

Creative Connecting Ideas for the topic of the Holy Spirit

There are four areas we will be looking at.

Personality: The Holy Spirit is a personal being, not a force.

Deity: The Holy Spirit is divine, the third person of the Trinity.

Salvation: The Holy Spirit is instrumental in personal salvation.

Gifts: The Holy Spirit imparts spiritual abilities to Christians.

- 1.) Blindfold a member of the family and then give them instructions to find a certain “prize”. You can also play this by having one member of the family give the right directions while others try to lead them astray. Or you can choose not to use a blindfold leading them to the object by saying “Hotter” and “Colder”.

The point is to use this as an example of how the Holy Spirit guides us but we must listen to His voice and follow His directions.

- 2.) Wrap a gift for each member of your family. A favorite piece of candy would work. Have each person open their “gift” and show it to the rest of the family.

Ask questions like, “How do you like your gift?” and “Are you disappointed you did not get a different gift?”

Now comes the real challenge. God wants us to use our gifts to minister to others, share them. As a family then share with each other from what you have.

Going along with this try helping your children to see where God has gifted them. Challenge them to use those gifts in the home. Also as a family pray and seek a way to use your gifts to serve and minister to others.

- 3.) Do a cooking project with your child explaining to them how all the ingredients are important for the correct result.
So also the Holy Spirit is important in the process of our own salvation.