**OPENER EXAM**

 **MARKING SCHEME**

**FORM 3 C. R. E**

**1.a) Narrate the events that took place on the day of Pentecost. (8mks)**

Disciples gathered in a room.

Sounds came from heaven like a rush of mighty wind and filled the house.

There appeared tongues of fire.

 The tongues of fire were distributed on each one of them.

They were filled with the Holy Spirit.

They were speaking in foreign languages and tongues.

 Those who were observing them were amazed, as they could not understand what they were saying. They accused them of being drunk

Peter stood up and explained that they were not drunk as it was too early in the day to get drunk.

He explained how they were filled with the Holy Spirit as prophesied by Prophet Joel.

He told them that it was Jesus whom they had rejected and crucified who had sent them the Holy Spirit. The people asked peter what they could do.

Peter told them to repent and be baptized.

 On that day about 3000 people were added to the church.

 **b) State the lessons Christians learn from the day of Pentecost. (7mks)**

They learn that Jesus always honors and keeps his promises e.g. he promised to send the Holy Spirit and did it

Baptism in the Holy Spirit is very important for every believer

That obedience yields immediate results i.e. the disciples obeyed Jesus by testifying in Jerusalem and they received the Holy Spirit.

 It is important for believers to meet for fellowship. The disciples did this and they received the Holy Spirit

 That the Holy Spirit enables Christians to declare the gospel with boldness It was the plan of God that Jesus was crucified

 Jesus indeed rose from the dead as peter witnessed

 Jesus was the son of God.

**2.a) Outline the gifts of the holy spirit. (8mks)**

The gift of wisdom (a deep understanding of who God is an his purpose for human life)

The gift of knowledge that is the basic understanding of the truth about Jesus Christ

 The gift of faith that refers to the confidence or truth in God’s inspiration and help in undertaking difficult tasks

 The gift of healing: the power to heal all types of sicknesses

The gift to perform all types of miracles including healing.

 The gift of prophecy: that is the ability to expound on the scriptures and foretell its future implications

The gift of distinguishing gifts: the ability to tell the difference between gifts that come from the spirit and those that are not

 The gift of speaking in tongues: the ability to understand and interpret tongues

 Lastly the gift of love, which is the greatest of all the spiritual gifts.

 **b) State the characteristics of love according to St. Paul**

Love is patient and kind

Love is not jealous or boastful

Love is not arrogant or rude

Love does not insist on its own way

Love is not disrespectful

Love is not irritable or resentful

Love does not rejoice at wrong bht rejoices in the truth

Love bears all things

Love is eternal.

**3. a) Describe the temptations of Jesus in the wilderness. (8mks)**

Jesus was lef in the wilderness where he stayed and prayed for forty days.

He was tempted by the devil

He ate nothing in those days and felt hungry

The devil asked him to command the stones to become bread

Jesus told him that man cannot live on bread alone

The devil took jesus up and showed him the kingdoms of the world and asked jesus to worship him so as to acquire them

Jesus told the devil that only God alone is to be worshipped and served.

The devil took jesus at the pinnacle of the temple and asked him to through himself down for God would command angels to guard him

Jesus said that one should not tempt God

The devil then departed from him.

 **b) State reasons why jesus was tempted. ( 7mks)**

To test his faith and loyalty to God

To show that Gods power should not be misused

To show that God should not be put to test

To undo Adams succumbing to temptation

To show that Jesus was not after worldly power, strength or recognition

To show that Jesus had power over the devil

To show that the miracles Jesus performed in his ministry were to glorify God and not meet his personal needs.

 **c) What lessons do Christians learn from the temptation of Jesus. (5mks)**

To depend on Jesus for their daily needs

To be well versed with the scriptures so that they can refer to the Bible when tempted

To seek guidance and counseling while in trouble

To avoid wrong company

To take part in active leisure to avoid idleness

To have absolute faith in God in order to avoid trials

To attend Bible studies for the right interpretation of the Bible.