



CLASS VII

FINAL-TERM EXAMINATION-2024

ANSWER KEY

1. CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER (10 x 0.5 = 5marks)

1. Under whose leadership was the selection of a replacement for Judas made?
(a. **Peter**, b. James c. John)
2. Which king did Haman serve as prime minister?
(a. Nebuchadnezzar **b. Ahasuerus** c. Cyrus)
3. When does the Holy church celebrate the feast of Simeon Desthuno?
(a. August 22 b. June 30 c. **July 17**)
4. How did Cornelius come to know about Peter?
(a. **Through a vision**, b. Through a book c. Through a friend)
5. Where did the incident of the miraculous fishing take place?
(a. Shore of River Jordan, **b Shore Sea of Tiberias**, c. Shore of River Nile)
6. In which part of the church is the cross, representing the dead body of the Lord, entombed on Good Friday?
(a. Courtyard, b. Haikala c. **Sepulchre**)
7. Why was Satan unable to touch Job?
(a. **Firm faith in God** b. Wealth and Prosperity c. Self -Justification)
8. Where was Mor Aprem born?
(a. Siz **b. Nizeeben**, c. Malattia)
9. Whom did Jesus authorize to pay tax on behalf of Him?
(a. James b. John c. **Peter**)
10. Where do the intermittent periodic prayers and marriage ceremonies are held?
(a. **Chancel** b. Alter c. Portico)



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II. FILL IN THE BLANKS

(5 x 1 = 5 marks)

1. The Holy church remembers **Mor Aprem** who was being called the harp of the Holy Ghost; in the 5th Thubden (diptych).
2. "By no means, Lord; for I have never eaten anything that is **profane** or unclean."
3. Angels of God, Moses, and Elijah had appeared to **Simeon**.
4. **Holy Eucharist** which is the spiritual food that He gives 153 big fish signifies the
5. various races in the world.
6. Solomon built the house of the Lord in accordance with the resemblance shown by the Lord, to Moses on **Mount Sinai**.

III. MATCH THE FOLLOWING

(5 x 0.5 = 2.5 marks)

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| 1. Sin of Job | A. The strength of the church (5) |
| 2. Making dough | B. Authority given to Peter (4) |
| 3. Esthanoye | C. Self- Justification (1) |
| 4. Keys of Heaven | D. Bezgaza room (2) |
| 5. The unbroken net | E Ascetics on the pillar. (3) |

IV. STATE TRUE or FALSE

(5 x 1 = 5 marks)

1. Mor Aprem was the interpreter of all parts of the holy book from the book of Genesis to Revelations. **True**
2. When Job was convinced, he admitted his mistake and prayed for his friends. **True**
3. The "Pureem feast" is being celebrated by the Jews on the 10th day of Adar **False**
4. Wherever the Israelites erected their tent, they erected the Tabernacle also. **True**
5. Cornelius was a tax collector. **False**

V. WHO SAID TO WHOM

(5 x 1 = 5 marks)

1. "Come and have breakfast."

Jesus to disciples

2. "Do not think that in the king's palace you will escape any more than all the other Jews."

Mordecai to Esther

3. "Feed my sheep."

Jesus said to Simon.



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4. "Do you still persist in your integrity? Curse God, and die."

Job's wife to Job

5. "What God has made clean, you must not call profane"

God (voice) to Simon

VI. SHORT NOTES

(5 x 1.5 = 7.5 marks)

1. "When we act in obedience to the command of Jesus, blessings will be in abundance" Justify this statement with an example.
 - a. One day after the resurrection of Jesus, the disciples were sailing into the sea of Tiberias. But, **they could not catch anything** even though they had worked the whole night. (0.5)
 - b. In the morning Jesus appeared there. When they cast the net as **directed by Jesus**, they got to fish in **large quantities**. The **presence of Jesus gave them success**. (0.5) *(note: this point is a must)*
 - c. The incident reveals that when we **act in obedience to the command of Jesus, blessings will be in abundance**. (0.5)
2. Write down the three questions that Jesus asked Peter and the replies given thereto? (0.5 mark to each point)
 - a. Jesus asked, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?"
Peter said, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you."
Jesus said to Peter: "Feed my lambs."
 - b. Jesus asked again, "Do you love me?"
Peter repeated, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you."
Jesus said to Peter: "Tend my sheep."
 - c. Jesus asked for the third time, "Do you love me?"
Peter was grieved and said, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you."
Jesus said to Peter: "Feed my sheep."
3. Who received the anointing of the Holy Spirit before being baptized? When do they receive it and what does it symbolize? (0.5 mark each)
 - a. Cornelius and their allies received the anointing of the Holy Spirit before being baptized.
 - b. They received the anointing of the Holy Spirit while Peter was preaching at Cornelius' house
 - c. It symbolizes God's willingness to accept Gentiles to the church.



