

★ YEAR 6 ★



★ RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TEST 2014 ★



NAME

CLASS

TEST TIME 1 HOUR

★ PRACTICE QUESTIONS ★

1 The word 'Emmanuel' means

- A journey in hope.
- B Mother of God.
- C God with us.
- D Jesus.

2 What did Jesus do at the Wedding Feast at Cana?

- A He raised Lazarus from the dead.
- B He changed the wine into water.
- C He changed the water into wine.
- D He healed the crippled man.

3 Which box has the correct words needed to complete the second half of the 'Hail Mary' prayer below?

A

1. Hail
2. Jesus
3. today

B

1. Holy
2. God
3. now

C

1. Blessed
2. all
3. always

D

1. Dear
2. God
3. forever

1 Mary, Mother of 2, pray for us sinners 3
and at the hour of our death. Amen.



TEST INSTRUCTIONS



There are 50 multiple choice questions.

Read each question carefully and choose the answer from the four options, A B C D.

Shade the letter of the option you have chosen on the answer sheet, not the test paper.

Mark only one answer for each question.

Use a 2B or B pencil only. Rub out mistakes completely.

Make sure you have filled in your name, school code and other information on the answer sheet.



1

Which box has the correct words to complete the 'Sign of the Cross' prayer below?

A

1. Lord
2. Saviour
3. Holy God

B

1. Father
2. Son
3. Holy Spirit

C

1. Father
2. Son
3. Holy Word

D

1. Creator
2. Redeemer
3. Holy Lord

In the name of the **1** and of the **2** and of the **3**.
Amen.

2

WHO AM I?

I am the leader of the Catholic Church throughout the world. I was elected in 2013. I am Pope

- A Paul VI.
- B John Paul II.
- C Francis.
- D John XXIII.



3

In which Church season is the colour green used?

- A Easter
- B Advent
- C Ordinary Time
- D Christmas

4

In the Catholic Church, the leader of a Diocese is a

- A priest.
- B deacon.
- C principal.
- D bishop.

5

As Catholics, we should be guided in our moral decisions by

- A the teachings of the Church.
- B the ideas of political leaders.
- C information on television.
- D what our friends think.

6

The candle that is blessed and lit during the Easter Vigil is called the

- A Celebration candle.
- B Lenten candle.
- C Advent candle.
- D Paschal candle.



7

The story of Creation is in the book of

- A Genesis.
- B Psalms.
- C Exodus.
- D Kings.

8

The main reason that Church groups collect food, money and clothing for the poor is to

- A attract new members to the Church.
- B improve the Church's image.
- C recycle and help the environment.
- D follow the New Commandment.

9

In which season of the Church's year do we spend four weeks preparing for the celebration of Jesus' birth?

- A Easter
- B Lent
- C Advent
- D Christmas

10

The Stations of the Cross help us to reflect on the

- A suffering and death of Jesus.
- B miracles and works of Jesus.
- C Baptism and teachings of Jesus.
- D birth and early life of Jesus.

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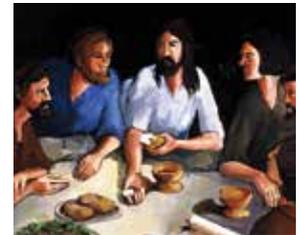
1 Jesus dies on the Cross



2 Jesus enters Jerusalem



3 Jesus prays in the Garden of Gethsemane



4 Jesus celebrates the Last Supper

The pictures above show events in the life of Jesus. Which is the correct order of these events?

- A 4, 2, 3, 1
- B 2, 4, 3, 1
- C 2, 3, 4, 1
- D 3, 2, 4, 1



12



1



2



3



4

Which picture above shows what we celebrate on Good Friday?

- A 1
- B 2
- C 3
- D 4

13



Catholics can support the work of Caritas Australia during Lent by giving money to

- A Charitable People.
- B Helping Hands.
- C Mercy Ministry.
- D Project Compassion.

14



The wise men from the East made a long journey to Bethlehem to

- A pay tribute to King Herod.
- B find the child Jesus.
- C register for the census.
- D escape trouble in their own land.

15

“Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.”

This is a prayer of

- A petition.
- B sorrow.
- C praise.
- D thanks.

16

The main way that Christians continue the mission of Jesus is by

- A visiting holy places.
- B bringing God's love to all people.
- C spending time with friends.
- D reading religious books.

17 Rima was walking to her friend's house when she saw a group of older children push over a young child. Rima stopped to help the child and walked her home.

This story is similar to the Parable of the

- A** Prodigal Son.
- B** Lost Coin.
- C** Mustard Seed.
- D** Good Samaritan.

18 The Church year begins on the first Sunday of

- A** Advent.
- B** January.
- C** Easter.
- D** Lent.

19 The first Catholic community in Australia did not have a priest because

- A** they did not want a priest.
- B** the Church would not send them a priest.
- C** the Governor would not allow them to have a priest.
- D** no priest wanted to come to Australia.

