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# Holy Pentecost

Activities for teaching young Orthodox Christian children about the feast





## THE DESCENT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT ICON



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Write the following words in the appropriate box: **Apostles - World - Heaven - Christ.**  
Color the tongues of fire red.



# HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER

**Heavenly King,  
Comforter,  
the Spirit of Truth,  
everywhere present  
and filling all things,  
Treasury of blessings  
and Giver of life:  
come and abide in us,  
cleans us from every impurity  
and save our souls,  
O Good One.**





# HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER SCRAMBLE

Cut the rectangles and mix them up, then put them back into the correct order.



**Heavenly King,**

**and Giver of life:**

**Comforter,**

**come  
and abide in us,**

**the Spirit of Truth,**

**cleanse us**

**everywhere present**

**from every impurity**

**and filling all things,**

**and save our souls,**

**Treasury of blessings**

**O Good One.**





## CUT AND GLUE

Cut out the figures from the following two pages and glue them on this page to make the Pentecost icon.





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# PAPER PUPPETS

Cut out the characters and props you will find in the following pages. You can laminate them, print them on premium paper, or glue them on card stock for sturdiness. The children can act out the story using the puppets. The puppets can also be used on a magnetic board, by sticking self-adhesive magnet pieces on the back. Another option would be to tape craft sticks or drinking straws on the back, for holding and moving the puppets around more easily.

