1. The word ‘Emmanuel’ means
   A. Journey in hope.
   B. Mother of God.
   C. God with us.
   D. Jesus.

2. What did Jesus do at the Last Supper?
   A. He washed his disciples' feet.
   B. He raised Lazarus from the dead.
   C. He prayed for forty days and forty nights.
   D. He calmed the sea.

3. Which circle has the correct words needed to complete the second half of the ‘Hail Mary’ prayer below?

   [Diagram]

   1. Mary, Mother of  
      2. , pray for us sinners  
      3. and at the hour of our death. Amen.
There are 50 multiple choice questions.

Read each question carefully and choose the answer from the four options, A B C D.

Shade the letter of the option you have chosen on the answer sheet, not the test paper.

Mark only one answer for each question.

Use a 2B or B pencil only. Rub out mistakes completely.

Make sure you have filled in your name, school code and other information on the answer sheet.
1. In the Sacrament of Holy Orders, God
   A. forgives our sins.
   B. unites a man and woman forever to live together in faithful love.
   C. welcomes us into the Church community.
   D. calls some men to be ordained to lead and serve our Church.

2. The Church’s liturgical year begins with the season of
   A. Advent.
   B. Lent.
   C. Easter.
   D. Christmas.

3. The Sacraments of Initiation are
   A. Eucharist, Marriage and Holy Orders.
   B. Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist.
   C. Baptism, Marriage and Anointing of the Sick.
   D. Confirmation, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick.

4. Which circle has the correct order of the Mass?
   A. Introductory Rites
      Liturgy of the Word
      Concluding Rites
   B. Introductory Rites
      Liturgy of the Word
      Eucharist
      Concluding Rites
   C. Introductory Rites
      Liturgy of the Word
      Eucharist
      Concluding Rites
   D. Liturgy of the Word
      Introductory Rites
      Concluding Rites
What are the traditional Lenten practices that help us grow and become more like Jesus?

A  Going to Church, prayer and giving up chocolate
B  Prayer, fasting and almsgiving
C  Eating fish and giving to the poor
D  Reading the Bible and feeding the homeless

The pictures below show some of the events in the story of the Good Samaritan. Which is the correct order of these events?

A  4, 1, 2, 3
B  1, 2, 4, 3
C  2, 1, 4, 3
D  4, 2, 1, 3
During the Liturgy of the Word, what is the response given by the people at the end of the Gospel reading?
A  Thanks be to God.  
B  And with your spirit.  
C  Glory to you, O Lord.  
D  Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

You have been asked to set up a prayer place in your classroom for the season of Advent. To symbolise this season of the Church, you choose to use
A  a white cloth, a Bible and holy water.  
B  a purple cloth, a Bible and a gift box.  
C  a purple cloth, a Bible and a Project Compassion box.  
D  a green cloth, a Bible and a card with the word ‘justice’ written on it.

What is the name given to the central community Church of a diocese?
A  Chapel  
B  Seminary  
C  Cathedral  
D  Monastery

Read the following Scripture passage and answer the question below.

I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.  

(John 13:34–35)

This is known as the law of
A  love.  
B  mercy.  
C  kindness.  
D  compassion.
The Bible tells us that when the first human being was made, God “formed man from the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life” (Genesis 2:7). The Church teaches us that each person is made up of a

A spirit.
B body alone.
C soul alone.
D body and soul.

Which circle below has the words that complete the prayer prayed by the people at the beginning of the Liturgy of the Eucharist?

May the Lord accept the _______ 1 _______ at your hands for the _______ 2 _______ and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his _______ 3 _______ Church.

A 1. bread 2. love 3. sacred
B 1. gifts 2. wonder 3. blessed
C 1. wine 2. power 3. divine
D 1. sacrifice 2. praise 3. holy

During the dismissal at Mass, the priest can say “Go and announce the Gospel of the Lord.” This means we are sent forth to

A repent and pray for God’s forgiveness.
B share the Good News and glorify God.
C place the needs of others before our own.
D appreciate the gifts of creation God has provided us.
A canticle is a song of praise. Read the canticle below and answer the following question.

My Lord, all praise to you through everything you have created.

First, my master, brother sun, the day bringer.

Through him you give us light.

My Lord, all praise to you through sisters moon and stars.

You make them brighten the sky, precious and beautiful.

My Lord, all praise to you through brothers wind and air,
calm or stormy, all weather’s moods.

This song is part of the

A  Canticle of Zachariah.
B  Canticle of Simeon.
C  Canticle of Mary.
D  Canticle of St Francis.

The feast of the Epiphany celebrates the

A  visit of the Magi to Jesus.
B  descent of the Holy Spirit.
C  presentation of Jesus in the Temple.
D  presence of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.
You and your family are reading a news article. The story is about Kathryn, who is a twelve-year-old girl living in Guatemala City. This city is in Central America. Each day Kathryn goes with her mother to the city landfill. There, they search through rotting food and other garbage. They look for cardboard, plastic, glass and metal containers that they can sell to recycling companies. The money from these containers is the only income Kathryn’s mother earns. Most days her mother can make 40 quetzals, which is $7 a day. The hot sun causes the garbage to release poisonous gases.

