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# GCSE (9–1) Religious Studies

J625/01 Christianity

Beliefs and teachings & Practices

**Monday 14 May 2018 – Afternoon**

**Time allowed: 1 hour**



**You must have:**

- the OCR 12-page Answer Booklet (OCR12 sent with general stationery)

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Write your answers in the Answer Booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.
- Do **not** write in the barcodes.

## INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **63**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [ ].
- Spelling, punctuation and grammar and the use of specialist terminology (SPaG) will be assessed in questions marked with a pencil (✎). 3 marks can be awarded for SPaG.
- Quality of extended response will be assessed in questions marked with an asterisk (\*).
- This document consists of **2** pages.

Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 (a) Give **three** ways in which the local church can support family life. [3]
- (b) What do Christians mean when they say that Jesus is their Lord? [3]
- (c) Describe **one** reason why sacraments are important to some Christians. [3]
- (d) Explain how a pilgrimage to Jerusalem might benefit a Christian spiritually. [6]
- (e) 'Jesus' teaching in the Sermon on the Mount is too hard to follow.'

Discuss this statement. In your answer, you should:

- Analyse and evaluate the importance of points of view, referring to common and divergent views within Christianity
- Refer to sources of wisdom and authority. [15]

 Spelling, punctuation and grammar [3]

- 2 (a) Describe what Advent means to some Christians. [3]
- (b) Describe the role of the serpent in the story of the Fall. [3]
- (c) What do Christians mean when they say that God is omniscient? [3]
- (d) Explain why Christians differ in their understanding of the need for salvation. [6]
- (e)\* 'Prayer is the most important part of any church service.'

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- Refer to sources of wisdom and authority. [15]

**END OF QUESTION PAPER**

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