

# Dramatizing Revelation 12

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(adapted from an activity in *New Church Home*)

## Procedure

Have children dramatize the story as an adult or child reads the story from the Word (Revelation 12). You may wish to sing or play a recording of the song "Behold, the Great Red Dragon!" by Lori S. Odhner.

## Costume Suggestions

**Michael:** Simple white or gold tunic with gold or red sash. Gold headband. Toy sword, or make from aluminum foil and cardboard. Shield is cardboard or plywood with sun painted on it and a strap attached in back.

**Woman:** Look in thrift shops and rummage sales for chiffon, organdy, and satin dresses or skirts in red, yellow, and orange. Cut skirt into points like rays and wear as a cape. Decorate with sequins or glitter. Attach pipe cleaners or wire to a plastic headband and add foil stars to the end. Make a moon from cardboard covered with aluminum foil and hang from a long string around neck.

**Dragon:** Cut a basic dragon shape from large piece of red material with cardboard stapled to the inside front to make the first head. Decorate with sequins and glitter, and draw on scales. Cut holes for two children's heads and four arms. For each child, make a large paper mache or a paper dragon face mask. Combine with 4 red socks made into 4 hand puppets to make 4 more dragon heads. (Glue cardboard inside for mouths and decorate with felt.) Make crowns from gold paper or foil and horns from paper or pipe cleaners.