Guided by the model of See Judge Act, you decide that Kathryn and her mother

A should be allowed to live and work inside the landfill because they are helping to recycle.

B should not be concerned with the release of poisonous gases because they are making an income.

C should be supported by Church organisations who can provide education, housing and healthcare.

D should find somewhere else to live so that they can be safe.

The Catholic Church in Australia is part of the Universal Church. The Church has governing structures which are designed to serve the unity and mission of the Church. Select from the circles below, the list that represents the order of this structure.
18. **Who am I?** I arrived in Australia in 1835. I was the first Catholic Bishop in Australia. I organised the Church into regions called dioceses, so priests could respond easily to the needs of the community. I was appointed the first Archbishop of Sydney. I am

A. Fr John Terry.
B. Fr James Dixon.
C. Fr Jeremiah O’Flynn.
D. Fr John Bede Polding.

19. **Who am I?** I give life and help to all of creation. I am the power of God who inspires good works in all people. Pentecost celebrates my coming. I am the

A. Good Shepherd.
B. Holy Spirit.
C. Father.
D. Son.

20. **Who am I?** I answered God's call to go and teach the people of Ireland. I used a shamrock to explain the Trinity. One of Australia's oldest Catholic churches in Sydney is named after me. I am

A. St John Vianney.
B. St Ignatius.
C. St John Bosco.
D. St Patrick.
Catholics believe that during the Mass, the gifts of bread and wine are changed into the Body and Blood of Jesus. This takes place during the
A offertory.
B blessing.
C consecration.
D sign of peace.

Read the following prayer and answer the question below.

Merciful Jesus,

Peter asked you, “How many times should I forgive? Seven times?”

You replied, “Not seven times, but, seventy-seven times.”

Jesus your mercy is abundant even with my faults and failings.

I am sorry for the times I find it difficult to forgive my friends and family.

Help me to remember that I am capable of compassion and love.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen

This prayer is a prayer of
A sorrow.
B praise.
C petition.
D thanksgiving.
Read the following and answer the question below.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and life everlasting. Amen.

This statement on Christian teaching is found in the
A Nicene Creed.
B Apostles’ Creed.
C Preface of Saints.
D Renewal of Baptismal Promises.

Gifts of the Holy Spirit given to us in Baptism include
A joy, peace and mercy.
B faith, hope and charity.
C generosity, joy and kindness.
D wisdom, understanding and knowledge.

A parable is a
A religious song of the Hebrew people, addressed to God as a prayer.
B letter written to the Romans, by Paul, teaching what it means to be a Christian.
C teaching of Jesus that challenges the listener to understand situations in a new or different way.
D story about people’s experience of God’s activity in their lives, both individually and as a community.
The Church honours Saints with special prayers. Below is an example of one of these prayers.

Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
Saint Michael,
Holy Angels of God,
Saint John the Baptist,
Saint Peter and Saint Paul,
Saint Andrew,

This is an example of a
A creed.
B litany.
C collect.
D blessing.

Which circle below has the words in the correct order to complete this sentence?

During the Liturgy of the Eucharist, vessels are used to hold the bread and wine which are changed into the Body and Blood of Jesus. The _____ 1 _____ holds the bread and the _____ 2 _____ holds the wine.

A 1. paten 
   2. chalice
B 1. cross 
   2. corporal
C 1. pyx 
   2. monstrance
D 1. thurible 
   2. cruet
The Easter Triduum begins at the
A  Easter Vigil.
B  Chrism Mass.
C  Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper.
D  Celebration of the Passion of the Lord.

What is the name of Mary's song of praise to God?
A  The Magnificat
B  The Hail Mary
C  Regina Coeli
D  Hail, Holy Queen

Read the following Scripture passage and answer the question below.

I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me. You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. (Deuteronomy 5:6-8)

In this Scripture passage, Moses reminds the people of Israel that God commanded them to
A  respect all human life.
B  preserve the name of God.
C  worship and serve God only.
D  represent the truth in relationships.
The Catholic Church has three rites of the Sacrament of Penance. Each rite has a special emphasis. The First Rite of Reconciliation is

A. an individual celebration where we meet the priest privately to receive the Eucharist and absolution.
B. an individual celebration where we meet the priest privately to confess and receive absolution.
C. a communal celebration where we gather to receive the Eucharist, then individually meet with the priest to receive absolution.
D. a communal celebration reserved for rare occasions when people gather together to confess and receive absolution as a group.

As Catholics, we should be guided in our moral decisions by

A. the ideas of political leaders.
B. information on television.
C. what our friends think.
D. the teachings of the Church.

Which one of the following occurs during the Service of Light in the Easter Vigil?

A. The fire is blessed and the Paschal candle is lit.
B. The baptismal water is blessed and people are baptised.
C. The readings are proclaimed to remind us of God’s love and promises.
D. The people renew their baptismal promises and are blessed with water.

