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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Write your name, school and index number in the spaces provided above.
2. Write the date of examination and sign in the spaces provided above.
3. This paper consists of **six** questions.
4. Answer any **five** questions in the answer booklet provided.
5. This paper consists of **2** printed pages.
6. Candidates should check to ensure that all pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing.

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1. a) Give reasons why the Bible is referred to as a library. (5 marks)

b) Outline **five** effects of translation of the Bible into local languages. (10 marks)

c) State **five** ways through which the church is spreading the word of God in Kenya. (5 marks)

2. a) State the characteristics of the covenant between God and Abraham. (5 marks)

b) Explain the importance of God’s covenant with Abraham. (10 marks)

c) What lessons do Christians learn from the incident when Abraham was willing to

sacrifice his son Isaac? (5 marks)

3. a) Describe the contest between prophet Elijah and the prophets of Baal at Mount Carmel

(1st kings 18:17 – 40). (7 marks)

b) Give **four** conditions that made it difficult for Prophet Elijah to stop idolatry in Israel. (8 marks)

c) Identify **five** qualities of Prophet Elijah that a Christian leader should possess. (5 marks)

4. a) Give **four** similarities between prophets in the Old Testament and Traditional African Communities. (8 marks)

b) State **four** ways in which the rich oppressed the poor during the time of Prophet Amos. (8 marks)

c) State the relevance of Prophet Amos’ teaching on election of Israel to Christians in

Kenya today. (4 marks)

5. a) Outline the stages followed in the renewal of the covenant during the time of Nehemiah. (8 marks)

b) Give **six** reasons why Nehemiah carried out the renewal of the covenant in Judah. (6 marks)

c) What lessons do Christians learn from renewal of the covenant by Nehemiah? (6 marks)

6. a) Describe the Traditional African views of a community. (8 marks)

b) Explain **six** factors that have affected the Traditional African people’s dependence

on God. (6 marks)

c) Outline **six** similarities between Christian and traditional African ways of showing

respect to God. (6 marks)