

MARKING SCHEME CRE PAPER 313/2

1a) Zachariah message in the Benedictus

- i. God is a redeemer and visits his people
- ii. God has brought salvation from the house of David
- iii. God is faithful/ fulfils his promises
- iv. God is to be served in holiness/God is holy
- v. John would be called the prophet of the most High /forerunner
- vi. John would prepare the way for the messiah
- vii. John would bring knowledge of salvation to people
- viii. John would bring light to people in darkness
- ix. John would guide people into the way of peace

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b) What Jesus taught about John

- i) That John was a prophet
- ii) The mission of John had been prophesied in scriptures
- iii) John lived in the wilderness
- iv) He led a simple life
- v) That he was a Nazarite
- vi) John was prepare the way for the messiah
- vii) John was the greatest of the Old Testament prophets
- viii) John the Baptist was rejected
- ix) John was a messenger

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c) Ways the church wins people to the kingdom of God

- i) Preaching to people about salvation
- ii) Asking them to repent
- iii) Baptizing them
- iv) Providing guidance and counselling
- v) Rehabilitating wrong doers to make them useful members
- vi) Praying for them to change in readiness for the kingdom
- vii) Teaching them about God's judgement
- viii) Assisting the needy

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2a) teaching about Jesus from the cure of the paralytic Lk 5:17-24

- i) Jesus was a teacher.
- ii) He had power to heal

- iii) People had faith in him
- iv) He was able to forgive sins
- v) He was accused of blasphemy
- vi) He had authority over sin and sickness
- vii) He was sought by crowds who wanted to be healed
- viii) He had ability to perceive peoples thoughts

b) Incidents when Jesus changed the traditional Jewish attitude towards the poor and despised

- i. He associated with the poor and despised
- ii. He commended the widow's contribution at the temple
- iii. He ate with sinners like Levi
- iv. He associated with gentiles
- v. He used parables in favour of the poor and the despised
- vi. He touched and healed lepers
- vii. He gave women prominent positions

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c) Reasons why the poor may not accept the word of God

- i. Fear of discrimination by the rich
- ii. Lack of basic needs
- iii. The stress of everyday living
- iv. Non-Christian lifestyles due to poverty e.g. prostitution
- v. Inability to give offerings
- vi. Due to feelings of hopelessness
- vii. Lack of faith in God

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3.a) i. Jesus drew near Jericho

- ii) A blind man was sitting on the roadside begging
- iii) He enquired what the commotion was about
- iv. He was told that Jesus of Nazareth was passing by
- v. He cried out for Jesus the son of David to have mercy on him
- vi. People rebuked him to be silent
- vii. He cried out all the more
- viii. Jesus commanded the blind man to be brought to him
- ix. Jesus asked him what he wanted
- x. He answered that he wanted to receive his sight
- xi. Jesus restored his sight due to his faith

- xii. The man glorified God and followed Jesus
- xiii. Those who saw gave praise to God

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b) Why some people did not recognise the authority of Jesus during his ministry

- i) Jesus lacked theological training the all that rabbis underwent
- ii) His demands on people were very high
- iii) He sometimes prophesied against the Jews in favour of the gentiles
- iv) He associated with sinners and tax collectors who were not respected
- v) He refused to give the Jews signs from heaven that they asked
- vi) His messiahship conflicted with the Jewish expectations
- vii) They knew him as the son of Joseph the carpenter
- viii) Some thought he received his powers from Beelzebub
- ix) He was not from a royal descent
- x) He was captured flogged and crucified like a criminal.

