Gospel Guide May 24th, 2020 Ascension Sunday



The poor disciples! They must have got an awful fright to see Jesus being lifted into the sky on a cloud! They knew He had to go back to Heaven to be with His Father. But they must have been sad and scared and wondering what was going to happen next. If you think about it, they were a little bit like we are now. When will be able to go and visit our friends and family or have a birthday party or go the cinema.

Guess what? Jesus made a promise to the disciples and to all His followers. He promised to send a special helper to all of us. He promised to send the Holy Spirit to guide us and to show us what to do when we don't know. We'll hear all about what happened when the Holy Spirit came to the disciples on the Feast of Pentecost next week. It was pretty exciting stuff!

Lots of people say a prayer to the Holy Spirit every day. As we get ready for Pentecost, why not learn this prayer by saying it every day.

Come Holy Spirit

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful. Enkindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit, and we shall be created, And you shall renew the face of the earth.

O God, who has taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, Grant us in the same spirit to be truly wise, And ever to rejoice in his consolation, Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.