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

405001

Unit 1 Christianity

Thursday 15 May 2014 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

For this paper you must have:

- an insert containing Part B questions (enclosed).

Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **five** questions.
- Part A Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided in this booklet.
Part B Answer **either** Question B5 **or** Question B6. Write your answer to **either** Question B5 **or** Question B6 on pages 12 to 20 of this booklet.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this booklet. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.
- If you use any additional sheets, tie them securely to the back of this booklet.
- Do **not** write on the insert. Any work on the insert will **not** be marked.
- Do **not** place the insert into the answer booklet at the end of the examination.

Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 76.
- Four of these marks are for Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (**SPaG**) which will be assessed in Part B. These marks are shown below the mark allocation for Questions B5 and B6.
- You will be marked on your ability to use good English, to organise information clearly and to use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.



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Part A

Answer **all** questions in this part in the spaces provided.

A1 Holy Communion and Worship

Look at the photograph. It shows an Orthodox Holy Communion Service.



A1 (a) Describe how the sacrament of Holy Communion (The Divine Liturgy) is celebrated in the Orthodox tradition.

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A1 (b) Explain briefly why some Christians call the Holy Communion service 'The Lord's Supper'.

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A2 **Worship**

Read the words of the 'Jesus Prayer'.

“Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God,
have mercy on me, a sinner.”

A2 (a) Explain briefly how some Christians use the Jesus Prayer.

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A2 (b) In public worship the Bible is used for readings. Explain **two other** ways in which the Bible is used in public worship.

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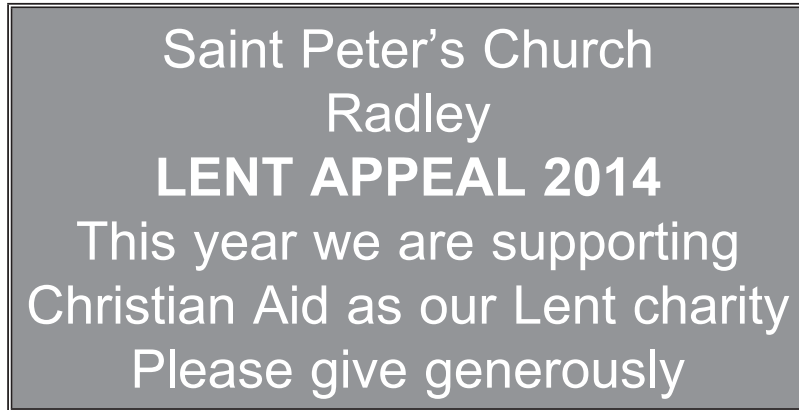
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A3 Festivals and Beliefs

Read this poster.



A3 (a) What events in the life of Jesus do Christians remember at the beginning of Lent?

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A3 (b) 'Doing something for charity is the best way for Christians to observe the season of Lent.'

What do you think? Explain your opinion.

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A3 (c) Describe how worship on Easter Day reflects what Christians believe about the resurrection of Jesus.

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A3 (d) 'Pentecost is not an important festival for Christians today.'
What do you think? Explain your opinion.

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A4 Ceremonies of Commitment

Look at the photograph. It shows a bishop confirming a boy at a Confirmation Service.



A4 (a) Explain what a bishop says **and** does at the moment of confirmation.

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A4 (b) Explain how the ceremony of believers' baptism reflects belief in Jesus' death and resurrection.

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