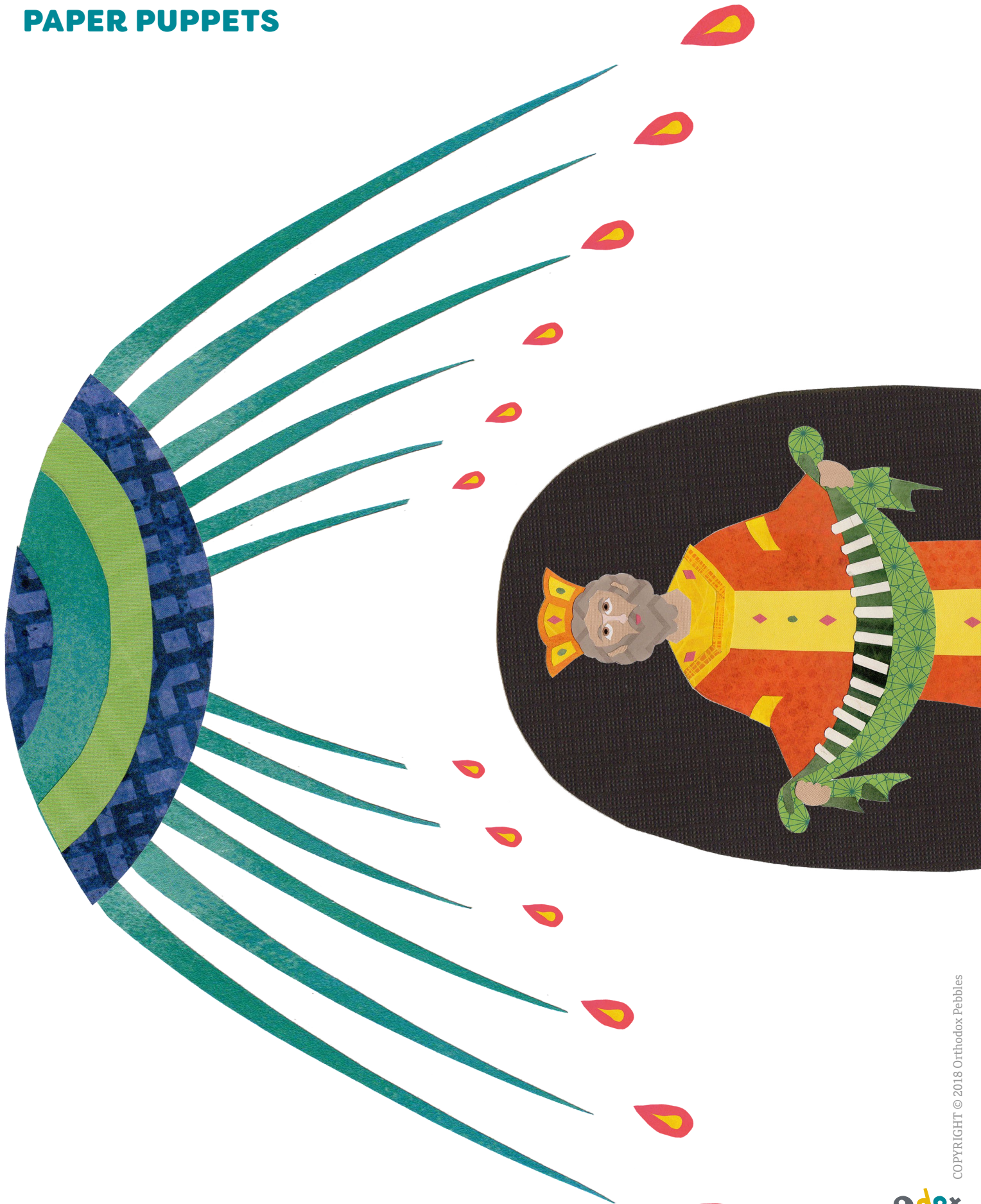




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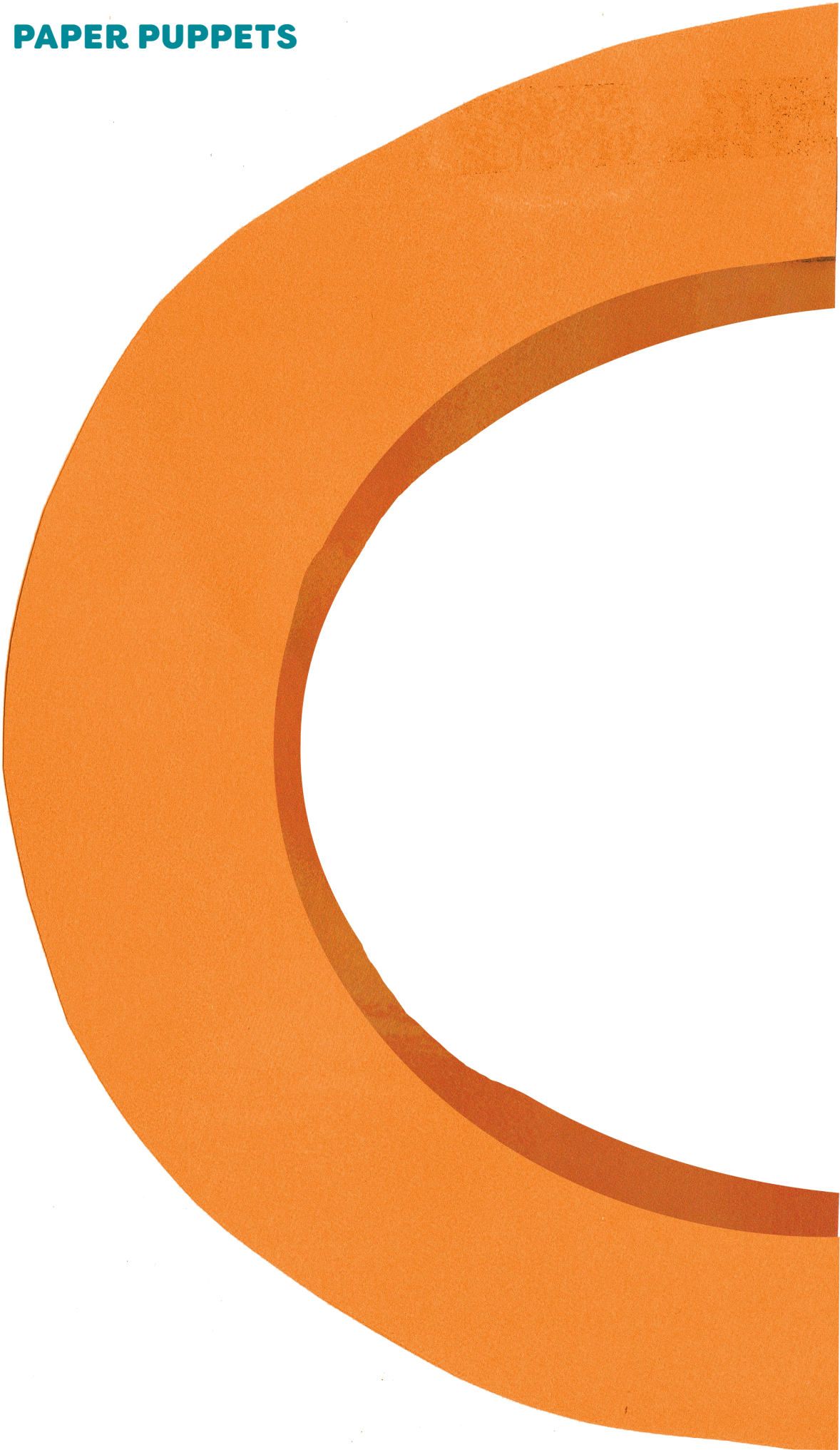


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