

## The Secret of the Wild Forest (EPA afternoon programme 7)



The idea of this EPA afternoon is to continue with the story of The Secret of the Wildwood, experiencing adventures with Ruth and Philip and making the connection that everyone needs repentance.

**Introduction (Repentance)** We begin our EPA afternoon with welcome rules and a preface. The preface is in the form of a game. Questions are asked of the children and they must respond.

We continue with a pocket game

**Story**

We start with a retelling of what has happened so far with Ruth and Philip and continue by telling the story.

**Praise and sharing**

We continue with praise and sharing. The sharing had a key message "Everyone needs repentance".

**A verse to remember**

The verse to remember is from Hebrews 7:25. The verse was done creatively. First all the letters of the verse were printed once, cut out and colored in different colors. Squares were drawn on a large sheet of paper to match the letters of the verse. Each square was coloured in the corresponding colour from the cut and coloured letters. The children had to figure out which colour corresponded to which letter and so make the verse.

**Treat**

The treat could be of your choice but could be presented in some creative way.

**Creativity**

We have decided to make candles, but you could come up with something different that you can find materials for.

**A game with a riddle**

You can see the game here <https://www.youngstarswiki.org/bg/wiki/art/igra-ss-zagadka>

**Conclusion**