The book containing all the readings for Mass is called the

A. Book of Blessings.
B. Roman Missal.
C. Sacramentary.
D. Lectionary.
Today there are many Maronites, Melkites and Chaldeans living in Australia. These groups belong to the

A Northern Catholic Churches.
B Southern Catholic Churches.
C Eastern Catholic Churches.
D Western Catholic Churches.

Read the following Scripture passage and answer the question below.

While they were talking about this, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.” They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, “Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.” And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, “Have you anything here to eat?” They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. (Luke 24:36-43)

In reading the Scripture accounts of the appearances of the Risen Jesus, Christians learn how the disciples and followers of Jesus

A grew in their faith and found new hope.
B escaped persecution because of their beliefs.
C spoke in different languages to spread the Good News.
D failed to believe in the life, death and Resurrection of Jesus.
Read the following words of Pope Francis and then answer the question.

“In the end, everything has been entrusted to our protection, and all of us are responsible for it. Be protectors of God’s gifts!”

These words remind us about the importance of

A stewardship.
B discipleship.
C ownership.
D fellowship.

The Angelus is a prayer that recalls the events of the

A Transfiguration.
B Assumption.
C Ascension.
D Annunciation.

Important events in the lives of Jesus and Mary are meditated upon in the praying of the Rosary. These events are grouped together as Mysteries. The images below show the

A Joyful Mysteries.
B Luminous Mysteries.
C Sorrowful Mysteries.
D Glorious Mysteries.
In the Sacrament of Holy Orders, the bishop anoints the hands of a newly ordained priest with the
A  Oil of Catechumens.
B  Oil of Chrism.
C  Oil of the Sick.
D  Oil of Service.

Use the map to answer questions 41 and 42.

Below is a map of Palestine in the time of Jesus. What is the name of the geographical feature labelled with an arrow? ( )

A  Sea of Galilee
B  Dead Sea
C  Nile River
D  Jordan River
42. Which biblical character went to the area around this location, calling people to repent of their sins?
   A  John the Baptist
   B  James the Apostle
   C  John the Evangelist
   D  Jonah the Prophet

43. Select the option from the table below that identifies the location for each event named in the life of Jesus.

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<th>Where was Jesus born?</th>
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<th>Where did Jesus turn water into wine?</th>
<th>Where did Jesus heal blind Bartimaeus?</th>
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44. The readings of the Sunday Mass have a three-year cycle. Each liturgical year focuses on a particular Gospel. The Gospel for this year is the
   A  Gospel of Matthew.
   B  Gospel of Mark.
   D  Gospel of John.
The Scripture passage is an account of
A  the Day of Pentecost.
B  the Ascension.
C  Holy Saturday.
D  Easter.

As a sign of reverence and devotion during the Good Friday Liturgy, people often kiss or touch the cross. This is called
A  veneration.
B  exposition.
C  benediction.
D  devotion.
The pictures below show some of the events of the traditional Stations of the Cross. Which is the correct order of these events?

1. Veronica wipes the face of Jesus.
2. Jesus falls the first time.
3. Jesus meets his mother.
4. Simon of Cyrene helps Jesus carry the cross.

A  4, 2, 1, 3
B  1, 4, 2, 3
C  2, 3, 4, 1
D  3, 1, 2, 4
Which circle below has the words in the correct order to complete this sentence?

At the end of Mass on Holy Thursday evening, the priest carries the consecrated **1**, which have not been used, to the **2**. This is to get the church ready for **3**, when the Church is left bare.

A 1. water  
   2. tabernacle  
   3. Easter Saturday

B 1. hosts  
   2. altar of repose  
   3. Good Friday

C 1. bread  
   2. sacristy  
   3. Easter Sunday

D 1. wine  
   2. sanctuary  
   3. Palm Sunday

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Read the following statement and answer the question below.

This was Pope John Paul II’s message to young people on the 15th World Youth Day in 2000:

God calls us to be his: he wants us all to be saints.
Dear young people, may it be your holy ambition to be holy, as He is holy…. Young people of every continent, do not be afraid to be the saints of the new millennium!

Pope John Paul II encouraged young people to be
A faithful and pray for the intercession of the Saints.  
B strong and work towards canonisation.  
C righteous and critically examine the actions of others.  
D courageous and live lives of love and service.
One of the Pharisees asked Jesus to eat with him, and he went into the Pharisee’s house and took his place at the table. And a woman in the city, who was a sinner, having learned that he was eating in the Pharisee’s house, brought an alabaster jar of ointment. She stood behind him at his feet, weeping, and began to bathe his feet with her tears and to dry them with her hair. Then she continued kissing his feet and anointing them with the ointment. Now when the Pharisee who had invited him saw it, he said to himself, “If this man were a prophet, he would have known who and what kind of woman this is who is touching him—that she is a sinner.” (Luke 7:36–39)

In this Scripture passage, Jesus models
A the gift of freedom of choice given to us by God.
B making decisions based on the Mosaic purity laws.
C responding to others respectfully and with compassion.
D maintaining customs and rituals associated with banquets.

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