20 The main purpose of a prayer journal is to

- A** write notes for Religious Education projects.
- B** write our thoughts, feelings and experiences.
- C** write information about the parts of the Mass.
- D** write research notes about the Church in Australia.

21 Saints can best be described as people who

- A** responded to the call of God in their lives.
- B** never did anything wrong.
- C** were very successful in society.
- D** did whatever they wanted.

22 What do we celebrate in the Sacrament of Penance?

- A** the forgiveness of sins
- B** service to the Church
- C** membership in the Church
- D** receiving Jesus in Holy Communion

23



1 The shepherds visit Jesus



2 Jesus is born



3 The angel appears to the shepherds



4 Joseph and Mary travel to Bethlehem

The pictures above show events about the birth of Jesus from the Gospel of Luke. What is the correct order of these events?

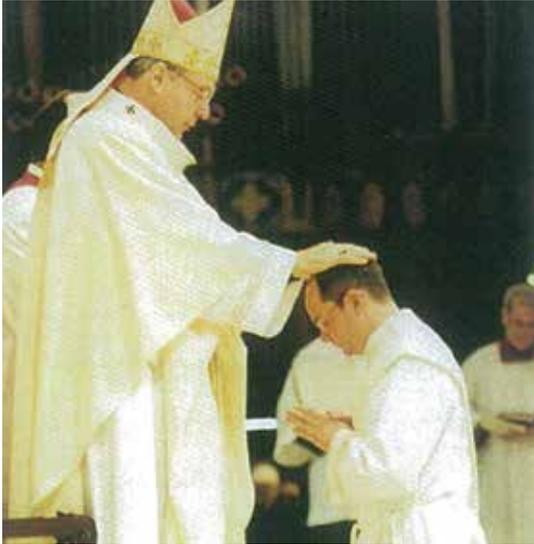
- A** 2,4,3,1
- B** 2,3,1,4
- C** 3,2,1,4
- D** 4,2,3,1

24

Which one of the following is a prayer of sorrow?

- A The Angelus
- B The Act of Contrition
- C The Hail Mary
- D The Rosary

25



Which Sacrament is being celebrated in the picture above?

- A Baptism
- B Holy Orders
- C Penance
- D Marriage

26

Which one of the following texts is in the Old Testament?

- A The Gospel of John
- B The Acts of the Apostles
- C The Book of Isaiah
- D The Letters of St Paul

27

During the Mass the priest says,

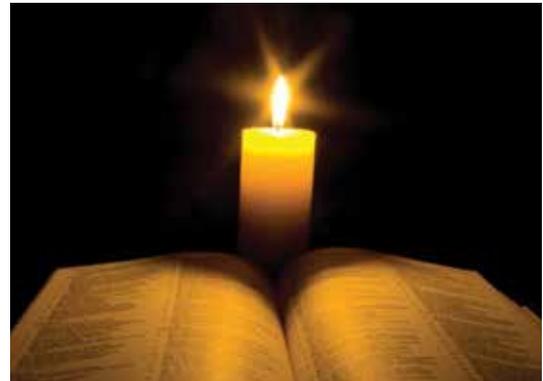
"The Lord be with you."

?

The people respond,

- A "And with your spirit."
- B "Amen."
- C "Blessed be God forever."
- D "Thanks be to God."

28



In the Bible, there are prayers which the Jewish people, including Jesus, prayed. Today Jews and Christians still pray these prayers. These prayers are called

- A Proverbs.
- B Psalms.
- C Parables.
- D Prophecies.



29

The Church has given the title 'Queen of Peace' to

- A Mother Teresa.
- B Elizabeth, cousin of Mary.
- C Mary MacKillop.
- D Mary, mother of God.

30

**"I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God."**

The words above are said during the Mass. They are part of the

- A Gloria.
- B Lamb of God.
- C Creed.
- D Final Blessing.

31



At the consecration in the Mass, the bread and the wine become

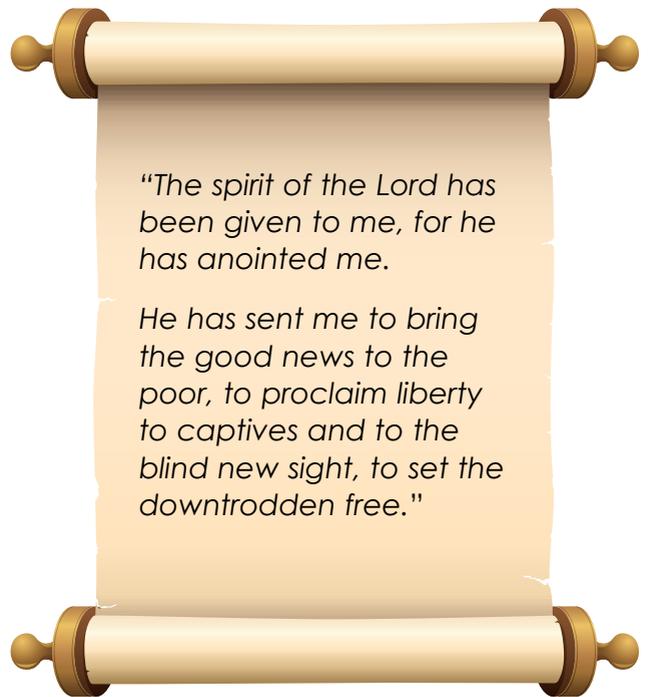
- A symbols of Jesus Christ.
- B the body and blood of Jesus Christ.
- C a reminder of the Last Supper.
- D a reminder of the Passover meal.

