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இசைக்கியாதி டர்வச I
கிறிஸ்தவம் I
Christianity I

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இரண்டு மணித்தியாலம்
Two hours

Instructions:

- * Answer **all** the questions.
- * Write your **Index Number** in the space provided in the answer sheet.
- * Instructions are given on the back of the answer sheet. Follow those carefully.
- * In each of the questions 1 to 50, pick one of the alternatives from (1), (2), (3), (4), (5) which is **correct** or **most appropriate** and mark your response on the answer sheet with a cross (x) in accordance with the instructions given in the back of the answer sheet.

1. The language that the Jews got used to during Babylonian exile was
(1) Greek Language. (2) Hebrew Language. (3) Aramaic language.
(4) Latin Language. (5) Masoretic Language.
2. A book that does **not** belong to the books of 'Johnine corpus' is
(1) Letter to Hebrews. (2) First Letter of John. (3) Gospel of John.
(4) Book of Revelation. (5) Second Letter of John.
3. What is the meaning of the Hebrew word 'Torah'?
(1) tradition (2) law (3) land (4) editorial (5) book
4. To whom had belonged the editorial at the Pentateuch until nineteenth century?
(1) Pedro (2) Abraham (3) Isaac (4) Moses (5) Joshua
5. The tradition that has given a special place to Liturgical rites and Priestly rites is
(1) D tradition. (2) E tradition. (3) J tradition. (4) P tradition. (5) Y tradition.
6. What is shown through God's act of choosing Able's sacrifice?
(1) A murder has taken place due to an effect of jealousy.
(2) Sinner is forgiven at any time.
(3) God chooses those whom He likes by free will.
(4) God ordered punishment to both Abel and Cain.
(5) God needs sacrifices.
7. Who became a pre-sign of Christ?
(1) Cain (2) Isaac (3) Iskar (4) Ruben (5) Saul
8. Mentioned below are some plagues faced by Egyptians.
A - Plague of gnats
B - Livestock destruction
C - Plague of locusts
D - Plague of boils
E - Plague of darkness
F - Killing of the firstborn

Select the answer which consists of plagues that were performed by Moses and Aaron without having a deal with Pharaoh.

- (1) A, B and D. (2) A, C and F. (3) A, D and E.
(4) A, E and F. (5) C, D and E.

9. What is the meaning of the Hebrew word 'goi kadosh' ?
 (1) Priestly kingdom (2) Free nation (3) Treasure of God
 (4) Special grace (5) Nation divided
10. People of Israel who led a tribal life became a civilized nation
 (1) by being faithful to Beatitudes. (2) by being faithful to covenant of Sinai.
 (3) by believing in Baal gods. (4) through political influence.
 (5) through social influence.
11. Consider the following statements.
 A - attaining to contemplation
 B - performing mission in groups
 C - judging faults
 D - being equipped with authoritative power
 E - performing miracles to prove their missions
 Out of among these what are the special characteristics apparent in the mission of old prophets?
 (1) A, B and C. (2) A, B and E. (3) A, C and D.
 (4) A, D and E. (5) B, C and D.
12. Though not seen in public, the prophet who spoke of hidden injustice in the society is
 (1) Isaiah. (2) Jeremiah. (3) Amos. (4) Ezekiel. (5) Micah.
13. The prophet of God's love is
 (1) Isaiah. (2) Amos. (3) Ezekiel. (4) Hosea. (5) Jeremiah.
14. The songs which consist of teachings encouraging people to lead a righteous life are known as
 (1) Songs of Lamentations. (2) Royal Songs. (3) Songs of Faith.
 (4) Songs of Wisdom. (5) Songs of Praise.
15. What are the books that are perfect examples for the Theological wisdom?
 (1) Book of Job and Ecclesiastes. (2) Book of Job and Psalms.
 (3) Song of songs and Proverbs. (4) Book of Job and Wisdom of Solomon.
 (5) Ecclesiastes and Psalms.
16. Consider the following statements.
 A - There are seventy one members including the high priest.
 B - Judgment was given in accordance with Law of Moses.
 C - Religious festivals were celebrated.
 D - Should have come in a special dress.
 What are the facts related to 'Sanhedrin' council, out of the above statements?
 (1) A and B. (2) A and C. (3) A and D. (4) B and C. (5) C and D.
17. A category of people who were engaged in various quarrels in order to realize the coming of Messiah without waiting the dawn of that day was
 (1) Esenians. (2) Sadducees. (3) Zealots. (4) Pharisees. (5) Scribes.
18. What is the book that is believed to be written in Rome little time before the destruction of Jerusalem by Roman soldiers?
 (1) Gospel of St. Luke. (2) Gospel of St. Matthew. (3) Gospel of St. John.
 (4) Gospel of St. Mark. (5) Acts of the Apostles.
19. The Apostles were named 'Christians' for the first time at
 (1) Perga of Pamphylia. (2) Antioch of Syria.
 (3) the synagogue of Iconium. (4) Antioch of Pisidia.
 (5) the missionary journey of Lystra.

