CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PAPER 2
MARKING SCHEME

1. a) - John will be the prophet of the Most High.
    - He will be the forerunner of the Messiah/ he will prepare the way of the Messiah
    - Hw will give knowledge of salvation to the people of God
    - John will give light to those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death
    - He will direct God's people to tender mercy of God which they will receive forgiveness of sins

    Any 3 x 2 = 6mks

    b) - Both preached the message of salvation / they preached the Good News
    - Both preached about social justice / they condemned social injustice
    - They advised people to repent their sins in order to attain salvation
    - Both condemned hypocrisy in the Jewish society
    - Both predicted what would happen in the future / They foretold the future / Both were prophets
    - John and Jesus encountered opposition from the Jewish leaders
    - Both fulfilled what was prophesized in the Old Testament / Their ministry had been prophesied in the Old Testament

    Any 4 x 2 = 8mks

    c) Christians should be courageous in their work, John did not fear to condemn Herold.
    - They should be honest like John who revealed the hypocrisy in the lives of Israel
    - They should be ready to suffer just as John was jailed for the sake of the Gospel
    - Christians should have faith. John had a strong conviction that the Messiah would be coming very soon.
    - John obeyed God by proclaiming His message. Christians should also obey God.
    - Christians should be ready to lead a life of self-denial. John lived in the wilderness
    - Christians should be ready to serve God. John served God by baptizing people and preaching the gospel.
    - John was humble as he acknowledged the greatness of Jesus. Christians should be humble.

    Any 6 x 1 = 6mks

2. a)
- Jesus went to Capernaum after the rejection at Nazareth
- He taught people in a synagogue
- People were astonished at his teaching because he taught with authority
- There was a man in the synagogue who had a demon
- The man cried out to Jesus with a loud voice. Ah! What have you to do with us Jesus of Nazareth?
- Jesus rebuked the demon and commanded it to be silent
- The demon threw the man down and left without hurting him.
- People were amazed
- Reports about Jesus spread.

$$7 \times 1 = 7\text{mks}$$

b)
- He should love his enemies
- Should pray for those who mistreat them
- A true disciple should give without expecting to be paid back.
- A disciple should be merciful as God is merciful
- He/ she should not judge / condemn others
- He should forgive others so as to be forgiven also
- A disciple should obey God / should set a good example
- A disciple should not revenge / not strike back when offended.

$$7 \times 1 = 7\text{mks}$$

c)
- Advancement in science has challenged the basic beliefs of Christianity
- There are false doctrines which are opposed to Christianity / cults and spread false teachings
- Negative influence by the mass media / competition from modern entertainment.
- Competition from other faiths such as Islam, Hinduism and Buddhism.
- Different interpretation of the bible of issues such as homosexuality, same sex marriage and lesbianism.
- Secularization of the society prevents Christians from practicing their faith freely.
- Failure by some Christians to measure up to the teachings of the church / Hypocrisy is rife in Christianity.
- Schism in the church especially between the third world and developed countries.
- The diminishing numbers of people who attend the church / reduction of church membership especially in western world.
- Lack of adequate training / mentorship of church leaders.

$$\text{Any } 6 \times 1 = 6\text{mks}$$

3. a)   The healing of centurion's servant.
    - Jesus entered Capernaum where the centurions servant was sick.
    - The centurion sent Jewish elders to plead with Jesus to heal his servant
    - The elders told Jesus how good the man was to the Jewish community
    - Jesus accepted and went with them.
    - The centurion sent his friends to stop Jesus not come to his house for he did not deserve the visit.
    - He believed that if Jesus just gave a command the servant would be healed.
    - Jesus marveled at the faith of the centurion and made his servant well
    - When the friends of the centurion went back home they found the servant healed.

                                                                    8 x 1 = 8mks

    b) People should not trust in material wealth but in God who controls their lives.
    - They should not worry about material needs but trust in Gods providence
    - People should be concerned with seeking God's kingdom first before their personal material needs.
    - Material possession should be used to serve and glorify God
    - Material possession is temporal unlike heavenly treasures
    - Concentrating on material possession makes people forget about God
    - Acquisition of material wealth is not bad but how it is possessed and used
    - Those who seek Gods kingdom will be rewarded with heaven treasures.

