



General Certificate of Secondary Education  
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**Religious Studies** **405004**  
**(Specification A)**  
**Religious Studies**  
**(Specification A) (Short Course)**

Unit 4 Roman Catholicism: Ethics

## **Insert**

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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.

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**EITHER****B5 Christian Reconciliation**

**B5 (a)** Describe what happens during the Sacrament of Reconciliation. *(4 marks)*

**B5 (b)** 'The Sacrament of Reconciliation is no longer needed.'

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

*(6 marks)*

**B5 (c) (i)** Describe how the Samaritan in the Parable of the Good Samaritan cared for the injured man. *(4 marks)*

**B5 (c) (ii)** Explain what Christians might learn from the Parable of the Good Samaritan. *(4 marks)*

**B5 (d)** 'It is not possible to love your enemies.'

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)*

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

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**OR**

**B6 Christian Marriage and Christian Values**

**B6 (a)** Explain what Roman Catholics believe about sexual relationships outside marriage. (4 marks)

**B5 (b)** 'The belief that marriage is for life is out of date.'

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

(6 marks)

**B6 (c) (i)** Explain what the Commandment 'Honour your father and your mother' means in Christian family life. (4 marks)

**B6 (c) (ii)** Explain what Roman Catholics believe about responsible parenthood. (4 marks)

**B6 (d)** 'Childless couples should consider adoption or fostering before they seek fertility treatment.'

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

(6 marks)

**END OF QUESTIONS**

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