

**NAKURU BOYS HIGH SCHOOL
EVALUATION EXAM
C.R.E. PAPER 2
MARKING SCHEME**

1. a) Explain the nature of God as portrayed in Mary's song the magnificat

- God is Holy
- God keeps his promises/fulfils his promises
- God hates those who are proud
- God uplifts those who are humble/poor in spirit
- God show compassion to those who fear him
- God satisfies those who are hungry fir his knowledge
- God blesses those who are humble
- God is powerful/mighty
- God hears and answers the cry of those afflicted/oppressed
- God requires people to praise or glorify him (7mks)

b) What were the teachings of John the Baptist?

- He demanded that people repent of their sins and be baptized
- He urged people to show charity and compassion to others by sharing
- Told tax collectors not to collect what is illegal
- Told soldiers to stop asking for bribes
- He reprimanded Herod for marrying Herodias
- He told people not to boast about being descendants of Abraham.
- He warned people about the coming judgment
- He told the people that he was not the Messiah (7mks)

c) What problems do church leaders encounter as they evangelize

- Lack of money or resources to meet their needs
- Lack of acceptance by some Christians due to education, age, tribe
- Lack of housing for themselves
- People might expect too much from them.
- Some members may refuse to co-operate with them
- Might work in geographical hostile environment
- Might suffer stress and depression from personal or congregational problems for fear of exposing their weakness
- Too much demand on their time and service by members

- Might not know how to deal with different groups in the church e.g. the youth, women e.t.c. (6mks)

2. a) Give reasons why Jesus accepted to be baptized yet he had no sins

- To be identified by John as the Messiah
- To identify himself with mankind
- To receive the Holy spirit
- For God to manifest the trinity
- It was a cleansing ritual
- To acknowledge the work of John the Baptist
- He saw it as a way of fulfilling the Old Testament prophecies about the Messiah
- It meant his final acceptance of the work of salvation (7mks)

b) Describe the healing of the Gerasene demoniac.

- On the shores of lake Gerasene Jesus was met by a man possessed by demons
- The man had been living in the graveyards and without clothes
- He fell at the feet of Jesus and cried out wondering what Jesus had to do with him
- He recognized Jesus as the son of God
- The demons in the man requested Jesus not to destroy them but to be allowed to get into the pigs
- The demons left the man, got into the pigs and made them to drown in the lake
- The herdsman reported the incident in the town because of the loss they had incurred
- When the people went to see they found the man at Jesus feet well dressed and in sound mind
- They went and testified to what they had seen
- They requested Jesus to leave the area because they were afraid of further loss
- The man requested to follow Jesus but was told to go and testify to others what God had done for him (8mks)

c) What are the characteristics of a true follower of Christ?

- Spreading the gospel
- Working among the destitute
- Praying for God's blessings
- Setting a good example for others to emulate
- Speaking against evil openly

- Providing guidance and counseling services
- Forgiving others
- Accepting suffering as part of discipleship (5mks)

3. a) Explain the ways in which the Jewish religious leaders ensured that Jesus was put to death

- They paid Judas Iscariot to betray him
- They brought false witnesses to accuse him of blasphemy before the Sanhedrin
- They hurriedly tried him at night before people knew what was happening
- They framed treason charge against Jesus when he appeared before Pilate. Treason carried a death sentence
- They employed armed temple guards and Roman soldiers to deal with those who would fight for Jews
- They blackmailed Pilate into accepting their demands to have Jews crucified.
- They organized a mob to shout for the death of Jesus and release of Barnabas
- They witnessed crucifixion and death of Jesus (7mks)

b) What were the teachings of Jesus about the Kingdom of God from Jesus' parables?

- The kingdom was established by God
- The Kingdom grows for it is nourished
- Jesus came to establish the Kingdom here on earth
- It is awaiting completion during the second coming of Jesus
- The secrets of the kingdom are revealed to only those who have faith
- It is a universal Kingdom
- There will be judgment in the Kingdom
- It belongs to the faithful and righteous ones only
- It is a precious kingdom that should be looked for at all costs
- There is joy in the Kingdom
- It is for those who show mercy
- The kingdom starts from a humble beginning and grows to greatness
- Both the righteous and sinners co-exist in the Kingdom of God on earth (7mks)

c) What were the teachings of Jesus on wealth?

