

O.S.S.A.E.
VEDA PATANA CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION 2015

Class X

Time: 3 hrs

Marks 100

26-12-2015, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Select the right answer from the brackets (1-10)

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1. Which of the following is not the meaning of the greek word Apocalypsis?
(a. Unveiling, b. Teaching, c. Revelation, d. Unfold)
2. The Epistle of Hope?
(a. 1 Peter, b. 2 Peter, c. 1 John, d. 2 John)
3. The first diocese given to St. Gregorios of Parumala?
(a. Thumpamon, b. Niranam, c. Quilon, d. Outside Kerala)
4. Which is not part of the service of breaking the Bread?
(a. Breaking the Bread, b. Raising the Bread & Wine, c. Broken Bread dipped in the Wine, d. commixture of the Body and Blood)
5. The first to hold both the positions of the Malankara Metropolitan and Catholicose together?
(a. H.H. Baselios Marthoma Mathews I, b. H.H. Baselios Geevarghese II, c. St. Dionysius of Vattasseril, d. Mar Dianysius of Pulikkottil I)
6. The Day of Atonement?
(a. Purim, b. Yom Kippur, c. Hanukkah, d. Passover)
7. The congregation instituted by Ignatius of Layola?
(a. Lutharan Church, b. Jesuits, c. Oriental, d. Protestant)
8. Which of the following belongs to Non-canonical feast?
(a. feast of Dedication, b. Tabernacle, c. Pentecosti, d. Passover)
9. Languages in which St. paul's letters were written first?
(a. Hebrew, b. Latin, c. Greek, d. Aramaic)
10. Importance of A.D. 1815 in the History of malankara Orthodox Syrian Church?
(a. Establishment of Catholicate, b. Old Seminary started, c. Royal Court judgement, d. Synod of Mulamthuruthy)

Name the following (11-15)

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11. The sacrament of partaking in the priestly ministry of Jesus Christ?
12. Father of monasticism.
13. Who is honoured as the Father of renaissance of Malankara Church?
14. The first apocalyptical book in the Bible?
15. Author of the book 'Malankara Sabha pithakkanmar'?

Fill in the blanks (16-20)

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16. is the first attempt to bring the Syrian Church in Kerala under the Roman Ecclesia.
17. The last of the three important Jewish Canonical Feasts is
18. A 'Kauma' in its complete version begins with the praise of
19. is Humans natural response to God that emanates from the depth of his/her heart.
20. of the Holy Bible refers to list of the books included in it.

Match the following (21-25)

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| 21. Catholicate | Barnabas |
| 22. Baselios Geevarghese II | Abded Messiah |
| 23. Paulose Mar Gregrios | St. John |
| 24. Revelation | Haile Salacy |
| 25. St. Paul | History of Martyrs |

Answer in a word or two (26-30)

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26. Place where St. John received his Revelation?
27. The positions held by Hosmoneans?
28. What are the divisions of Pauline epistles.
29. Which are the priestly hierarchy in Christianity?
30. Name of the present Catholicose of our church. What is his ordinal number among the Catholicose of malankara Church?

Write whether Right or Wrong (31-35)

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31. Docetism is another form of Gnosticism.
32. Counselling is meant for psychiatric patients.
33. The title 'Catholicose' is accepted in Malankara after the establishment of Catholicate here.
34. Christian stewardship means that the wealth that we earn must be used for our needs alone.
35. The term Priest originated in Persian culture.

Answer in one or two sentences each (36-40)

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36. The content of the prayer 'Manissa of Mar Severus'.
37. The peculiarity of Synagogue worship?
38. What is Lytany?
39. What does 2 Peter say about heresies?
40. What is the prime message of the book of Revelations?

Write the meaning (41-45)

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41. El-Shaddai.
42. Vaidikan

43. Bovuto
44. Ethro
45. Canon

Write the difference in meaning (46-50)

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| 46. Liberation | Purification |
| 47. Kudosh Eetho | Hudosh Eetho |
| 48. Torah | Tanak |
| 49. Septuagint | Peshitha |
| 50. Masmoor | Promeon |

Answer in a Page (51)

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51. Sammarise the biblical basis for the doctrine of Trinity?

PART B

Answer in two or three sentences (52-56)

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52. When was the St. Gregorise of Parumala canonised as a Saint? Who was the president of the Synod then?
53. What was the urgency for the establishment of Catholicate in Malankara?
54. Who was the model for St. Gregoriso of parumala to be a monk? What was the 'motto' of his life?
55. What is the significance of St. Gregorios 'journey to Cylon'?
56. What is the contribution of St. Dynisius of Vattasseril in the teaching of the faith of the Church?

Answer in one page (57-58)

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57. St. Gregorios's journey to Jerusalem.
58. The title 'Malankara Sabha Bhasuran' is very apt for St. Dynisius of Vattasseril. Comment.

PART C

Prayer (59)

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59. Howmany 'Kauma' are there in the night prayer (Liliyo) of Good Friday? Write any one of them and give the meaning.

Hymn (60)

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60. (a) "He who died on the cross
in heaven and on earth
(b) Write the meaning of the hymn in two or three sentences?

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions given below (61-85)

Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice insofar as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of God, is resting on you. But let none of you suffer as a murderer, a thief, a criminal, or even as a mischief maker. Yet if any of you suffers as a Christian, do not consider it a disgrace, but glorify God because you bear this name. (1 Peter 4:12-16)

61. What is the reason behind the fiery ordeal taken place in our life?
62. What is meant by the phrase 'revelation of glory'?
63. Why should we be glad & Joyous?
64. How would our be blessed?
65. What is our responsibility as a Christian?

