

BAPTISM
Family Worship Activity Book

"SWIGGLESON'S SWAMP"

SEASON 2, EPISODE 2

HEY KIDS!

Before you start this booklet, ask your parent or guardian to read to you the episode questions on page 11 and go through the Discovery Bible Reading activity. This will give you the information and clues you need to finish the puzzles and activities.

Episode summary

o In this episode, a neighbourhood volleyball tournament is ruined when Salome accidentally runs into the net and destroys it. She is worried about getting in trouble, but Alinta and Jimba save the day by using their Pathfinder skills to mend the net. Salome and Jonathan want to join, so they go to Swiggleson's Swamp with the Pathfinders to learn how to dive. Salome is afraid of being "lame" in front of her friends, but summons the courage to jump. In the end, her friends think she is so brave and decide to join Pathfinders as well!

Bible lesson

• Salome is worried that she's not "good enough" to be a Pathfinder, and that her friends will laugh at her, but she shows courage and jumps anyway! When you are baptised, you make a public statement about your belief in Jesus, no matter what others think.



WORD SEARCH PUZZLE

Can you find the words from the episode and the Bible in the puzzle below? Words are hidden $\rightarrow \downarrow$ and \searrow

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Baptism	Faith	Repentance	Sewing
Bravery	Forgiveness	Salad	Submersion
Diving	Friendship	Salvation	Swamp
Dove	Holy Spirit	Saviour	Swimming
Embarrassed	Rebirth	Serve	Water

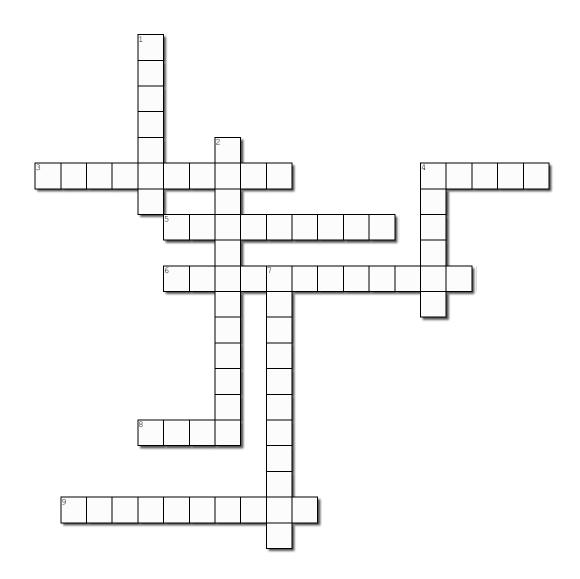
DID YOU KNOW?

- The largest swamp in the world is the Amazon River floodplain, covering an area of more than 300,000 square kilometres!
- The deepest scuba-dive ever recorded by a human was in 2014 by Ahmed Gabr at 332 metres, but people have travelled in submarines up to 10,927 metres deep!



CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Can you fill in all the words?



Across

- 3. The game everyone plays at the beginning of the episode (10 letters)
- 4. Uncultivated ground where water collects; a bog or marsh (5 letters)
- 5. A cascade of water falling from a height (9 letters)
- 6. What Sefa and Tuks go to 'commentate' on after volleyball (12 letters)
- 8. To plunge headfirst into water with arms overhead (4 letters)
- 9. The species of bird that Tuks scares away (10 letters)

Down

- 1. What Alinta wears over her eyes before she dives (7 letters)
- 2. The position Alinta and Jimba's dad has in Pathfinders (11 letters, 1 space)
- 4. What Alinta uses to fix the volleyball net (6 letters)
- 7. The adventure group that Salome and Jonathan join (11 letters)

SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

There are 10 differences between these two images.

Can you find and circle them all?





MAZE

Can you help Salome find her way out of the swamp?



RIDDLES

- 1. What always runs, yet doesn't walk, has a bed but doesn't sleep?
- 2. What can you break, even if you never pick it up or touch it?
- 3. What goes up but never comes down?

CHALLENGE A FRIEND

Find a friend or family member and challenge them to this competition! Be the first one to find and bring the item back to your starting position to win the point. The player with the most points at the end wins!

