

## Faith Builders at Home

Parents: Use these ideas to help build your child's faith, encouraging your child to become a lifelong follower of Jesus Christ.

"Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me."

Psalm 51:10

### Key Word

**Pure: To be free from sin.**

### Fun at Home

Place a cup of water in front of each family member on a table. Give each family member a sheet of paper and a pencil. Have each person write a list of ways they use pure water every day. Call time after one minute. Read lists aloud and talk about how God gives us a pure heart to love and obey Him.

### Quick Pick

Read more of David's prayer in Psalm 51:1-12 and answer the following question, "What do you learn about God from these verses?"

### Steppin' Out

Participate in a pure water experiment! Gather two clean jars with lids, soil, a large spoon, clean sand, an 8-inch (20.5-cm) square of cheesecloth or cotton fabric and a rubber band. Fill one jar half-way with water. Add some soil to the jar with water. Put the lid on tightly. Shake the jar to make muddy water. Lay the cloth over the opening of the second jar, letting the cloth sag down into the opening. Place rubber band around the cloth and jar. Spoon the sand onto the cloth. Pour the muddy water slowly through the sand. Observe how the water in the second jar looks. Ask children, "Why do you think the water looks this way?"