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Matrix for Teachings on Forgiveness

Part 1: Find and Summarize

Locate each account, psalm, passage, or quotation cited in article 53, “The Biblical Call to Forgiveness,” and article 54, “Seeking Forgiveness and Reconciliation,” in the student book. These are listed in the “Teaching” column in the chart below. After you find and read each of these, summarize their messages in the “Summary” column.

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| Teaching | Summary |
| **Jesus on the cross** |  |
| **The prophet Jeremiah** |  |
| **Jesus at dinner with the Pharisee and the sinner** |  |
| **Peter on Pentecost** |  |
| **The Parable of the Unforgiving Servant** |  |
| **The Lord’s Prayer** |  |
| **The Pope Francis Homily** |  |

Part 2: The Process of Reconciliation

In the “Word” column in the chart below, write these words in the order they would occur   
in the process of reconciliation:

* penance
* contrition
* absolution

In the “Meaning” column, define each word, describing its role in the process of being reconciled   
with God, neighbor, and self.

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| Word | Meaning |
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