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4. Why did Simon decide to start a monastery life?

In his boyhood, Simeon was a shepherd. He had a **vision while grazing his sheep**. (0.5 mark)

He saw in that vision that he was **led to a huge mountain, building an altar, and to the place where the body of Timothy, the disciple of St Paul the apostle** was kept and thereafter, entering the house of God. Therefore Simon started life in the monastery. (1 mark)

5. What was the reason for Haman's hostility towards Mordecai?

Haman wanted that all except the king should kneel down before him, in respect. As they were afraid of Haman, all people, **except Mordecai kneeled accordingly**. (0.75 mark)

Mordecai said that he could kneel down and worship only God. Haman was angry at this and developed hostility towards Mordecai. (0.75 mark)

VII. SHORT NOTES

(Answer any TWO)

(2 x 2.5 = 5marks)

1. What were the reasons behind Job's wife's hatred towards God, and how did Job respond to her in the face of his suffering?

- Job's wife could not **withstand the sufferings that Job, a righteous man and devotee of God, had to suffer**. (0.5 mark)
- Job lost his wealth, and his children, and was lying in ashes with foul-smelling sores. . (0.25 mark)
- Despite all these, seeing his faith in God, his wife became terrified and filled with hatred, both towards him and God. (0.25 mark)
- She hated Job and hated God and told Job, **"Do you still persist in your integrity? Curse God, and die."** However, Job responded by saying, **"You speak as any foolish woman would speak. Shall we receive the good at the hand of God, and not receive the bad?"**(0.75)
- Job did not sin or speak against God through all this, and **he advised his wife that we should praise the Lord during both good and bad times**. (0.75)

2. What were the significant occasions during Jesus Public Ministry when he gave special prominence to Peter? Provide 5 occasions. (0.5 marks for each point)

During his public ministry, Jesus gave prominence to Peter. Peter was included:-

1. When the daughter of Yairos was raised.
2. At the time of transfiguration.
3. At the time of prayer in Gethsemane when three disciples were taken with him.
4. When two disciples were sent to prepare the Passover.



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5. It was Peter, whom the Lord authorized to pay tax on behalf of Him.

6. He gave Peter the responsibility of strengthening the brethren's disciples after His departure.

3. **What are the three main sections of the temple in Jerusalem, and how do they compare to the structure of our churches? Also, what items were present in the ark of the covenant, and what do they symbolize in the Sanctuary (Madbaha) of our churches?**

In the early days, the Christian churches were built imitating the temple of the Lord built by Solomon. Churches were built in the east-west direction.

- a. The temple of the Lord in Jerusalem, has **three important parts** - the **Oracle (outer court)**, **inner court (Sanctuary)**, and the **holiest place**. Similarly, our churches also have three parts. They are **Prakaram, Haikala (inside the fence), and Sanctuary (Madbaha)** (1 mark)
- b. There was the **golden chest containing manna, tablets of covenant- the budded stick of Aaron in the ark of covenant**; likewise in the Sanctuary (Madbaha) there is the **Holy Qurbana- In The Place Of Manna; Evangelion (Gospel) Book- in the place of tablets of covenant, the cross of victory of our Lord- in the place of budded stick of Aaron and candles burning in the place of Cherubim covering the seat of mercy.** (1.5 mark)

4. **Write the qualities of nature of St Ephraim?**

- a. St. Ephraim was celibate and was an ascetic.
- b. His main duties were prayer, meditation, and writing books.
- c. Mor Ephraim had been sleeping on the floor and his food was bread of barley and leafy vegetables and he drank only water.
- d. Presuming that he would not be alive till the next morning he had been praying from dusk till dawn.
- e. Considered himself an unholy person, he desired that he was not to be buried inside the church because he was not eligible to be in holy places.