

Celebrating Reconciliation

Keep these ideas in mind as you study **Unit 4, Session 18**.

Miracles include acts of healing, especially those worked by Jesus, and show God acting in the world.

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The Sacraments of Healing include the Sacraments of Penance and Reconciliation and of the Anointing of the Sick.

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Sin is an offense against God. Totally rejecting God and others in our lives is a grave, or mortal, sin.

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When we repent only because we fear Hell, it is called imperfect contrition.

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To repent, God gives us grace.

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Satisfaction means doing what is possible to repair the harm a sin has caused to another person and to ourselves.

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Before confessing their sins, penitents make an examination of conscience.

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When Jesus appeared to the disciples, he said, "Peace be with you."

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The risen Jesus brings peace.

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In the Gospel, Jesus gives the apostles the authority to forgive sins and reconcile people with God and with one another.

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