**END OF TERM 3 2023 EXAMINATION**

**CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

**FORM 3 PAPER 2(313/2)**

**Q1**

1. **Micah’s prophecies about the messiah**
* The messiah will be born in Bethlehem
* He will rule over Israel
* His origin is from the old/ancient days
* He will be born of a woman
* He will feed his flock
* He will rule in the majesty/power of God
* In his time, Israel will be secure
* He shall be great to the ends of the earth
* Israel will have victory over her enemy/there will be peace in Israel

7 x 1 =7 mks

b. **Message of angel Gabriel About John the Baptist**

* John the Baptist was to be a son
* His name was to be John
* He would bring joy and gladness to his parents/many will rejoice at his birth
* He will be great before God
* He was to drink no wine/strong drink
* He was to be filled with the holy spirit from his mother’s womb
* He would turn many of the sons of Israel to the lord their God
* He was to go before the lord in the spirit /power of Elijah
* He will turn the hearts of the fathers to the children/the disobedient to the wisdom of the just
* He was to make ready for the lord prepared

7 x 1 =7 mks

c. **lessonsChristian learn from when Jesus was dedicated**

* Christians should be righteous before God in order to experience Him in their lives
* Christians should thank God for blessing them
* Christians should trust/have faith in God
* Christians should reach out to all people/preach salvation to them
* Christians should show compassion to the needy in society
* Christians should dedicate their children to God/fulfil the church obligation
* Christians should be devoted in their worship of God regardless of the challenges they face 6 x 1 =6 mks

**Q2**

a) **The baptism of Jesus in river Jordan by John the Baptist in Luke 3:21-23**

=All the people had been baptized by John

=Jesus was also baptized

=Jesus then started praying

=The heaven opened

=The Holy spirit descended upon Jesus in a bodily form as a dove

=Then a voice came from heaven

=Then it said, ‘thou art my beloved son with thee am well pleased

**(5x1=5 mks)**

b) **The teaching of John the Baptist**

=He told the people to repent and be baptized for forgiveness of their sins

=He asked people to prepare the way for the Lord.

=He told them to be faithful obedient to God and not to pride in Abraham as their ancestor

=He warned them of God’s punishment on sin

=He encouraged the rich to share with the needy

=He told the tax collectors not to steal/be honest

=He told the soldiers to stop robbing/accusing people falsely/should be truthful

=He told them that the messiah who was to come after him was mightier/He was unworthy to untie his sandals

=The Messiah would separate the good from the evil/would be punished

=He condemned Herod for his adulterous life/marrying the brother’s wife.

**4x2=8 mks**

c) **Reasons why Christians find it hard to apply the teachings of John the Baptist in their lives**

=They lack faith in God’s word

=Divisions along tribal/racial/denominational lines affects unity among Christians

=Clinging to the past/inability to abandon the old/previous life style

=Negative attitude by the rich towards the needy/poor

=The influence of the mass media/moral decadence in society

=Some Christians lack what to share with others/poverty

=There is rampant corruption in the society

=The emergency of cult leaders/false prophets in the society/lack of role models.

=Some Christians lead hypocritical life.

=Peer pressure **(7x1 7 mks)**

**Q3**

**a) Accusations made against Jesus during his trial (Luke 22:66-23:1-23)**

 1. Jesus called himself the Christ/Messiah.

 2. He claimed to be the son of God.

 3. He was inciting people with his teaching.

 4. He was opposing the payment of taxes to Caesar.

 5. He had made himself the King of the Jews against the Roman authority.

 6. Jesus had stirring up the people to revolt.

 7. He was equating himself to God/blasphemy. (5 x 1 = 5mks)

 **b) Reasons why Jesus appeared to his disciples after his resurrection**

 1. He wanted to strengthen their faith.

 2. So as to comfort them

 3 Inorder to empower them to serve

 4. He wanted to reassure them that He was the Messiah.

 5. So as to commission them to be his witness.

 6. He wanted to tell them about the coming of the Holy spirit/wait for the Holy Spirit.

 7. So as to bless them

 8. In order to confirm to them the Old Testament prophesies had been fulfilled.

 9. He wanted to confirm to them that he alive/had power over death.

 10. He wanted to represent to them the correct interpretation of the suffering messiah/scriptures. (4 x 2 = 8 mks )

 **c) Reasons why Christians should be discouraged from taking part in mob justice.**

 1. It does not give room to reason.

 2. It is impulse/based on emotions.

 3. It can lead destruction of poverty/life/it is violent physical injuries.

 4. It is unbiblical/it lacks love/against law of the Lord.

 5. It can be fueled by lies/malice/incitement

 6. The victim is denied a change of defending himself/herself

 7. It is a form of relation/revenge

 8. It does not give room for forgiveness/reconciliation/rehabilitation

 9. It can lead to bitterness/regret/psychological suffering. (7x1= 7marks)

**Q4**

**a.. Jesus teaching on watchfulness and readiness**

1.Believers should be dressed for his coming;

2.They should keep their lamps burning;

3.They should be awake/alert;

4.They should be prepared at all times since they do not know the time for

Christ's coming;

5.Believers should continue working until Christ comes back;

6.The servants/believers who are drunkards/mistreat fellow workers will be

punished;

7.Those who know what is required of them/their masters will and fail to do it

will receive a severe beating;

8.Believers are expected to respond to God according to how much they have

received from Him.

