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# Religious Studies (Specification A) Religious Studies (Specification A) (Short Course)

405003

## Unit 3 Roman Catholicism

Wednesday 13 May 2015 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

### For this paper you must have:

- an insert containing Part B questions (enclosed).

### Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **five** questions.  
Part A Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided in this booklet.  
Part B Answer **either** Question B5 **or** Question B6. Write your answer to **either** Question B5 **or** Question B6 on pages 12 to 20 in this booklet.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this booklet. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.
- If you use any additional sheets, tie them securely to the back of this booklet.
- Do **not** write on the insert. Any work on the insert will **not** be marked.
- Do **not** place the insert into the answer booklet at the end of the examination.

### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 76.
- Four of these marks are for Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (**SPaG**) which will be assessed in Part B. These marks are shown below the mark allocation for Questions B5 and B6.
- You will be marked on your ability to use good English, to organise information clearly and to use specialist vocabulary where appropriate.



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**Part A**

Answer **all** questions in this part in the spaces provided.

**A1 Sacraments of Initiation**

Look at the photograph. It shows a rite of passage.



**A1 (a)** Explain briefly what is meant by a rite of passage.

**[2 marks]**

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**A1 (b)** Describe briefly the role of a godparent in the Roman Catholic ceremony of infant baptism.

**[2 marks]**

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**A2****Festivals**

Look at the photograph. It shows an Epiphany procession in Africa.

**A2 (a)**

Explain briefly why Epiphany is important to some Christians.

**[2 marks]**

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**A2 (b)** Outline what a Roman Catholic priest **says** and **does** when he uses the ashes during an Ash Wednesday service.

**[3 marks]**

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**A2 (c)** Explain how some Christians observe Lent.

**[3 marks]**

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'For Roman Catholics, worship on Good Friday should be joyful.'

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**A3****Worship**

Look at the photograph. It shows a statue of St. Anthony.



**A3 (a)** 'Statues of saints do not help Roman Catholics to worship.'

What do you think? Explain your opinion.

**[3 marks]**

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**A3 (b)** Explain how Roman Catholics might follow the example of Mary in their lives.

**[4 marks]**

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**A3 (c)** Explain the impact of public worship on the lives of Roman Catholics.

**[3 marks]**

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**A3 (d)** 'The Our Father is said so often that it has lost its importance'.

What do you think? Explain your opinion.

**[3 marks]**

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**Turn over for the next question**

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**A4 The Eucharist**

Look at the photographs. They show an Orthodox and a Roman Catholic Eucharist.



**A4 (a)** Give another name for 'the Eucharist'.

**[1 mark]**

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**A4 (b)** Outline **two** differences between the celebration of the Orthodox Eucharist and the celebration of the Roman Catholic Eucharist.

**[4 marks]**

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**Second difference** .....

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Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer, showing that you have thought about more than one point of view.

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**Part B**

Answer **either** Question **B5** or Question **B6**, which are printed on the insert.

Write your answer to the question you have chosen on **pages 12 to 20**.

Write the number of the question you have chosen in the box below, e.g. **B5**.

Write the question number at the start of each part of your answer, e.g. **B5(a)**.

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