20. The theme of St. Paul's second letter written to Timothy is that
- (1) the one who serves Christ has to undergo trials and tribulations.
 - (2) the nationality is not important to be a Christian.
 - (3) Christ is the prime supremacy.
 - (4) salvation is given due to God's eternal mercy.
 - (5) one should engage in the mission with patience.
21. Tearing of the curtain of the temple into two symbolizes
- (1) the expression of the anguish of Christ.
 - (2) the opening of the way to God by Christ.
 - (3) the doubtfulness of the existence of God.
 - (4) a pre-announcement of the Resurrection.
 - (5) the message of Resurrection is revealed through environmental changes.
22. What is the meaning of the word 'Agape' which is used for love by St. Paul?
- (1) perfection with worldly or spiritual talents.
 - (2) offering body as a burning sacrifice.
 - (3) wishing and doing good without any profit to those who do evil.
 - (4) sacrificing everything with faith and hope.
 - (5) being happy over right thing and not being happy over others' wrong.
23. "The wife should be subject to husband in domestic administration and husband should treat her with kindness." St. Paul says this to
- (1) Ephesians community.
 - (2) Corinthians community.
 - (3) Philippians community.
 - (4) Galatians community.
 - (5) Romans community.
24. Through showing proper respect, care and love for the parents
- (1) children show that they fulfill obligations and responsibilities.
 - (2) one causes one's own salvation as well as that of others.
 - (3) Christ's plan of salvation is shared.
 - (4) long life is granted in accordance with Ten Commandments.
 - (5) success in all things is shown.
25. Distinctive Qualities of Christ's life as shown in the letter to Philippians 2:5-11 are
- (1) purity and obedience.
 - (2) humility and love.
 - (3) love and obedience.
 - (4) poverty and obedience.
 - (5) humility and obedience.
26. In which moment was one of Christ's main teachings, "that leader should become servant practically proven?
- (1) At Gethsemane prayer
 - (2) At baptism
 - (3) At transfiguration
 - (4) At last supper
 - (5) At ascension
27. "In order to make the sacrifice you offer pure, you should firstly have confession and then join breaking of bread to thank." The writing that recorded the above is
- (1) Acts of the Apostles.
 - (2) Didache book.
 - (3) First letter to Corinthians.
 - (4) Catechism of the Catholic Church.
 - (5) Book of Canon Law.
28. Who are the people that became martyrs during the time of Diocesan tribulations?
- (1) St. Sebastian, St. Lawrence and St. Agnes
 - (2) St. Lawrence, St. Cecilia and St. Polycarp
 - (3) St. Agnes, St. Sebastian and St. Lucia
 - (4) St. Felix the Pope, St. Justine and St. Cecilia
 - (5) St. Justine, St. Agnes and St. Lucia
29. Who is the most skillful debater among the debaters?
- (1) Gregory the Great.
 - (2) St. Ambrose.
 - (3) St. Augustine.
 - (4) Basil the Great.
 - (5) St. Justin.

