



**Catechetical Centre
Diocese of Mananthavady
First Semester Examination 2023-24**

**Time -hrs
Part 1 - 60
Part 2-20**

Class VIII

Part 1

Find out the answers from the brackets and write

5X1=5

1. Who is the promised son of Abraham?
(Loth, Isaac, Israel)
2. 'I am the God of your father'. To whom God told this?
(Abraham, Noah, Moses)
3. "There is no one who is righteous, not even one". Who quote this?
(St.Paul, St.Peter, St.John)
4. Which book in the Bible explains the priests' anointing?
(Amos, Leviticus, Exodus)
5. "In the last days God will pour out His spirit on all flesh". Whose prophecy is this?
(Jeremia, Elijah, Joel)

Fill the blanks with suitable answer

5X1=5

6.is the edifice built on Jesus Christ by the Holy Spirit.
7. Saul was educated by.....
8. Jesus was born in the tribe of
9.is the noblest of all worships.
10. Salvation is not due to our merit but by.....

Write one word answers

5X1=5

11. Which name is given to Simon by Jesus?
12. The sacrament by which one enters into the fellowship of the Church.
13. Who are anointed and led by the Holy Spirit?
14. What the word Ecclesia means?
15. Whom is given as the helper to Moses by God?

Answer in one or two sentences

7X2=14

16. How Abraham responded to God's call?
17. Why prophets are sent from time to time?
18. How Jesus began his public life?
19. Why we are called as the temple of God?
20. Why the people of Israel were called together?
21. What consists in the experience of God?
22. "Brothers, what should we do"? What answer given by Peter to the people when they asked this?

Answer in three or four sentences

4X4= 16

23. How Jesus ensures his constant presence in the Church?
24. What is the message of Sharing in Jesus' life and teaching?
25. How the Church becomes the body of Christ?
26. Which are the fruits of the Holy Spirit distributed among the believers?
Why they are given?

Write note:

1X5=5

27. How the Christians become the salt of the earth and light of the world?

Write an essay from the 2 questions given below

1X10=10

28. Church the body of Christ has 'sharing' as its basic nature. Explain
(Hints: The teaching of the Early Church, The Hope of Ressurrection, The Eucharistic sacrifice, importance of Charitable deeds)

OR

The priesthood of the believers is the sharing of the priesthood of Jesus. Explain.
(Hints: The Priesthood of Jesus Christ, We are priestly people, The Holy Qurbana: the noblest of all worships, The Ministerial priesthood)

Part II

Write short answers (Nos . 29- 31)

3X1=3

29. Who found the cross of Christ?
30. Who is the father of western monasticism?
31. Who is the father of Church history?
32. Explain the four areas of instructions to families which are given by St.Chavara. **4**
33. Write a short note on 'the saint of Ars'. **3**
34. Write two sentences which you byhearted from the gospel of St.Mark with
the reference of chapter and verse **3**
35. Write the marks of the true Church. **4**
36. Write the evangelical counsels. **3**