32

Catholics believe that there is life after death. Which great event of the Christian faith is this belief based on?

- A Jesus' Last Supper
- B Jesus' birth
- C Jesus' Baptism
- D Jesus' Resurrection

33



"The spirit of the Lord has been given to me, for he has anointed me.

He has sent me to bring the good news to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives and to the blind new sight, to set the downtrodden free."

Jesus chose to read these words from the prophet Isaiah at the beginning of his ministry. They tell us that Jesus' mission was concerned with

- A working miracles.
- B bringing justice for all.
- C reading from the prophets.
- D obeying his parents.



34

In the account of the first Pentecost in the Bible, the Holy Spirit is symbolised by

- A water and cloud.
- B fire and a dove.
- C wind and a bird.
- D wind and fire.

35

What are the two Sacraments in the Service of Community?

- A Baptism and Confirmation
- B Holy Orders and the Eucharist
- C Marriage and Holy Orders
- D Penance and Anointing of the Sick

36

Which one of the following is an example of being 'stewards of creation'?

- A Jack's family decides that each person will spend a minute less in the shower each night.
- B Elena's school sings at the local nursing home each Christmas.
- C Youssef's class raises money for a child in a developing country to attend school.
- D Kim-Ly and her friends buy gifts for the parish Christmas appeal.



37

*"Lord, I am not worthy
that you should enter under
my roof,
but only say the word
_____"*

What is the last line of this prayer, which is said at Mass before receiving Communion?

- A and I shall be saved.
- B and I shall be free.
- C and my soul shall be healed.
- D and all shall be well.

38

*"Hail Mary, full of
grace,
the Lord is with you."*

The words above, from the Hail Mary, are in Luke's Gospel (1:28). Who first said these words?

- A Elizabeth
- B The angel Gabriel
- C Joseph
- D John the Baptist

39

In the Mass, the Penitential Act is part of the

- A Introductory Rites.
- B Liturgy of the Word.
- C Liturgy of the Eucharist.
- D Concluding Rites.

40

The Annunciation is a special feast that celebrates Mary

- A visiting her cousin Elizabeth.
- B finding Jesus in the temple.
- C accepting the invitation to be the mother of God's son.
- D going to Heaven.

41



In which four (4) Sacraments is oil a symbol?

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

42

In the Concluding Rites of the Mass, the priest

- A sends the people out to live the Good News.
- B proclaims the Gospel.
- C receives the people's gifts of bread and wine.
- D invites people to share the Sign of Peace.

43

The celebration of Jesus returning to his Father in Heaven is called the

- A Transfiguration.
- B Crucifixion.
- C Ascension.
- D Last Supper.

44

'The Dignity of the Human Person', 'A Special Option for the Poor' and 'Stewardship of Creation' are part of the

- A Ten Comandments.
- B Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit.
- C Beatitudes.
- D Catholic Church's Social Teaching.

45

'The Word became flesh and lived among us' describes the

- A birth of Mary, mother of Jesus.
- B the entry of Jesus Christ into this world.
- C the preaching of John the Baptist.
- D the visit of the angel Gabriel.

46

Which of the following best describes the 'communion of saints'?

- A the faithful on earth, in purgatory and heaven
- B only those who are with God in heaven
- C all who obey the Ten Commandments
- D only people the Church has named as saints



In the year 2000, St John Paul II asked, "How can the baptised claim to welcome Christ if they close the door to the foreigner who comes knocking?" These words still apply today in Australia to

- A** overseas tourists.
- B** business people.
- C** asylum seekers.
- D** visiting diplomats.

Read the following Scripture passage and answer the question below.



'Two of Jesus' disciples were walking from Jerusalem to a village called Emmaus. They were talking with each other about things that had happened. While they were talking, Jesus joined them. He said, "What are you talking about?"'

The disciples had been talking about

- A** a man called Lazarus, who had died and whom Jesus raised to life again.
- B** a wedding in Cana where Jesus changed water into wine.
- C** a baby born in Bethlehem whom an angel said was the Messiah.
- D** Jesus of Nazareth, who had been put to death and who women were saying was alive.

49

Which part of the Creation story explains why every person deserves to be treated with dignity and respect?

- A** God said, "Let there be light," and there was light.
- B** God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness."
- C** God said to the man and woman, "Be fruitful and multiply."
- D** God rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done.

50

In the story of the Last Judgement (Mt 25:40), Jesus tells the people, "...in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me." These words mean that

- A** it is important to pray every day.
- B** we should be happy even if we are poor.
- C** when we help those in need, we are helping Jesus.
- D** we should always help our families.

END OF TEST







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