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c) State ways the church is assisting the sick

- i. Praying for them
- ii. Miracle healing
- iii. Providing guidance and counselling
- iv. Providing preventive and curative drugs
- v. Paying for their medical expenses
- vi. Disseminating literature on health issues
- vii. Providing food/clothing
- viii. Visiting the sick
- ix. Training medical personnel

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4a) New Testament teaching on the unity of believers

- i) Believers are the people of God and should reflect the character of God who has called them
- ii) They are considered the body of Christ and should function as one body, each with a unique function
- iii) All the believers are equal in Christ
- iv) They are one church (universal church)
- v) They proclaim the Christian faith and spread the gospel
- vi) They are called from a life of sin to become a royal priesthood, a holy nation and a chosen race

- vii) Believers should have co-existence like the one that exists in a marriage. Christ is the bridegroom and they are the bride
- viii) Jesus has authority over the church and Christians are under his divine kingship
- ix) Christians are to imitate the great love God has for the church among themselves
- x) Believers should exhibit inseparable unity

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b) Reaction of the people who were present on the day of Pentecost

- i) The disciples were filled with holy spirit
- ii) They spoke in tongues /different languages
- iii) Some onlookers accused the apostles of being drunk
- iv) The onlookers were bewildered
- v) Apostle peter defended the apostles against the accusation of being drunk
- vi) Peter preached the Good news to the crowd
- vii) About 3000 people repented and were baptized

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c) Ways in which the gift of prophecy strengthens the church today

- i. The church uses the gift to warn of coming disasters
- ii. Christians are called to repentance continually
- iii. The church reminds Christians of God's judgement because of sin
- iv. Christians are brought together to listen to God's prophet
- v. The church is given an opportunity to turn back to God
- vi. The church is encouraged to remain in Christ in spite of challenges
- vii. It is used to correct Christians

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5a). Reasons why employment of minors is rampant in Kenya

- i. Their labour is cheap
- ii. They are not unionizable
- iii. They are easily hired and fired
- iv. Land clashes/ ethnic strife make children run away from home to seek employment
- v. Parental negligence makes children to find ways of living
- vi. they lack qualification and skills for employment
- vii. orphans/parentless children go for employment to support themselves
- viii. they are ignorant of their rights

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b) Consequences of denial of rest to employees.

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- i. Poor working relations
- ii. Low output
- iii. Strike actions or go-slows
- iv. Loss of jobs through sacking or resignations
- v. Poor health and even death
- vi. Breaking up of families
- vii. Workers may accuse the employer
- viii. Mistrust leading to close supervision
- ix. Closure of the enterprise
- x. Negative attitude towards work
- xi. Accidents

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c) Measures the government is taking to narrow the gap between the rich and the poor

- i. Creation of job opportunities
- ii. Setting of fair salary scales
- iii. Settling squatters
- iv. Setting up fair system of taxation e.g.PAYE
- v. Providing cheap housing schemes for low income earners
- vi. Ensuring favourable loan systems
- vii. Setting price controls on basic necessities
- viii. Allowing cooperative movements to uplift the lives of people in rural areas
- ix. Providing free primary education
- x. Providing free basic health care

6a) Christian understanding of the use of science and technology

- i. It should not create unemployment by taking peoples' jobs e.g. use of computers
- ii. It should promote human life
- iii. It should uphold values about human dignity
- iv. It should be used to enhance the environment
- v. It should help man to appreciate the beauty of God's creation.
- vi. It should help man to solve problems
- vii. It should be used to glorify the creator rather than for selfish ends

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b) Benefits of genetic engineering to man

- i. To determine biological parents in cases of dispute on babies
- ii. To increase disease resistance in crops and altering traits in plants and animals
- iii. To transfer genes of human insulin which help regulate blood sugar in diabetic patients

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- iv. To manufacture human growth hormones used in the treatment of dwarfism
- v. To make blood clotting agent lacking in patients with haemophilia
- vi. To classify blood during screening before blood transfusion
- vii. It is used in finger printing in criminal activities
- viii. To increase rate of growth and maturity of livestock

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c) Reasons why Christians should participate in blood donations

- i. To emulate Jesus who shed his blood to save mankind
- ii. It is in line with biblical teaching of sharing with the needy
- iii. To demonstrate love for mankind
- iv. To support the government in saving the needy citizens
- v. To minimise possible rise in criminal commercial blood dealers
- vi. To give people who need blood a chance to live / recover their health
- vii. It is a kind of investment where one can benefit in case of a similar need

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