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Religious Studies **405003**
(Specification A)
Religious Studies
(Specification A) (Short Course)

Unit 3 **Roman Catholicism**

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Part B

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Answer **either** Question **B5** or Question **B6** on pages 10 to 16.

There are 24 marks for each question.

EITHER**B5 Festivals**

B5 (a) Explain different customs used by Roman Catholics during Advent. *(6 marks)*

B5 (b) 'The best way for a Roman Catholic to observe Lent is to do works of mercy.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. *(6 marks)*

B5 (c) Explain how customs and symbols used on Good Friday help Christians to remember Jesus. *(6 marks)*

B5 (d) 'All Roman Catholics should attend church on Good Friday.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. *(6 marks)*

Do **not** answer Question B6 if you have answered Question B5.

OR

B6 Baptism and Confirmation

B6 (a) Describe what is **said** and **done** in the Roman Catholic ceremony of infant baptism.
(6 marks)

B6 (b) 'Babies should not be baptised.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. Refer to Christian teaching in your answer.

(6 marks)

B6 (c) Explain the meaning of the symbols used in the Roman Catholic Sacrament of Confirmation.
(6 marks)

B6 (d) 'For Roman Catholics, eleven is the best age to be confirmed.'

Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view. Refer to Roman Catholic arguments in your answer.

(6 marks)

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