



Religious Education

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The friends of Jesus asked him about forgiving people who had hurt them. (See the story below) Peter thought it would be good to forgive them seven times and that would be quite hard to do. Peter was surprised when Jesus told him that you have to keep on forgiving, but he did say that the person who had done wrong should say sorry and really mean it.

At the end of each day, we should try to think over what has happened during the day, to thank God for all the good things that have happened and to remember if there have been times when we have not been very kind or loving. This is called an examination of conscience. Your conscience is the sense of right and wrong that is inside you and helps you to follow God's rules.

There is a Sacrament, a sign of God's love, that helps Catholics, to examine or look at their consciences and ask for God's forgiveness. It is called the Sacrament of Reconciliation. You think of the sins you are sorry about, the things you have done wrong on purpose. You ask God to forgive you, and tell the priest, who won't tell anyone else. The priest tells you your sins are forgiven in Jesus' name and asks you to make up for them by being kind or by saying a prayer.

Draw a picture of the good things that have happened to you this week and write a sentence to explain what you are thankful for. Then draw a picture of something you have done wrong this week and write a sentence to say what you are sorry for.







Peter came to Jesus and asked,

"If my friend keeps hurting me, how many times do I have to forgive him? Seven times?"

"No, not seven times," answered Jesus, "but seventy times seven."



Based on Matthew 18: 21-22 God's Story 2