

Lesson 8

Living Water
John 4:1–42

ACTIVITIES

Choose from the following activities and crafts to help connect Bible learning to life.

Water Bottle Labels

Give each child a strip of white paper the size to cover the label on a water bottle. Have children make new labels that say, “Jesus gives us living water.” Tape on the new labels. Share these water bottles with friends and family. Children may also add the name, address, and worship times of your church and share with people they would like to invite to church.



Change on the Inside

Pour a small amount of clear soda in a cup for each child; let them taste it. Add a few drops of food coloring. **Does it change the taste? Or just the look?** Now add white grape juice in equal portion. **Does it change the look or the taste? Is the change visible from the inside or the outside? We are changed from the inside out by the Holy Spirit.**



You Are Special Snack

Serve rainbow Goldfish crackers. Talk about where fish live. Point out the different colors and how they are all special. Relate to today’s lesson about how Jesus loves all and came to be the Savior of all people.



Storytelling Craft

Draw simple storytelling figures of Jesus and the Samaritan woman (or print out from online). Glue to jumbo craft sticks. Give the children lumps of play dough for bases. Draw and color stones on a small paper cup for a well. Fill the cup with blue tissue paper for water. Use the figures to reenact the story.

