FORGIVEN

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♩ = 66

Am   C/E   F

1. Lord, for - give us for___ our pride___ when our faith be - comes a show, dressed in
give us for___ our love___ of the things we wish___ to own.___ We for -
give us for___ our shame when we can't re - lease the past,___ when we're

Am   F   G

righ - teous deeds to hide___ all the stains be - low.___ We have
sake the feast___ a - bove___ for all the crumbs be - low.___ Though You've
quick to take___ the blame, but for - get we're free___ at last.___ We a -

Am   C/E   F

judged Your sons___ and daugh - ters___ for the sin that is___ our own.___ May we
made us sons___ and daugh - ters,___ we do not the world___ dis - own.___ May we
void Your sons___ and daugh - ters,___ for the fear we don't___ be - long.___ Give us

Dm   C/E   G   C

now for - give___ each oth - er___ and lay___ down our stones.___ For-
find our great - est treas - ure___ is in___ You a - lone.___
eyes to see___ each oth - er___ through Your___ on - ly Son.___

CHORUS

G   Am   G/B   C   Am   G/B   C   F

giv - en,___ for - giv - en,___ through the blood of Christ we are for -

1.2.   3.

G   C   C

giv - en.___
2. Lord for -
3. Lord for -

THE STORY

READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.

New Beginnings
Part 2

Acts 2:1-13

The main idea of Acts 2:1-13:

The Holy Spirit empowers God's people to bear the unique witness of Jesus Christ.

The following questions can be used during a family worship time. Take time as a family this week to talk about the Story and what you are learning as you read. The hymns on the next pages are from our worship service. Sing them together as a family during your family worship time this week.
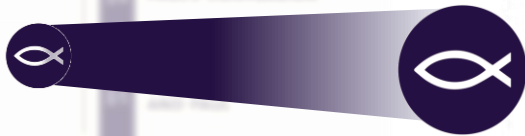
Discussion questions:

What does the Holy Spirit mean to you?

Why was Peter's sermon on the day of Pentecost so effective?

What factors helped the Good News of Jesus Christ to spread quickly?

Three thousand people came to faith in Jesus at Pentecost and their ranks swelled in succeeding days. Is your local church seeing regular growth and lives changed by Jesus? If so, how can you celebrate and encourage this? If not, what steps can you take to help your church reach out more effectively with the life-saving love and message of Jesus?

CRUCIFIXION & RESURRECTION

BIRTH OF CHURCH

PETER

PAUL'S CONVERSION

As a family:

The early Christians loved to open their homes for meals with others. In the coming weeks, make two invitations. First, invite a few Christians over for a meal and a time of sharing life and faith. Second, invite a few people you care about who are not yet followers of Jesus and have them share a meal with you and your family.

Visit our church website for links to these hymns: *http://www.wccvt.com/the-story*

Come, Thou Almighty King

1. Come, Thou Almighty King, Help us Thy
2. Come, Thou Incarnate Word, Gird on Thy
3. Come, Holy Comforter, Thy sacred
4. To Thee, great One in Three, Eternal

name to sing; Help us to praise:
mighty sword; Our prayer attend!
witness bear, In this glad hour!
praises be, Hence evermore;

Father, all-glorious, O'er all victorious,
Come, and Thy people bless, And give Thy word success:
Thou, who almighty art, Now rule in ev'ry heart
Thy sov'reign majesty May we in glory see,

Come, and reign over us, Ancient of Days.
Spirit of holiness, On us descend.
And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power.
And to eternity Love and adore.