Write the item each player finds in							
Write the item each player finds in the box at the end of each round.	Player 1 name:	Player 2 name:					
1. Something that is blue							
2. Something with four sides							
3. Something round							
4. Something with a knot in it							
5. Something you'd take to the beach							
6. Something with numbers on it							
7. Something starting with the letter B							
8. Something that smells good							
9. Something heavier than your shoe							
10. Something smooth							
11. Something from the garden							
12. Something cold							

CODE BREAKERS

Help Alinta and Jimba sew the volleyball net back together before Salome gets in trouble! Can you crack the code in time to find the needle and thread?

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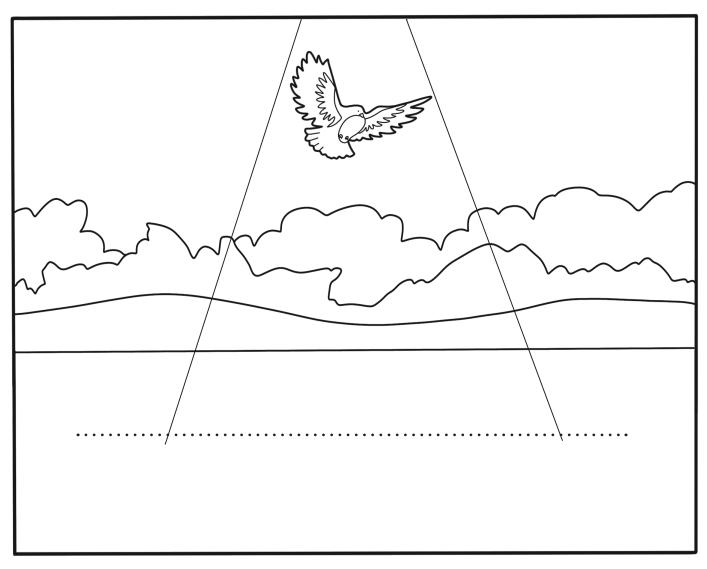
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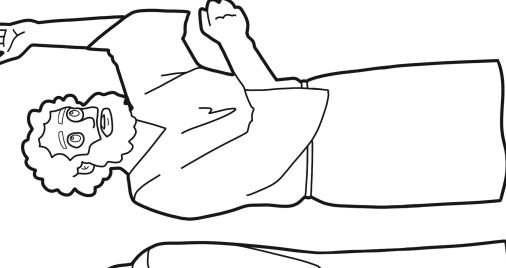
CRAFT ACTIVITY





Instructions

- 1. Colour in the pictures, then cut out John the Baptist and Jesus
- 2. Cut along the dotted line in the top image, then slot Jesus and John between the dotted line
- 4. Re-enact Jesus' baptism using the characters





PARENTS' PAGE

FAMILY WORSHIP ACTIVITY IDEAS

EPISODE QUESTIONS

- In this episode, Salome wasn't sure whether she was "good enough" to be a Pathfinder or not. Have you ever felt like you're not "good enough" for Jesus to accept you? Why or why not?
- How does Jimba react when Salome shares her worries?
 How can we encourage others who are afraid or unsure about following Jesus?
- Have you ever broken something that belongs to someone else? Did they get angry, or forgive you? How does God react when we make mistakes?

DISCOVERY BIBLE READING

Read

Luke 3:21-22

Retell

Retell the verses from this passage, in your own words.

Discuss

- What is something new you found in this passage?
- What surprises you?
- What don't you understand?
- What will you obey or apply?
- What can you share with someone else this week?

FAMILY WORSHIP IDEA

Pool dive

Head to your local pool or swimming centre for this family worship activity!

What you'll need:

- Popsickle sticks (different colours)
- A permanent marker
- Various Bible verses

Step 1: Pick one Bible verse per player (similar length verses work best).

Step 2: Write each verse on the sticks (1-2 words per stick), making sure each Bible verse is on a different colour stick.

Step 3: Throw the sticks into the pool (they should float) and have each player dive in to retrieve their Bible verse sticks.

Step 4: The first person to retrieve their sticks and put them in correct order wins.

BAPTISM

I believe that when I'm baptised, I'm telling everyone that I love God and want to live my life in service to Him. Baptism is like being buried as a dirty sinner and then rising up to live a new, clean life for Jesus.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?

To learn more about baptism, read the Bible verses in the left hand column, or visit www.adventist.org/beliefs/.

Verses: Matthew 28:19, 20; Acts 2:38; 16:30-33; 22:16; Romans 6:1-6; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12, 13.





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