**CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**PAPER 2**

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**2 ½ HOURS**

**Kenya Certificate Of Secondary Education**

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**MARKING SCHEME**

1. Outline Nathan prophesy concerning the Messiah (2Samuel 7:3-17) (6mks)
* God would ensure the Kingdom of David lasts forever.
* An heir of David would be raised up to sit on the throne.
* The king would save the people of Israel from their enemies.
* God would always support such King.
* God would keep the kingdom strong for David’s son.
* God would give Israel their own land.

b) Mention the events that took place on the night Jesus was born. (Lk 2:6-22) (7mks)

* When Jesus was born, his mother wrapped him in swaddling clothes.
* She placed him on a manger.
* There were shepherd’s watching over their flocks.
* An angel appeared to the shepherd’s in the religion to tell of the birth of the savior.
* A great company of heavenly hosts.
* The shepherds decided to go to Bethlehem.
* They spread the news about the baby to other people.
* The shepherd returned praising God.
* The angel gave a sign on how to identify the baby

c) Give seven ways through which church leaders prepare for the second coming of Christ. (7mks)

* Preaching good news.
* Living exemplary lives.
* Helping the needy.
* Condemning evils in the society.
* Sharing in the lords supper /baptism.
* Confessing Jesus as Lord.
* Repenting and asking for forgiveness of sins.
* Being role models.
* Fasting and Praying

2. With reference to the sermon on the plain state seven teachings of Jesus on how human beings should relate to one another. (7mks)

* Should love their enemies.
* They should love their enemies.
* They should pray for those who mistreat them.
* They should bless those in need.
* They should lend without expecting anything in return.
* They should show mercy to others.
* They should be generous.
* They should forgive one another

b) Describe the incident in which Jesus Christ calmed the storm (Lk 8:22-25) (8mks)

* Jesus got into a boat with his disciples.
* He told them that they should go to the other side of the lake so they set out.
* As they sailed Jesus fell asleep.
* A storm of wind came down on the lake.
* The boat was filled with water/ they were in danger.
* The disciples went and woke Jesus saying “master we are perishing”
* Jesus got up and rebuked the wind.
* The storm subsided.
* Jesus asked the disciples where their faith was.

 c) State five Christian values that can be learnt from Centurion whose servant Jesus healed in (Lk 7:1-10) (5mks)

* Humility / Respect
* Mercy/ compassion/ Kindness.
* Faithfulness
* Honesty
* Obedience
* Responsibility
* Generosity
* Love

3. Describe the triumphant entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. (Lk 19:28-40) (6mks)

* When Jesus came to Mt. Olives, he sent two of his disciples a colt which they were to bring to him.
* The disciples found the colt
* The owner of the colt sought to know where it was being taken.
* The disciples told him that the Lord needed it.
* The disciples brought the colt to Jesus and Jesus sat on it.
* As Jesus went along on the colt, people spread their garments on the road where he passes.
* The crowd of disciples praised him.
* Some of the Pharisees were uncomfortable and ordered Jesus to tell them to keep quiet.

b) Outline the events that took place from the time Jesus was arrested up to the time he was sentenced to die. (7mks)

* Jesus was taken to the house of the high priest.
* Peter denied Jesus three times
* Jesus was mocked
* Jesus was taken to the Sanhedrin who made religious accusations against him.
* Pilate said he had not found Jesus guilty.
* Pilate chose to have Jesus flogged.
* The crowd shouted that Jesus be crucified and Barnabas released.
* Pilate surrendered Jesus to the crowd to be crucified.

c) State seven lessons Christians learn from the suffering and death of Jesus. (7mks)

* Christian should have faith in God.
* They should endure suffering
* They should forgive their enemies
* Christians should repent their sins
* They should be obedient to God
* They should stand firm for the truth at all times
* Christians should sacrifice for the service of others
* They should be prayerful.

4. Describe how Peter’s life was transformed on the day of Pentecost. (7mks)

* Peter was filled with the holy spirit
* He started speaking in tongue
* He became courageous
* He was able to remember old testament prophecies
* He began witnessing the life, death and resurrection of Jesus.
* He called people to repentance
* He was empowered to perform miracles.
* He took up a leadership role

b) Explain how the unity of believers is expressed in the church as the body of Christ. (6mks)

* Believers are the body while Christ id the head of the Church
* The body has different organs the same way the church has different believers
* As each part of the body contributes to the whole. All church members should work for the well being of the church.
* Each part of the body has a part to play same case each member of the church has different gifts for the benefits of the church.
* There should be no division in church since all members are the body of Christ
* Baptism in the holy spirit unites all believers as one.

c) How can Christians promote unity in the workplace? (7mks)

* Listening to peoples different opinions and enabling them to reach a consensus.
* Discouraging industrial action and calling for a dialogue.
* Giving employees fair wages
* Pointing out where employees can improve on employer.
* Encouraging people to do their work diligently and as agreed in the contract
* Obeying and respecting the authorities at the work place
* Providing favorable working conditions
* Giving employees rest/ leave

5. Outline the sources of Christian ethics. (7mks)

* Human reason/ experience
* The bible
* Traditions from Christian community/ church rituals
* Natural law
* Situation ethics
* The conscience
* God revelation
* Faith in God
* Secular state law

b) State six similarities between the traditional African and Christian view on human sexuality. (6mks)

* In both sexuality is a gift from God
* In both human sexuality is sacred
* In both the gift of sex should be enjoyed in marriage
* In both there are rules and regulations regarding the use of the gift of sex
* In both the gift of sex is for procreation
* Elders/ parents are to guard / teach the youth regarding their sexuality

c) How is responsible parenthood demonstrated by Christians in Kenya today? (7mks)

* Christians parents provide physical BASIC NEEDS
* They provide spiritual guidance to their children
* They teach their children to live in harmony with others
* They provide their children with education in order to acquire necessary knowledge
* They act as role model for their children
* They discipline/ correct children whenever they deviate from the norms
* They provide protection or security to their children which enable the children to deal with situation in life.
* They teach their children how to grow physically, socially and psychologically

6. Outline seven Christian teaching on marriage. (7mks)

* Marriages should be between man and woman
* Marriage should be monogamous
* Husband and wife should complement each other
* The husband should love the wife
* Marriage is for companionship
* Husband and wife should be faithful to each other
* Sex if for married couples
* The wife should submit to the husband

b) State seven reasons why some young people remain unmarried in Kenya. (7mks)

* Religious commitment hinders one from marriages
* Discouragement from failing marriages
* They are not ready to take responsibilities of marriage
* Poverty / inadequate resources to start a family
* Permissiveness allows men to satisfy their sexual lust without marriage commitment
* Marriage is no longer a communal duty but an individual decision
* To pursue their career
* Fear of being rejected
* Health status

c) In what ways is the church helping to solve the problems of domestic violence today? (6mks)

* Offering guidance and counseling to couples who are affected
* The church holds seminars / conference for married couples
* Develops mass media programs on family relationships
* Pray for families
* The church teaches on the virtues of love/ respect and tolerance in marriage
* The church practices home – visits to encourage couples
* The churches give material support / employment to reduce tensions from poverty
* The church condemns all forms of violence