

- b) i) Is it necessary that the Christian boy and girl should marry in the Church? Why?  
 ii) What you know about the sacrament of marriage?
- c) i) What decision Sunitha can take?  
 ii) Suppose you are Sunitha's friend how do you guide her?
2. William is living in his house with his family. They do not miss Sunday Mass and daily family prayers. As the things going on well, all of a sudden he and his children fell sick one after the other. Addition to that his cattle got affected by some diseases. Now he doubted about his faith inspite of having daily prayers and attending Mass. A Hindu neighbour visited him and directed William to go and meet the person who is expert in 'vasthu'. He advised William to change the direction of the main entrance of his house telling that there is 'vasthu dosha' and for the peace to offer fruits and money to the temple deity.
- a) i) Do you approve William's decision?  
 ii) Why?
- b) i) Which Commandment does he go against?  
 ii) What would you do if you were in William's place?
- c) Give two suggestions to William as a good Christian?
3. Jeevan is a student of Std IX studying in a prestigious school in the city. He comes from very rich family. He has most of the electronic gadgets, which he not supposed to possess at his age. Smart phone with internet facility is one among them. After getting this Jeevan has no interest in studies and there are complaints from the School about his character. So the parents decided to take his smart phone and not to give him till he finishes his exams. For this reason Jeevan often tells his friends that he will end his life by committing suicide.
- a) i) What do you say about the behaviour of Jeevan?  
 ii) Why?
- b) i) Is suicide an offence?  
 ii) Why?
- c) i) What the parents can do now?  
 ii) As a friend of Jeevan how do you convince him?

## DIOCESAN EXAMINATION IN CATECHISM

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Date : 07-01-2023

Time : 2½ hrs.

STD : X

Marks : 90

**Note:** Do not write your name in the answer paper. Write only the register number.

### I. Match the following: 5x1=5

- |                  |   |                          |
|------------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1. Pure in heart | - | Theological Virtue       |
| 2. Apostasy      | - | Disrespect to human life |
| 3. Martyrdom     | - | Will see God             |
| 4. Suicide       | - | Sin against faith        |
| 5. Charity       | - | Supreme witness          |

### II. State the following whether TRUE or FALSE: 5x1=5

- The Christian family is a sign and image of the Triune God.
- The aim of the virtuous man is not to be like God.
- The Sunday Eucharist is the foundation of all Christian Practices.
- Penance does not help us to gain mastery over our passions.
- Wealth earned through unjust means is a blessing of God.

### III. Fill in the blanks: 10x1=10

- The days of fasting are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the day of Sabbath in the New Testament.
- To bring about peace in the world \_\_\_\_\_ must be prevented.
- Man is created in the image and likeness of \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ was chosen by Jesus as the head of the Holy Church.
- The Ten Commandments are \_\_\_\_\_ to each other.
- Temperance is a \_\_\_\_\_ virtue.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the legitimate fruit of work.
- Corruption is an offence against \_\_\_\_\_ Commandment.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is man's secret core and his sanctuary.

**IV. Fill in the blanks (from the Bible): 10x1=10**

1. Before you were born I selected you to be a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. By the \_\_\_\_\_ day God finished what he had been doing and stopped working.
3. Your light must shine before \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The bread that I will give him is my \_\_\_\_\_.
5. God placed the man in the Garden of \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Store up riches for yourselves in \_\_\_\_\_.
7. Speak, Lord; your \_\_\_\_\_ is listening.
8. You cannot serve both God and \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has \_\_\_\_\_ life.
10. Love your \_\_\_\_\_ and pray for those who persecute you.

**V. Choose the right answer form the bracket: 5x1=5**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ is called the 'Domestic Church' by the Second Vatican Council  
(Family; Parish; Society)
2. A well formed conscience is upright and \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Just; Truthful; Beautiful)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ are an invaluable treasure of a family  
(Parents; Children; Elders)
4. The Fifth Commandment forbids the deliberate murder of the \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Righteous; Criminal; Simple).
5. \_\_\_\_\_ is an attitude or behaviour which leads another to do evil  
(Insult; Scandal; Enmity)

**VI. Answer any FIVE of the following in TWO sentences each. 5x2=10**

1. What are the powers of the Holy Father and the Bishops?
2. What are the general offenses that are committed against chastity?
3. What is truth?
4. How could we lead a life witnessing the Gospel Values?
5. Which are the Seven gifts of the Holy Spirit?
6. Who is Zacchaeus? Why was Jesus pleased with Zacchaeus?

7. Why is human life sacred?
8. Why did God give the Commandments to the Israelites?

**VII. Answer any THREE of the following in FIVE sentences each: 3x5=15**

1. Write the five precepts of the Church and explain them briefly.
2. Explain the Confessional and Professional secrets.
3. Explain briefly the importance of Sunday Eucharist.
4. What is an erroneous Conscience? What are the reasons for an erroneous Conscience?
5. What are the duties of children in the Family? Explain with Biblical references.

**VIII. Write any ONE from your memory (you may write in Konkani also): 1x5=5**

Psalm 91:1-3 OR Matthew 16:18-19

**IX. Write the following (you may write in Konkani also): 2x4=8**

1. Act of Faith
2. Luminous mysteries

**X. Answer any One of the following in your own words : 1x5=5**

1. Write a brief note on the following saints.  
a) St Joseph Vaz b) Blessed Carlo Acutis
2. What is the need of inter-religious dialogue in the present scenario?
3. Write a brief note on the importance of family prayer.
4. How do you explain your non Christian friend about Jesus?

**XI. Give solutions to any TWO of the following problems : 2x6=12**

1. Sunitha a Catholic girl is working in a multinational company at Bangalore. Her parents struggled a lot to give her good education. She is very committed in her work. At her working place she fell in love with a non-christian boy. When it came to the notice of her parents, they objected this relationship, because the boy is not ready to accept the Catholic faith. But Sunitha is ready to getting marry in the temple and says her job and future are important for her.

**a) i) Do you agree with Sunitha's decision?**

**ii) Why?**