- One should use his/her abilities to acquire

- Wealth should be used responsibly
- Wealth should be used to help the needy.
- The rich should share their wealth with the poor
- One should not let wealth be a stumbling block to eternal life
- Wealth can be a hindrance to entry into the Kingdom of God
- No one can serve God and wealth at the same time
- Wealth comes from God and human beings are only stewards
- People should use his/her wealth to glorify God (6mks)

4 a) Give ways in which Christians discern the gifts of the Holy Spirit in a believer

- One who is under the influence of the Holy Spirit will be recognized if he recognizes Jesus as Lord and saviour.
- If they act and behave in accordance with the teachings of Jesus
- If they dispense the gifts of the Holy Spirit freely
- If they produce the fruits of the Holy Spirit like Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, and Kindness e.t.c.
- If they bring church unity in dispensing the gift. (5mks)

b) What were the teachings of Jesus on the role of the Holy Spirit?

- The Holy Spirit is a counselor
- He comforts Jesus disciples when grieved
- He teaches deeper the truth concerning God to the believer to become a child of God at Baptism
- He guides Christians in all their undertakings.
- He reminds Christians of the deeper meaning of Jesus' words
- He enables Christians to worship God in Spirit and Truth
- He continues Jesus' work of forgiving sins
- He gives Christians strength and courage to witness for Christ
- He explores the sins of the world and convicts the world for its failure to believe in Jesus
- He is a companion to every christian
- He empowers Christians to preach the gospel
- He reveals the glory of Jesus, death as victory over the prince of evil
- He convinces people to see their sins and seek righteousness through repentance
- He shows the right of Jesus to be the son of God (9mks)

c) State ways in which the church promotes the unity of believers

- Through interdenominational fellowship conferences/crusades/christian broadcasts
- Allowing inter-church marriages
- Co-operating in Bible translations through the Bible Society of Kenya
- Subscribing to national christian council of Kenya (N.C.C.K.)
- Giving of co-operating in relief services
- Having common Bible colleges/universities e.g. St. Paul's theological college
- Having a common stand on emerging issues e.g. Gayism, Constitution e.t.c.
- They co-operate in burial ceremonies/harambees (6mks)

5. a) Explain Christian teachings on work

- Work is divine because God worked during creation
- Human beings were created by God to work, thus work is a sacred duty
- Human beings should work to earn their living
- Work enhances the development of individual talents
- Hard work is praised while laziness is condemned
- Christians work spiritually by spreading the gospel
- There should be a good working environment between the workers and employees
- There should be honesty, responsibility, solidarity, joy and thoroughness in work
- People should use their talents to serve the needs of the society
- People should stop being social parasites and work
- Work should be balanced with rest (8mks)

b) Give ways in which the Kenya government in alleviating levels of poverty in the society

- Establish micro finance societies to give soft loans to the poor
- Start cheap housing schemes for workers
- Introduce poverty reduction programmes
- Ensure equitable distribution of the country's resources
- Support Jua kali sector through giving loans
- Offer support free education
- Engage in cost sharing and provision of medical services
- Ensure that the rich are taxed
- Give bursary to needy students

- Start community income projects (6mks)

c) State the contribution of Christians in the General elections of their country

- Praying for peace
- Provide civic education
- Exercise their democratic right by voting
- Report cases of dishonesty
- Officiate as returning officers or clerks
- Contesting for civic or parliamentary seats
- Experiencing fairness and justice in the campaigning process
- Arbitrating in disputes arising out of nominations/elections

6.a) What was the impact of the introduction of the money economy in traditional African Societies?

- Led to higher standards of living among those Africans who were employed
- Africans were able to interact with the outside world through trade
- It opened up more opportunities for huge employment
- Money was a convenient symbol of exchange for goods and services
- The money economy made people very individualistic as opposed to there before where people worked as a community
- Communal ownership of land was replaced by individual ownership of land
- Dowry became highly commercialized
- Human labour became a commodity to be sold to the highest bidder
- Led to the creation of social clashes i.e. the rich and the poor
- Cost of living rose since everything had to be acquired through money
- Unfair competition for prizes of foods and services came up.
- It resulted to power struggle to acquire wealth and protect it. (8mks)

b) State the factors that determine a fair wage

- Ability of the employer to pay
- Academic qualifications
- Profit returns of the enterprise
- The risks involved in the job
- The experience of the worker
- Amount of work done

- Number of working hours
- The efficiency of the worker
- The needs of the employees
- Terms of employment

(6mks)

c) Explain ways in which injustice can disrupt peace in the society

- Can cause suffering of the innocent
- Can lead to violation of human rights
- Can cause hatred and bitterness among people
- Can lead to civil war
- Can lead to crimes e.g. murder
- It can cause insecurity in the conbining
- Can lead to disrespect for those who practice justice
- It can cause suspicion among people
- It can result to rebellion
- It can lead to hypocrisy in the society

(6mks)