9.Those who do wrong out of ignorance will receive lesser beatings/punishment.

**8 x 1 = 8 marks**

**b.. The parable of the widow and the unjust judge**

**-Jesus** gave a parable to effect that they ought to pray without giving up

-There was a judge who neither feared God nor regarded man;

-There was a widow who kept on coming to the judge to settle a case between

her and her enemies/adversaries;

-The judge at first refused to grant the request of the widow;

-The widow did not give up/persisted on her request;

-The judge was afraid of getting warn out by the widows' insistence;

-The judge finally accepted to grant the widow her request.

- Jesus said that God would vindicate/grant the request of those who pray to Him persistently;

- Jesus said that God responds to these who pray to Him in faith speedily.

**6 x 1= 6 marks**

**c.. Reasons why Christians should have faith in God**

-God fulfills the promises he makes to human beings;

-Faith is a requirement for all Christians;

-Those who pray in faith receive their request;

-Christians are dependent on God for all things;

-Faith is a sign of commitment to God;

-It is through faith, in God that Christians can perform miracles/great things.

-Christians who have faith in God can be saved/healed;

-Faith in God helps Christians to overcome temptations/face challenges/ persecutions;

-Faith in God enables the Christians to wait patiently for second coming of Jesus/Kingdom of God. **6 x 1=6 marks**

**Q5**

(a) **Reasons why Jesus used the parable of the lost son in his teaching**

-To encourage sinners to accept the word of God

-To show consequences of loose living

-To encourage people to realize their sinfulness / be willing to repent/ reconcile

-To teach about God’s love for all people/ kingdom of God is for all people

-To show God’s unconditional forgiveness

-To warn against judging others/ condemning them

-To teach his audience the need to rejoice for/ welcome repentant sinners

-He wanted to encourage families to live in harmony / unity

( 7 x 1 = 7 mks)

 (b) **Preparations that Jesus made for the last supper**

-Jesus sent Peter and John to prepare for the last supper/ Passover

-He instructed two disciples to go into the city/ Jerusalem

-He told them that they would meet a man in the city carrying a jar of water

-Jesus told them that they should follow the man into the house he would enter

-Once in the house, the disciples were to ask the owner/ householder to show them the guest room

-Jesus told the disciples that the householder/ owner would show them a large furnished upper room

-He instructed the disciples to prepare the room

-The disciples to prepare the meal

-Jesus together with his disciples sat down in the prepared room

(7 x 1 = 7 mks)

 (c) **Reasons that made Judas Iscariot betray Jesus**

-Greed for money/ material possession

-It was God’s will for the fulfillment of the scriptures to be realized

-Judas was unable to overcome/ conquer the power of evil/ he was tempted by Satan (Diabalos)

-He was looking for fame/ recognition

-He was unhappy with Jesus activities

-He was an informer of the Jewish religious leaders

-He was expecting a political messiah yet Jesus was a spiritual Messiah

( 6 x 1 = 6 mks)

 **Q6**

**a. The gifts of the holy spirit**

-Word of Wisdom;

-Word of Knowledge;

-Gift of Faith;

-Gift of Healing;

-Gift of working miracles;

-Gift of Prophecy;

-Gift of speaking in tongues;

-Interpreting of tongues;

- Distinguishing between spirits.

 ***Penalize if the student doesn’t mention the term Gift/words (1x8=8 mks)***

**b..How the life of peter was transformed on the day of pentecost**

-He was filled with the power of the Holy Spirit;

-He spoke in tongues;

-He defended the apostles that they were not drunk;

-Peter become courageous;

-He preached the word of God;

-He became a witness of the work/death and resurrection of Jesus Christ;

-He was able to remember/narrate old testament scriptures;

- He gained wisdom/advised the people on what to do.

 **6 x 1= 6 mks**

**c..Ways in which the gifts of the holy spirit are abused in the church today**

-Some Christians pretend that they have a certain gift of the Holy spirit;

-By asking for payment before healing the sick;

-Christians misuse the gift of prophecy by giving wrong information;

-Some Christians may impart demonic powers on the innocent/ignorant as they

claim to perform miracles;

-Some Christians who possess the gifts of the Holy spirit develop pride/

arrogance;

-Some use the gifts to bring division in the church/creating splinter groups;

-Some Christians refuse to utilize the gifts they posses/personalize the gifts;

-Speaking in tongues during worship leads to disorder/confusion if the tongues are not interepreted/understood.

**6 x 1 = 6 marks**