirit change**

**Gifts of the Spirit (what we receive)**

**Fruits of the Spirit (what we develop in our character if we practice the virtues)**

The Gifts of the Holy Spirit are seven special gifts, or blessings, that enable us to become more Christ-like:

- Wisdom
- Understanding
- Knowledge
- Right Judgment
- Courage
- Reverence
- Wonder and Awe

