



Devotion

No one can say, “Jesus is Lord,” except by the Holy Spirit. (1 Corinthians 12:3)

Objects needed: large poster board triangle prepared as described in the devotion for lesson 2, large paper heart with the word “Faith” written on it (save for devotion for lesson 6), Bible

Ask, “How many Gods are there?” (one) Show the students the prepared **poster board triangle** and remind them that we believe in one, triune God—God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Explain that today you will talk mainly about the Holy Spirit. Show the prepared **paper heart** and remind the students that we have faith in our hearts—trust that Jesus is our Savior. Point out that in his Word (show **Bible**), God tells us who gives us faith to believe in Jesus. The Bible says, “No one can say, ‘Jesus is Lord,’ except by the Holy Spirit” (1 Corinthians 12:3). The Holy Spirit is the one who puts faith in our hearts. He gives us faith to believe that Jesus is our Lord and Savior. We are very thankful that the Holy Spirit has given us the precious gift of faith!

Prayer

Dear Holy Spirit, thank you for giving us faith to believe that Jesus is our Savior. Amen.