30. The fathers who were named as Great Church Fathers by Pope Boniface the Eighth are
 (1) St. Jerome, St. Augustine, St. Ambrose and St. Gregory.
 (2) St. Gregory, St. Basil the Great, St. Jerome and St. Athanasius.
 (3) St. John Chrysostom, St. Gregory, St. Jerome and St. Augustine.
 (4) St. Polycarp, St. Ignatius, St. Gregory and St. Jerome.
 (5) St. Ambrose, St. Gregory, St. Polycarp and St. Jerome.
31. The heresy that said Christ is another creature of God is known as
 (1) Arian. (2) Nestorian. (3) Eutychian. (4) Monipitian. (5) Pelagian.
32. What is the reason of holding the council of Ephesus in 431 A.D.?
 (1) To respond to Subordinationism
 (2) To respond to Nestorian heresy
 (3) To respond to Eutychian heresy
 (4) To respond to Arian heresy
 (5) To respond to Monipitianism
33. 'The Father of traditional faith of the Catholic Church' is known as
 (1) St. Jerome. (2) St. Justin. (3) St. Athanasius of Alexandria.
 (4) St. Cyril of Alexandria. (5) Tertullian.
34. The council which recognized the Creed recited in the Eucharistic celebration as a Church dogma was
 (1) Council of Jerusalem. (2) Council of Nicaea.
 (3) Council of Chalcedon. (4) Council of Ephesus.
 (5) Council of Constantinople.
35. The one who pioneered to save Rome from the attacks of the leader of Attila the 'Hun' tribe was
 (1) Pope Gregory the Great. (2) Pope Leo I. (3) Pope Sylvester II.
 (4) Pope John XII. (5) St. Boniface.
36. The book called 'Institute of the Christian Religion' was published by
 (1) Martin Luther. (2) John Wesley. (3) William Booth.
 (4) Ulrich Zwingli. (5) John Calvin.
37. The reason that caused the birth of Greek Orthodox Church deviating from Eastern Church in 1054 A.D. was rejection of
 (1) Sacraments. (2) Holy Bible. (3) Holy Eucharist.
 (4) God' will of one Church. (5) indulgences.
38. "Theology is a faith seeking understanding." This was introduced by
 (1) Anselm of Canterbury. (2) Peter Lombard. (3) Augustine.
 (4) Martin Luther. (5) John Calvin.
39. The monastic life of Carmelite Religious Order was introduced to England by
 (1) St. Simon Stock. (2) Theresa of Avila. (3) John of the Cross.
 (4) Francis of Assisi. (5) Peter Canisius.
40. Those who became pioneers in criticizing the luxurious life of the Church and introduced poverty to the Church in the Tenth century were
 (1) Clunians. (2) Systercians. (3) Benedictines.
 (4) Lutherans. (5) Waldensians.
41. A book which was **not** written by John of the cross is
 (1) Ascent of Mount Carmel. (2) Dark Night of the Soul.
 (3) Way to Life of Perfection. (4) Spiritual Canticle.
 (5) Living Flame of Love.

