**MARKING SCHEME**

**CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – PAPER 2**

**ARISE AND SHINE TRIAL 1 EXAM.**

**March /April - 2020**

1. **(a) Seven prophecies made by Prophet Jeremiah concerning The Messiah. (Jer 23:5-6) (7 marks)**
2. Messiah will come from the lineage of David.
3. Messiah will be righteous.
4. He will rule wisely.
5. He will execute justice in the land.
6. In His days Judah will be saved/receive salvation.
7. In His days Israel will dwell securely/will be safe.
8. He will reign as a King.
9. He will be called the Lord our righteousness.

***(Any 7Xx1=7 marks)***

**(b) Describe the birth of John the Baptist. (Luke 1:57-79) (8 marks)**

1. When Elizabeth gave birth to John, Zechariah and herself were filled with joy.
2. Their relatives and friends came to celebrate with them.
3. The baby was circumcised on the eighth day in accordance with the Jewish law.
4. He was to be named Zechariah after his father according to the Jewish law.
5. Elizabeth refused and instead named him John, the name given by the angel.
6. The people present wondered why yet none of the baby’s relatives was known by that name.
7. Zechariah was dumb so they made signs to him to give the name of the child.
8. Zechariah asked for a stone tablet and wrote the name John.
9. Immediately Zechariah’s mouth opened, his tongue loosed and spoke blessing God.
10. Those who were present were filled with fear and the news spread throughout Judea.
11. They wondered what the child will be for the hand of the Lord was with him.
12. Zechariah was then filled with the Holy Spirit and sang the Benedictus

***(Any 8 X1=8 marks)***

**(c) What does the Magnificat reveal about the nature of God? (5 marks)**

1. God is Mighty/Powerful/ does great things /scatters the proud.
2. God is Holy/ Holy is His Name.
3. God is faithful / because He fulfills His promises.
4. God is a provider/ sustainer because He fills the hungry.
5. God is Merciful to those who fear Him.
6. God is caring because He exalts the humble.
7. God is kind / helper to His servant Israel.
8. God is a savior, because He remembers the lowly.

***(Any 5 X1 = 5 marks)***

1. **(a) The temptations of Jesus in the wilderness before He began His public ministry. (Luke 4:1-13) (8 marks)**
2. Jesus was led by The Holy Spirit to the wilderness where he stayed for forty days being tempted by the devil.
3. He ate nothing in those days and when they were ended, he was hungry.
4. The devil asked Him to command the stone to become bread if truly HE was the son of God. Jesus answered him that man does not live by bread alone.
5. The devil took Jesus up and showed Him all the kingdoms of the world and asked Him to worship him so he could give Him everything.
6. Jesus answered that only God alone is to be worshipped and served.
7. The devil took Jesus to the pinnacle of the temple and asked Him to throw Himself down for God would command His angels to guard Him.
8. Jesus answered him that you should not tempt the Lord your God.
9. When the devil had ended every temptation he departed from Jesus until an opportune time.

***(Any 8 X1= 8 marks)***

**(b) Seven lessons Christians learn from the call of the first disciples (Luke 5:1-11) (7 marks)**

1. God chooses anyone regardless of their status in society.
2. God can intervene in their lives to meet their needs
3. God reveals Himself to people in everyday activities/life situations.
4. God gives people responsibilities /duties to serve Him in various capacities.
5. It is important to work together as a team.
6. It is important to obey Jesus’ instructions /commands.
7. It is important to be humble/ accept one’s weakness.
8. One should respond to Jesus’ call instantly/immediately.
9. It’s important to abandon one’s former life for the sake of Christ.

***(First 7 X1=7 marks)***

**(c) Teachings of Jesus Christ on the love for enemies from the sermon on the plain. (Luke 6:27-36) (5 marks)**

1. Do good to those who hate you.
2. Bless those who curse you.
3. Pray for those who abuse you.
4. If someone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also.
5. If someone takes away your coat, do not withhold even the shirt.
6. Give to everyone who begs you.
7. If anyone takes away your goods, do not ask them back.
8. Do to others what you would expect them do to you.
9. Do good and lend expecting nothing in return.
10. Be merciful even as your father is merciful. ***(Any 5 X1=5 marks)***
11. **(a) Six similarities between the Jewish Passover and the Christian Easter. (6 marks)**
12. Both are annual festivals.
13. In both cases, offerings are made.
14. In both cases participants remember suffering and victory.
15. In both cases blood is shed as a symbol of salvation.
16. In both cases God uses an individual in liberating the people.
17. In both cases they remember God is love for His people.
18. Both cases are important historical events which form the basis of the belief and practice in Judaism and Christianity.

***(First 6 X1= 6 marks)***

**(b) In which ways was the trial of Jesus unfair? (6 marks)**

1. He was arrested and tried at night.
2. He was questioned at length by the Jewish religious leaders to trap Him.
3. Pilate did not find him guilty but yielded to the people’s demand.
4. He was not given an opportunity to appeal against the trial and sentence.
5. The trial and verdict were done hurriedly to avoid further probe

***(Any 3 X2 = 6 marks)***

**(c) Explain four ways in which Christians fight injustices in the society today. (8 marks)**

1. Educating people on evils of discrimination /condemning those who promote discrimination.
2. Living an exemplary life.
3. Reporting cases of discrimination.
4. Providing equal opportunities to all people.
5. Supporting the government in enacting laws that promote equality.

