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HUMANITIES CORE UNIT – RELIGIOUS STUDIES CHRISTIANITY AND CONTEMPORARY LIFESTYLES PAPER 1

A.M. TUESDAY, 13 May 2008

1 hour (of $1\frac{3}{4}$ hour examination)

Questions answered	Examiner's use only
Question 1 (Section A)	
Question 2 or 3 (Section B)	
TOTAL	40

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.

Answer Question 1 (Section A) and either Question 2 or Question 3 (Section B).

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this booklet. Use supplementary sheets when there is insufficient room in this booklet. Write your name at the top of each supplementary sheet, indicating clearly the number of the question you answer. Put the supplementary sheets inside this booklet.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You will be awarded marks for the quality of your written communication.

Your answers must be relevant and must make full use of the information given to be awarded full marks for a question.

You are reminded that you should always support your answers using your knowledge and understanding of the topic chosen.

CORE UNIT - RELIGIOUS STUDIES

CHRISTIANITY AND CONTEMPORARY LIFESTYLES

Answer Question 1 (Section A) and either Question 2 or Question 3 (Section B).

SECTION A

Answer all parts of this question.

1. This question is about how Christians express their beliefs in daily life.

Study Source A below and then answer the questions that follow.

Source A



[A photograph of Christians at prayer]

(a)	What does Source A tell you about the way Christians may pray?	[2]

(b)	Describe how Christians use a church building.	[4]
(c)	Explain how prayer supports Christians in their daily lives.	[4]
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Study Source B below and then answer the question that follows.

Source B

Many people spread their cloaks on the road, while others spread branches they had cut in the fields. Those who went ahead and those who followed shouted, "Hosanna!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David!" "Hosanna in the highest!"

Jesus entered Jerusalem and went to the temple.

[Words taken from the Gospel of Matthew, chapter 11, describing Jesus' arrival at Jerusalem.]

(d)	Describe what Jesus did during Holy Week.	[6]

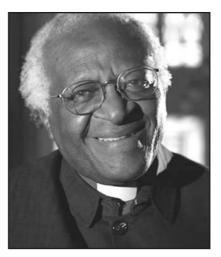
(e)	'To demonstrate their faith, Christians must attend a Eucharist service at Easter.' How far do you agree with this statement?	[8]
	In your answer you could: – explain the importance of the Eucharist service at Easter – describe other ways of demonstrating Christian faith – decide how far you agree with the statement.	
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SECTION B

Answer either Question 2 or Question 3.

2. This question is about Christian belief and practice.

Look at the information below and then answer the questions which follow.



[Archbishop Desmond Tutu is an example of a modern Christian role model. He has spent his whole life fighting racial discrimination and poverty in South Africa.]

(a)	Describe the work of one other modern Christian role model you have studied.	[4]
(b)	Explain how Christians are guided by the parable of the Good Samaritan.	[4]
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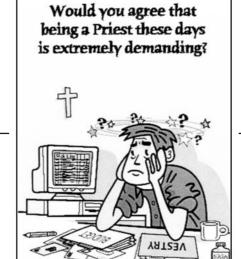
(c)	'The Ten Commandments are still very relevant in the modern world.' How far do you agree with this statement?	[8]
	In your answer you could: – explain why the Ten Commandments are still relevant today – explain why the Ten Commandments may not be so relevant today – decide how far you agree with this statement.	
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3. This question is about Christian relationships with others.

Look at the information below and then answer the questions which follow.

Being a minister is extremely demanding

You have to work very long hours



You have to have lots of patience

You have to show compassion to all

(a)	Describe the role of a Christian minister.	[4]
(b)	Explain Christian teaching on the importance of charity.	[4]
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(c)	'The Christian Church still has a very important role to play in family life in the UK today.' How far do you agree with this statement? [8]		
	In your answer you could: – explain how the Church still has an important role – explain why the Church's role may be less important – decide how far you agree with this statement.		