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OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
GCSE

B571

RELIGIOUS STUDIES A
(WORLD RELIGION(S))

**Christianity 1 (Beliefs, Special Days, Divisions
and Interpretations)**

TUESDAY 15 MAY 2012: Afternoon

DURATION: 1 hour
plus your additional time allowance

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Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:

None

OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:

None

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- **Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes on the first page. Please write clearly and in capital letters.**
- **Use black ink.**
- **Answer any TWO questions; you must answer all parts (a–e) of the two questions that you choose.**
- **Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided. If additional space is required, you should use the lined pages at the end of this booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.**

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- **The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.**
- **The total number of marks for this paper is 48.**
- **Quality of written communication is assessed in parts d and e of all questions.**

Answer any TWO questions, you must answer ALL parts (a–e) of the questions you choose.

- 1 (a) Whom do Christians believe is “God the Son” in The Trinity?**

_____ **[1]**

- (b) Give TWO of the Ten Commandments.**

(i) _____

(ii) _____

_____ **[2]**

(c) Describe what Christians believe about the Holy Spirit.

[3]

[illegible]

(e) ‘Sometimes it is impossible to forgive others.’

Discuss this statement. You should include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to Christianity in your answer.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[Total: 24]

2 (a) What is a saint?

_____ [1]

(b) State when Lent:

(i) begins. _____

(ii) ends. _____

_____ [2]

(c) Explain why the first day of Lent is important to some Christians.

[3]

[illegible]

(e) ‘Easter Sunday is the only special day Christians need.’

Discuss this statement. You should include different, supported points of view and a personal viewpoint. You must refer to Christianity in your answer.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[Total: 24]

3 (a) What is Ecumenism?

_____ [1]

(b) Give TWO reasons why the World Council of Churches is important.

(i) _____

(ii) _____

_____ [2]

(c) Describe the work of ONE Ecumenical community.

[3]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[Total: 24]

Additional pages

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