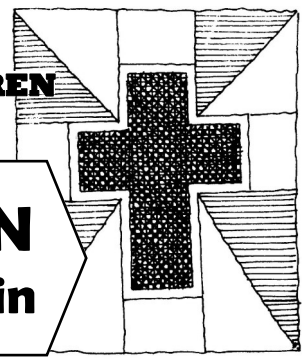




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UNIT
12

RECONCILIATION Making Friends Again

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Have you ever argued with a friend and then made friends again with them? Write their name and draw their picture here:

Do you remember the name of someone Jesus forgave? Write their name and draw their picture here:

In the Sacrament of RECONCILIATION we become
F _ _ _ _ S _ _ _ A _ _ _ N with God and with others.
Jesus himself forgives us of EVERY SIN if we are SORRY.



Write **YES** or **NO** to show you understand what is the Sacrament of Reconciliation:

1. Does Jesus always forgive us when we are sorry? _____
2. Do we sin before we have chosen to do wrong? _____
3. Do we meet Jesus when we celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation? _____
4. Are accidents that happen in our daily life sins? _____
5. Do our sins hurt God's family - other people in the Church? _____

The Woman caught in sin...

One day Jesus was teaching people in the temple. Some people brought in a woman and said that she was a sinner. They made her stand before Jesus. All the people were watching her.

“Teacher,” they said, “Moses told us that women like this should be stoned to death. Now, what do you say?”

They said this to trick Jesus. Jesus bent over and wrote something on the sand of the ground with his finger. They kept asking him questions. Jesus stood up and said: “Whoever has no sins may throw stones at her!” Jesus bent down again and continued to write on the ground.

One by one, all those who were accusing the woman left. The woman was still standing there.

Jesus stood up and said to her: “Where have they all gone? Is there no one to accuse you?”

“No one, Lord,” she said.

“Well then,” said Jesus, “Your sins are forgiven! Go and do not sin again.”

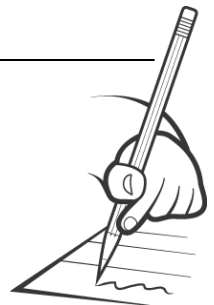


Based on: John Chapter 8

MY PRAYERS - MY THOUGHTS - MY IDEAS

It's good to be Jesus' friend because





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