

2nd Grade Reconciliation and First Communion Catechesis Group
Week 15- Session 6
January 19, 2021



- I. **Workbook: BLESSED FIRST RECONCILIATION** As usual we will begin with a prayer. Remember that when you are praying, you are talking to God. Let us pray the prayer on p.177 in your workbook by beginning and ending with the sign of the cross.

- II. Please find the following videos (Episode 1-4) at this link:
<https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/first-reconciliation/blessed-program-view-first-reconciliation-session-6-1.html>
 - A. **Episode 1 - So Much to Look Forward to:** This video is all about great moments. Watch Episode 1 now.

Can you think of a great moment in your life so far? We're excited for you because you will experience another great moment in your life when you receive the sacrament of Reconciliation.

 - B. **Episode 2 The Will of God and Happiness:**

Watch Episode 2. Read pp. 180-181.

Did you know that God speaks to us? In this episode Fr. Tom and Ben have a great conversation about all the ways we can hear God's voice in our lives.

Look at the picture of the family praying. Are you remembering to pray every day, in the morning, before bedtime, before and after meals and any other time you want to talk to God?

 - C. **Episode 3 The Prayer Process:**

Watch Episode 3. Read pp. 182-183.

Has anyone ever really taught you to pray? Maybe your parents did. My teachers who were nuns taught me how to pray at school and my parents taught me how to pray at home. There were no videos back then when I was your age. I wish I had had access to one like we are going to watch now.

 - D. **Episode 4 The Power of Great Habits:**

Watch Episode 4. Read pp. 184-185.

Great habits help us to become the best-version-of-ourselves. In this episode Ben, Sarah, Hemingway, and their friends share with us some of their favorite habits. What are some of your best habits?

- E. Read pp. 186-187 Can you think of anyone who is a champion? How did he or she become a champion? What about Drew Brees? What good habits do you think he had to develop to become a great football player? What is a great habit to form that will bring you closer to God?

III. **Activities**

- C. In the Back of the Workbook, there is a section called "My Little Catechism" (starts on P. 203)

Review with your parents pp. 208-209, questions 17-22 and pp. 219-225, questions 81-104.

- D. Closing Prayer Let us pray:

Act of Contrition

*Oh my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You
And I detest all my sins
because of Your just punishments.
But most of all because they offend You, my God
Who are all good and deserving of all my love.
I firmly resolve,
with the help of your grace
To sin no more
and to avoid the near occasion of sin. Amen*

*God bless you!
Ms. Lisa and Ms. Debbie*