

Reconciliation: Choices

Prayer and Reflection

*I have chosen the way of
faithfulness; I set your ordi-
nances before me.
I cling to your decrees,
O Lord; let me not be put to shame.
I run the way of your com-
mandments, for you enlarge
my understanding.
Teach me, O Lord, the way of your
statutes, and I will observe it to the
end.
Give me understanding that I may keep
your law and observe it with my whole
heart.
(Psalm 119: 30-34)*



Key Vocabulary:

Reconciliation
Confession
Conscience
Sorrow
Penance
Sin
Choice
Consequences
Repentance
Penitent
Absolution

This is an outline of the teaching of the Church covered in **CHOICES:**

- The Sacrament of Reconciliation and the stages of this Sacrament.
- The stories of the Prodigal Son and the Two Sons.
- An understanding of sin and some of its consequences.
- Examination of conscience.
- An Act of Sorrow.
- The importance of being sorry and asking forgiveness.

The Big Question

What helps me
to choose well?

