

**Hi! Do you remember all the answers? Print this sheet out and give it a try!**

## PRAYER OF SORROW

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In choosing to do \_\_\_\_\_, and in failing to do \_\_\_\_\_, I have \_\_\_\_\_  
against you whom I should \_\_\_\_\_ above \_\_\_\_\_ things. I firmly intend, with  
Your \_\_\_\_\_, to do \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_ no more, and to \_\_\_\_\_ whatever  
\_\_\_\_\_ me to sin. Our Savior \_\_\_\_\_ Christ suffered and \_\_\_\_\_ for us.  
In His \_\_\_\_\_ my God have \_\_\_\_\_. Amen

## THE RITE OF RECONCILIATION

Put these steps of the Sacrament of Reconciliation in order by putting the number "1" in the space beside the one that comes first, a "2" beside the one that comes second, and so on.

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(Adapted from the Rite of Penance)

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# **ANSWERS**

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