

23.9 CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

23.9.1 Christian Religious Education Paper 1 (313/1)

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- 1 (a) Give reasons why Christians read the Bible. (8 marks)
- (b) With reference to the Genesis stories of creation in chapters 1 and 2, outline the attributes of God. (7 marks)
- (c) What are the consequences of breaking taboos in traditional African communities? (5 marks)
- 2 (a) State the promises that God made to Abraham. (6 marks)
- (b) What problems did Moses face as he led the Israelites during the Exodus? (10 marks)
- (c) Give reasons why circumcision was important to the Jews. (4 marks)
- 3 (a) Give reasons why the Israelites demanded for a king. (8 marks)
- (b) State the achievements of Solomon as king of Israel. (6 marks)
- (c) Identify the causes of power struggle in the church in Kenya today. (6 marks)
- 4 (a) Explain the role of prophets in the Old Testament. (6 marks)
- (b) Give reasons why prophet Amos was against the way the Israelites worshipped God. (10 marks)
- (c) How does God reveal himself to Christians today? (4 marks)
- 5 (a) Outline the problems that Nehemiah encountered in rebuilding the wall of Jerusalem. (10 marks)
- (b) Identify the symbolic acts used by prophet Jeremiah to demonstrate God's judgement and punishment to the Israelites. (4 marks)
- (c) What lessons do Christians learn from prophet Jeremiah's teaching on the New Covenant? (6 marks)
- 6 (a) Explain the importance of rituals performed during a naming ceremony in traditional African communities. (10 marks)
- (b) Identify the moral values acquired during marriage in traditional African communities. (5 marks)
- (c) Why is death feared in traditional African communities? (5 marks)

23.9.2 Christian Religious Education Paper 2 (313/2)

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- 1 (a) Describe the visit of the angel of the Lord to the Shepherds on the night Jesus was born. (7 marks)
- (b) State the differences between the work of John the Baptist and that of Jesus Christ. (8 marks)
- (c) What lessons do Christians learn about family relationships from the incident when Jesus accompanied his parents for the Passover festival? (5 marks)
- 2 (a) Outline the story of the raising of the widow's son at Nain (Luke 7:11-17). (8 marks)
- (b) Identify ways through which the church continues with the healing ministry of Jesus Christ. (7 marks)
- (c) Give the lessons that Christians learn from the transfiguration of Jesus. (5 marks)
- 3 (a) Give reasons why Jesus used the parable of the lost son in his teaching. (6 marks)
- (b) Outline the preparations that Jesus made for the Last Supper. (Luke 22: 7-14). (6 marks)
- (c) Identify the reasons that made Judas Iscariot betray Jesus. (8 marks)
- 4 (a) Identify the spiritual gifts taught by Saint Paul in the early church. (6 marks)
- (b) Explain how the use of the gifts of the Holy Spirit brought disunity in the church at Corinth. (8 marks)
- (c) Outline the contribution of women in the church in Kenya today. (6 marks)
- 5 (a) What are the advantages of a monogamous marriage? (8 marks)
- (b) State the factors that have led to the misuse of drugs in Kenya today. (7 marks)
- (c) Give reasons why the church is involved in the fight against HIV and AIDS. (5 marks)
- 6 (a) State the rights of citizens in Kenya today. (7 marks)
- (b) Give reasons why Christians pay taxes to the government in Kenya. (5 marks)
- (c) How is the church helping to reduce the rate of crime in Kenya? (8 marks)