

## **Grade 6 Religious Education Test 2017**

#### **SECTION A - MEMORANDUM**

#### (1) In Christian faith, the three Persons in the Holy Trinity are

- A the Father, the Mother and the Son.
- B the Prophet, the Priest and the King.
- C the Body, the Mind and the Soul of Jesus.
- D the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

### (2) Which of the following statements is FALSE?

- A Jesus was as much a person as you or I.
- B Jesus liked some people more than others.
- C Jesus knew all things since the time he was a child.
- D Jesus grew as a person through the affection of his family and friends.

### (3) Which of the following statements best describes the resurrection of Jesus?

- A His coming back to life, like Lazarus, from the dead
- B His greatest miracle
- C His entry into a new kind of life with God
- D His appearance to his followers as a spirit

## (4) The idea of original sin comes from the following story in Genesis:

- A Cain and Abel
- B Noah's Ark
- C The Tower of Babel
- D The Garden of Eden

### (5) Contemplation is best described as

- A asking God for help with a problem.
- B just being with God in the silence of our hearts.
- C using traditional vocal prayers to pray to God.
- D using liturgical singing as a form of prayer.

## (6) Choose the correct statement. Advent is a liturgical season

- A Celebrating the birth of Jesus.
- B Celebrating the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the disciples.
- C Remembering Jesus' forty days in the desert.
- D Waiting for the promised Messiah.

### (7) The two Church seasons in which the colour purple is used are

- A Ordinary Time and Advent.
- B Christmas and Easter.
- C Advent and Lent.
- D Lent and Easter.

## (8) The feast of Ascension occurs after Easter. What does this feast celebrate?

- A Jesus sending a helper
- B Jesus returning to the Father
- C Jesus meeting with Moses and Elijah
- D Jesus appearing to Thomas

#### (9) Sacraments are

- A Prayers to God for people who need our help.
- B Sacred rituals of the Church that bring us God's grace.
- C Actions to support the Church's missionary work.
- D Holy pictures and objects that are in the church.

### (10) What are the sacraments of initiation?

- A Baptism, Eucharist, Holy Orders
- B Marriage, Penance, Anointing of the sick
- C Confirmation, Baptism, Marriage
- D Baptism, Eucharist, Confirmation

#### (11) A gospel is

- A A letter written by an apostle to the Christian churches.
- B An account of the experience and understanding that early Christians had of Jesus.
- C A play about the life of Jesus.
- D A story written by Jesus.

### (12) In the gospel of Mark, the author wanted to show Jesus as

- A The suffering Messiah or Anointed One.
- B The friend of the friendless.
- C The light of the world.
- D A teacher with authority.

### (13) If a person is canonised it means that the Church has declared them a

- A Priest.
- B Saint.
- C Pope.
- D Cardinal.

#### (14) Sin can be described as

- A A situation when people are hurt.
- B A mistake made by ordinary people.
- C A choice to act against God's commandments.
- D Something that God will not forgive.

### (15) The best reason for going to church is

- A To pray together as a family.
- B To meet friends.
- C To worship God with the parish community.
- D To find out what's happening that week in the parish.

## (16) Who is the principal patron of the Catholic Church in South Africa?

- A St Augustine.
- B Mary, Assumed into Heaven.
- C Blessed Joseph Gerard.
- D St Josephine Bakhita.

# (17) Who became the first person from South Africa to be beatified by the Catholic Church?

- A Blessed Benedict Daswa.
- B St Charles Lwanga.
- C St Josephine Bakhita.
- D St Augustine.

# (18) Which prayer contains the words, 'Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us'?

- A The Glory Be
- B The Hail Mary
- C The Act of Contrition
- D The Our Father

### (19) The present leader of the worldwide Catholic Church is

- A Pope Benedict I.
- B Pope John Paul II.
- C Pope Francis.
- D Pope Benedict XVI.

#### (20) The Preamble to the Constitution of South Africa ends with the words

- A 'Arise! Build our nation.'
- B 'God bless South Africa.'
- C 'One people; one citizenship.'
- D 'Together, we can do more.'





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