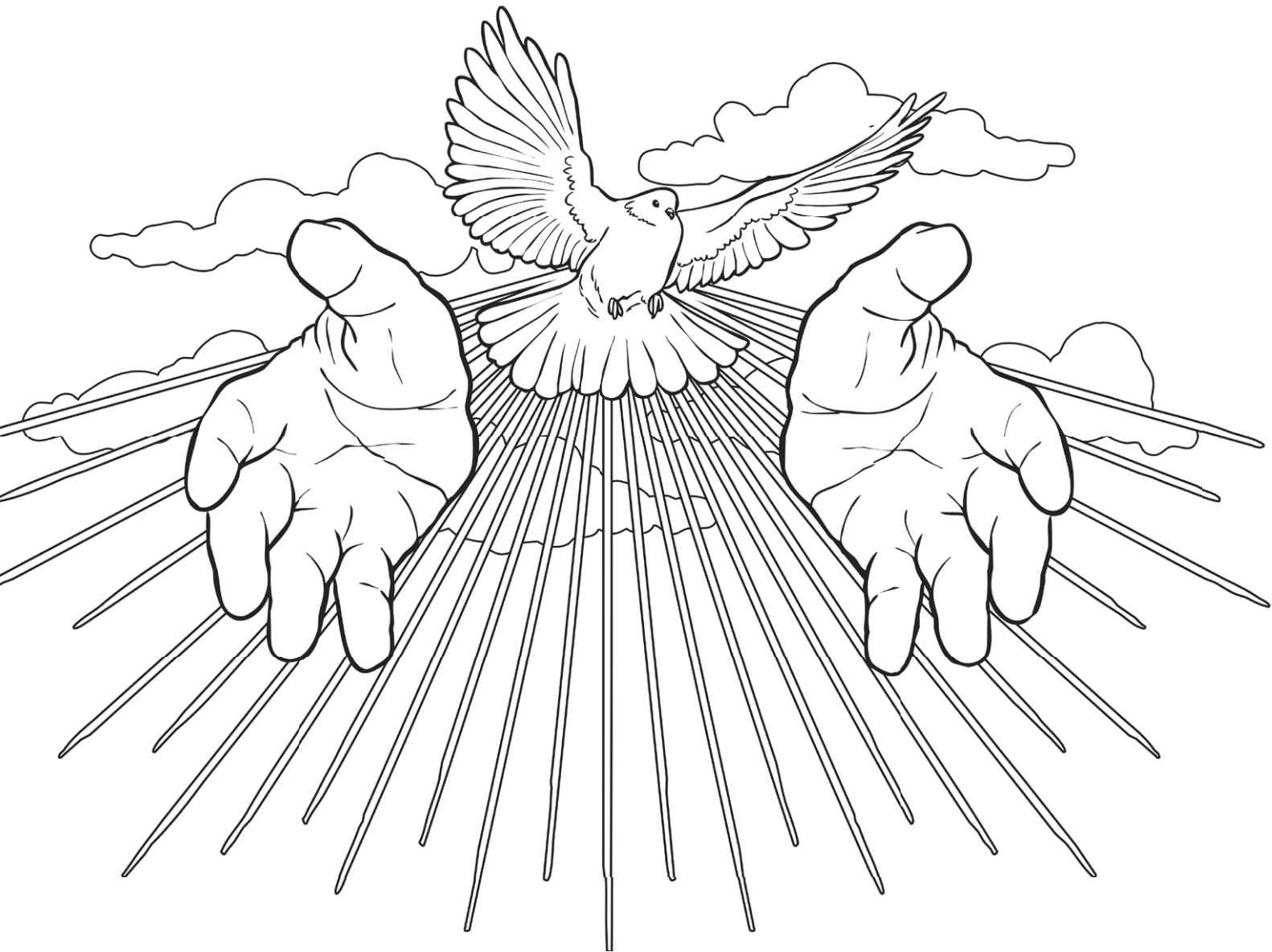


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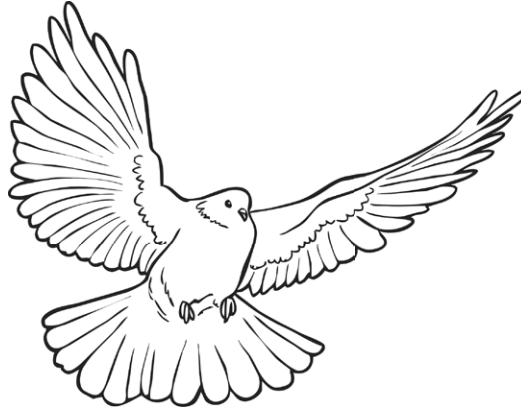


Activity Booklet

The Fruits of the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit gives us special gifts. These gifts bear fruit in our lives. This means that when we receive the gifts, others can see the effects of the Holy Spirit active in our lives, our work, our families and in the way we treat others.

Read about each of the following gifts in your activity book. Draw a picture in the space provided to illustrate each one.



We are allowing the Holy Spirit to be active in our lives...

Joy

When we try to be full of joy because of God's goodness to us.

When we try to make life happier for others.

Love

When we try to be full of love because of God's love of us.

When we try to show compassion and think of others.

Peace

When we try to live in peace with God.

When we try to live in peace with others around us.

When we try to work for peace where there is disagreement.

Kindness

When we try to be kind to people around us.

When we try to be kind to all of God's creatures.

Patience

When we try to have patience in times of hardship.

When we try to have patience when things aren't going our way.

Goodness

When we try to do what is good for other people.

When we try to put the needs of others first.

Trustfulness

When our family and friends know that they can trust us.

When we put our trust into others.

Self-Control

When we try to have self-control at home or school when we are playing games.

When we try to control our temper so we don't say something that will hurt other people's feelings.

Gentleness

When we try to be gentle with our family, our friends, elderly people and younger people.

When we try to be gentle with all of God's creatures.



Come Holy Spirit,
Fill the hearts of your faithful
And kindle in them
The fire of your love.