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FORM 2
MID TERM 2 2025
MARKING SCHEME**

1. What is meant by the expression “The Bible is the word of God?” (7 marks)

- The Bible was inspired by God
- The authors of the Bible wrote under the influence of the Holy Spirit
- The Bible deals with God’s revelation to human beings and their responses
- The Bible contains the true message of God of daily living
- God wrote the Ten Commandments on the stone tablets
- The Bible is the revealed word of God / God reveals Himself to us through His activity in the old Testament and in the Holy Spirit in the church today

6 x 1 = 6marks

2. Describe the breaking of the Sinai covenant in Exodus 32:1-28. (8 marks)

- When Moses delayed on the mountain, Israelites thought that he had abandoned them.
- The people became impatient and restless and asked Aaron to make them a god who could lead them.
- Aaron made a golden calf from the rings of gold and silver which he received from the people.
- They worshipped the golden calf and offered burnt offerings and peace offerings.
- Aaron built an altar for their god and proclaimed a day of worship.
- God was angry with the Israelites for worshipping the golden calf and wanted to destroy them.
- Moses pleaded with God not to destroy them.
- God listened to Moses’ intercession
- Moses came down the mountain with stone tablets on which the Ten Commandments were written.
- Moses was angry and threw down the stone tablets breaking them.
- Moses burnt the calf, ground it to powder, scattered it upon the water and made the people drink it.
- Moses ordered the faithful Israelites to kill those who had broken the covenant.

8 x 1 = 8marks

3. State six factors that led to the division of the kingdom of Israel. (6 marks)

- Introduction of forced labour by King Solomon
- Solomon allowed his wives to bring foreign gods to the nation / set high places of worship
- After Solomon’s death his son Rehoboam vowed to introduce harsh rules than his father
- Rehoboam refused to listen to the counsel of the elders and instead took the counsels of youths
- Ten tribes rebelled against Rehoboam and joined Jeroboam who formed and joined Jeroboam who formed the northern kingdom

- vi) Two tribes formed the Southern kingdom where Rehoboam reigned. **6 x 1 = 6 marks**

4. What role can a Christian play in the restoration of true worship in Kenya today? (6 marks)

i) Being a role model to others

- ii) Praying to God to stamp out evil in society
- iii) Preaching against evils that exist in their society
- iv) Reporting criminals to the relevant authorities
- v) Rehabilitating hardcore criminals
- vi) Use of media to enlighten people on the consequences of evil.
- vii) Providing guidance and counseling to their community
- viii) Creating jobs to the unemployed to minimize idleness.

6 x 1 = 6mks

5. How did Jesus fulfilled Micah's prophesies of the Messiah.

- Jesus was born in Bethlehem during the census fulfilling Micah's prophecy that the Messiah will be born in the birth place of David.
- Jesus was born of Mary fulfilling Micah's prophecy that the Messiah would be born of a woman.
- Jesus rule is eternal in the world fulfilling Micah's prophecy that He shall be great to the ends of the earth.
- Jesus was there from the beginning as seen in the creation accounts/trinity fulfilling Micah's prophecy that his origin is from the ancient days.
- Jesus preached the good news of salvation fulfilling Micah's prophecy the He will feed His flock
- Jesus fulfilled Micah's prophecy that Israel will have victory over her enemies by bringing peace to the World through defeating Satan.
- Jesus performed many miracles of raising the dead to fulfill Micah's prophecy that he will rule in the power of God.

Any 4x2=8Mks

6. . . Describe the birth of John the Baptist in Lk 1: 57 - 64. (7 marks)

- Now the time came for Elizabeth to be delivered.
- She gave birth to a son.
- Her relatives, friends and neighbours came to celebrate the birth of the son.
- On the eighth day they came to circumcise the child.
- They wanted to name the child Zachariah after his father.
- But his mother said he shall be called John
- To confirm this they made signs to his father inquiring what he would have him called.
- Zachariah asked for a writing tablet and wrote down the child's name was John

- And all who were present marvelled.
- Zachariahs tongue became loosed and he was able to speak again.
- xi) He praised God in a hymn called Benedictus.

$7 \times 1 = 7$

marks

7. Describe the healing of the man with an evil spirit in the synagogue at Capernaum by Jesus Lk 4 : 31 - 44. (7 marks)

- i) Jesus went to Capernaum city in Galilee
- ii) As he was teaching on a Sabbath in the Synagogue people were amazed by his authority.
- iii) In the synagogue there was a man who had an unclean demon
- iv) He carried out with a loud voice 'Ah what have you to do with us Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us?
- v) I know who you are, the Holy one of God.
- vi) Jesus rebuked the demons to come out and be silent.
- vii) The demon threw the man down and came out of him without hurting him.
- viii) The people were amazed.
- ix) They wondered what kind of authority Jesus had that even demons obeyed his words. **$7 \times 1 = 7$ marks**