***(First 4 X 2 = 8 marks - Explained)***

1. **(a) State the teachings of Jesus on the role of the Holy Spirit. (5 marks)**
2. The Holy Spirit comforts the disciples
3. Holy Spirit act as a counselor.
4. The Holy Spirit guides the disciples.
5. The Holy Spirit convicts people of their sins.
6. The Holy Spirit reminds people of the teachings of Jesus Christ.
7. Holy Spirit teaches people about the truth in the kingdom.
8. The Holy Spirit reveals the future.
9. The Holy Spirit empowers the disciples.
10. The Holy Spirit glorifies Jesus.
11. The Holy Spirit enables the disciples to witness about Jesus.

***(Any 5 X1= 5 marks)***

**(b)How are the gifts of the Holy Spirit manifested in the church today?(8 marks)**

1. Through prayers.
2. By the unity of believers/ecumenism.
3. Through the wise decisions made in the church.
4. Through faith healing/casting out of demons in the church.
5. Through preaching /teaching the Word of God /evangelism /prophecy.
6. Christians helping the poor/giving alms.
7. Through Christians receiving revelation /word of knowledge.
8. Through speaking in tongues /interpreting tongues
9. Through giving tithes /offerings in church.
10. Through repentance/confession of sin /forgiving.
11. Through singing /composing songs. ***(Any 8 X1=8 marks)***

**(c) Seven factors that threaten the unity in the church today. (7 marks)**

1. Misinterpretation of the scriptures
2. Struggle for leadership
3. Conservatism
4. Traditional and cultural differences.
5. Insecurity in the country.
6. Political differences.
7. Doctrinal differences.
8. The church’s stand on certain issues such as abortion and gay marriages.

***(Any 7 X1= 7 Marks)***

1. **(a) Identify seven sources of Christian ethics (7 marks)**
2. The Bible /sacred scriptures which is universally accepted.
3. Conscience – individuals’ good and bad thoughts.
4. Teachings of Jesus Christ – they guide our behaviour.
5. The Church community/ church laws
6. Church rituals like baptism, marriage etc
7. State law /secular laws
8. Authoritative Christian literature.
9. Knowledge and free will.
10. Human experience.
11. Natural laws
12. Situation ethics.
13. God’s self-revelation to people like prophets.

***(First 7 X1= 7 marks)***

**(b) Identify ways in which the youth in Kenya can lead a responsible sexual life. (7 marks)**

1. Avoiding social functions that may create room for sexual abuse e.g. discos.
2. Seeking guidance and counseling from church leaders on relationships.
3. Avoiding meeting friends/peers of the opposite sex in lonely/isolated places.
4. Avoiding physical contact such as kissing that may arouse sexual desires.
5. Avoiding pornographic literature /pornographic films.
6. Reading/studying the Bible /Christian literature about sex.

***(Any 7 X 1 =7 marks)***

**(c) State the importance of children in both Christian and Traditional African Communities. (6 marks)**

1. In both, children ensure continuity of the community.
2. In both, they inherit their parents’ property.
3. In both, they are a sign of God’s blessings.
4. In both, they provide labour in the family.
5. In both, children stabilize marriage /cement the relationship between the husband and wide.
6. In both, they raise the status of parents.
7. In both, they are a source of joy /happiness.
8. In both, they take care of parents in old age.
9. In both they are a source of wealth.

***(Any 6 X1 = 6 marks)***

1. **(a) Outline the Christian teaching on family. (6 marks)**
2. It was instituted by God.
3. A Christian family is monogamous.
4. Members of the family are related by blood, marriage and adoption.
5. The man is the head of the family.
6. The family is supposed to make provisions for the upkeep of the Christian widows and orphans.
7. Members of a family are supposed to be governed by the principle of love and respect for each other.
8. A Christian family is complete with or without children.
9. Parents have a responsibility of introducing their children to the church doctrines.
10. Children have their obligation to obey, respect and assist their parents.
11. Husbands and wives have complementary roles as partners in the family set up.

***(Any 6 X1 = 6 marks)***

**(b) State eight characteristics that demonstrate responsible parenthood. (8 marks)**

1. Educating children in all aspects of life.
2. Taking up parental roles and responsibilities.
3. Teaching and training children in religious matters.
4. Helping their children grow physically, socially, psychologically and emotionally.
5. Helping children develop intellectually by providing opportunities for them to learn.
6. Teaching morals and right behaviour to their children.
7. Showing understanding and tolerance to their children.
8. Teaching them social and civic responsibilities.
9. Being hardworking so that they are able to provide for their needs.
10. Parents should not discriminate any of their children.

***(First 8 X1 = 8 marks)***

**(c) How does the church strengthen family relationships today? (6 marks)**

1. Providing guiding and counseling on family life.
2. Organizes seminars and workshops on family life.
3. Holding prayers for families.
4. Presiding over marriage ceremonies where the bride and bridegroom take vows.
5. Encourage families to worship together at home.
6. Prepares study materials on family life / providing Christian literature.

***(Any 6 X1 = 6 marks)***