42. The idea that Migara the commander who came from India during the time of Sigiriya was a Christian had been presented by
 (1) Mr. Abuzeid. (2) Mr. A.R. Ayrton.
 (3) Mr. Senarath Paranavithana. (4) Mr. Benjamin Rabai.
 (5) Mr. Leonard Woolf.
43. Who was the Pope involved in the function of Padroado, the church defensive treaty?
 (1) Pope Pius V. (2) Pope Alexander V. (3) Pope Alexander VI.
 (4) Pope Pius IX. (5) Pope Leo XIII.
44. Under what name did the King Dharmapala embrace Christianity in 1557?
 (1) Mayadunne (2) Don Juwan Dharmapala (3) Juwan de Vila
 (4) Raigam Bandara (5) Antonio
45. Due to which characteristics were the Catholic missionaries able to perform easily the evangelization activities during Portuguese period?
 (1) Proficiency in language skills (2) Simple life style (3) Feudalism
 (4) Social life style (5) Provision of Financial aid
46. Under which regime were the translation of the Holy Bible into Sinhala and its spreading among people were initiated?
 (1) Portuguese (2) English (3) Sinhalese (4) Tamil (5) Dutch
47. The religious congregation that initiated first convent school is
 (1) Congregation of Holy Angles. (2) Congregation of Apostolic Carmel.
 (3) Congregation of Holy Family. (4) Congregation of Good Shepherd.
 (5) Congregation of Franciscans of Mary.
48. The document of Vatican second explains the need of establishing 'Common Good' for human development. The Common Good mentioned here means
 (1) working for individual welfare.
 (2) working for importance of development with dedication.
 (3) joining to work with others as the man is social in nature.
 (4) allowing integrity of all groups of people and individuals.
 (5) joining to work with the outcast of society while loving the brother.
49. "Peace is the tranquillity of human existence and the work of justice and the effect of charity". This is mentioned in the
 (1) document, 'Church in the modern world'.
 (2) encyclical letter, 'Peace in the world'.
 (3) book 'Catechism of the Catholic Church'.
 (4) encyclical letter, on Labour.
 (5) encyclical letter, Mother and Teacher.
50. How many Christian churches are registered currently in the National Christian Council of Sri Lanka?
 (1) Two (2) Three (3) Five (4) Seven (5) Eight

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 மேலதிக வாசிப்பு நேரம் - 10 நிமிடங்கள்
Additional Reading Time - 10 minutes

Instructions:

* Answer **five** questions selecting **two** questions from **Part I** and **three** questions from **Part II**.

1. (i) Write **two** purposes of the Scriptures written by inspiration, (according to 2 Timothy 3:16).
(02 marks)
(ii) Write **two** sections of Divine Revelation which happened in special way and unparalleled way exceeding the law of nature.
(04 marks)
(iii) Name the **three** variances of Divine Revelation.
(06 marks)
(iv) Explain **four** services done by you to the society through experience gained in the Revelation of God to the chosen people.
(08 marks)
2. (i) Name the **two** kinds of extremely special trees created by God which are **not** meant for man's consumption.
(02 marks)
(ii) Write the **two** important points of the covenant between God and Abraham mentioned by authors of Yahwist and Priestly traditions.
(04 marks)
(iii) Write **three** relationships which were broken due to man's fall to sin.
(06 marks)
(iv) "Present day Christian receives vocation through baptism as it was received by people of Israel through Sinai covenant." Mention **four** pastoral services that you do to the society in that vocation.
(08 marks)
3. (i) Mention **two** methods of Evangelization followed by Portuguese missionaries in spreading the religion.
(02 marks)
(ii) Write **two** services rendered by the Central School Commission which was created for Education during British period in Lanka.
(04 marks)
(iii) Present **three** points which had an effect on the success of Education during Dutch period in Lanka.
(06 marks)
(iv) Describe **four** exemplars which could be derived from the missionary principles of St. Joseph Vaz for the lay leaders of today's society.
(08 marks)

Part II

4. (i) Describe **five** points regarding the authorship of the Holy Bible. (10 marks)
(ii) Describe **five** occasions that the Holy Bible gives solutions for challenges that you face in the youthful age. (10 marks)
5. (i) Describe **five** occasions in which people of Israel experienced divine providence during the journey in the desert. (10 marks)
(ii) Explain in brief, **five** occasions in which you experience divine providence as a Christian in your day to day life. (10 marks)
6. (i) Describe **five** objectives presented by Sermon on the Mount. (10 marks)
(ii) Describe **five** qualities which should be possessed by those who prepare for missionary work. (10 marks)
7. (i) Describe **five** benefits given after the Edict of Milan. (10 marks)
(ii) Mention **five** special characteristics that shined among the Christians during the period of oppression and basing on them, explain how you face the challenges aimed at you by today's society. (10 marks)
8. (i) Name **five** Congregations of Priests and Religious, which gave leadership to carry forward the work of reformation of the Church in the sixteenth century and describe them in brief. (10 marks)
(ii) Mention **five** renewal projects presented by the Council of Trent (1545-1563) in order to respond to the teachings of Reforming churches and describe in brief, how they would be of help to your spiritual growth. (10 marks)

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