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    c) Humility
    - Mercifulness
    - Honesty
    - Faithfulness
    - Kindness
    - Responsibility
    - Authoritative.   5 x 1 = 5mks

4. a) - A prophet way of life should reflect the teachings of Jesus
    - A false prophet will ask for payment for his prophecies
    - False prophets preach peace to please people
    - A true prophet speaks the truth including Gods judgement to sinners irrespective of the consequences
    - A true prophet invites sinners to repentance
    - A person under the influence of the Holy spirit will proclaim Jesus as Lord and savior
    - Those with an evil spirit will curse Jesus

- People who are not guided by they Holy spirit by the desires of the flesh

6 x 1 = 6mks

b) - Love is patient
- Love is kind
- Love is not rude and arrogant
- Love bears all things
- Love is not irritable or resentful
- Love does not insist on its one way
- Love does not rejoice in evil
- Never ends
- Love is not Jealous or boastful

Any 8 x 1 = 8mks

c) - Commercializing the gift / some ask for money in order to enrich themselves
- Lying that one has the gift
- Deception through false witnesses who claim that they have been healed
- Some people use it to f]popularize themselves / self-glorification
- Advertising their gifts through the mass media
- Over emphasis on healing in church more than other gifts like love, prophecy
- Discrimination against those without the gift
- Disregard of conventional medicine leading to failure to seek medical attention

6 x 1 = 6mks

5.a) - Human weakness
- Sexual curiosity
- Testing fertility
- Fear of being silted by a boy/ girl
- Poverty
- Availability of contraceptives
- Negative peer pressure and bad company
- Influence from print and electronic media
- Frustrations
- Unemployment drug and alcohol abuse
- Proving manhood

8 x 1 = 8mks

b) - God created both male and female sexuality leads to procreation
- Sex is sacred and is a gift from God
- God crated both male and female in his image
- Male and female complement each other
- The union of male and female is consummated I marriage not outside

- Sexuality is also for mutual companionship
- The body is the temple of God and should be respected
- One can give up sex or marriage to serve God fully (celibacy)
- Male and female have distinct roles in creation
- Sexual deviation is highly condemned e.g. rape etc

8 x 1 = 8mks

c) - Drug addicts cannot control themselves, they can easily get involved in sexual immorality
- Drug addicts can engage in irresponsible behavior because they lack the power to reason and make proper moral judgments
- People who abuse drugs may bet into prostitution in order to earn money to buy drugs
- A man or woman under the influence of alcohol may behave in a sexually provocative manner hence encourage over people to take advantage of him/ her sexually
- Drug abusers tend to have close attachments to groups hence vulnerable to irresponsible sexual behavior in the name of friendship

1   x 4 = 4mks

6. a) - For satisfaction and fulfillment
- For personal development
- To acquire basic essentials of life e.g. food, clothing and shelter
- To give life direction, meaning and dignity
- To provide services for the community and fellow human beings
- To acquire wealth and status in society
- To socialize and grow as a member of a community
- To attain independence so that young people stop depending on their parents and guardians for the necessities of life

1 x 7 = 7mks

b) - When paid wages on time / a just wage
- When you pay them according to the labour contract
- Extra work, extra pay
- Enable them to rest / have leisure time
- Equal work, equal pay / no discrimination
- Provide favorable and safe working conditions
- By enabling them to undergo personal development and training which can provide opportunities for promotion
- When you allow them to form associations
- By treating them with respect and dignity
- By being considerate to employees grievances.
- By giving them motivation e.g. salary increments.

1 x 7 = 7mks

c) - Self awareness
- Self esteem
- Coping with emotions
- Coping with stress
- Friendship formation and maintenance
- Effective communication
- Assertiveness
- No-violet conflict resolution
- Empathy
- Negotiation skill
- Effective decision making
- Critical thinking
- Creative thinking.
1 x 6 = 6mks

- Permissiveness in the society
- Inter-ethnic marriages
- Inadequate resources due to poverty
- Struggle for equality and gender sensitivity
- Government policies on the traditional practices.