

S4 CRE WORKSHOP QUESTIONS 2018

1. (a) How has the mass media influenced the modern society? (133), (001)
(b) What lessons do Christians learn from Abraham about change? (134), (002)
2. (a) Give the disadvantages of work in African Traditional society. (135), (003)
(b) How is the government of Uganda curbing the problem of unemployment? (136), (004)
3. (a) Why do people set aside time for leisure? (137), (005)
(b) Show contributions made by European missionaries to Africa in the field of leisure. (138), (005)
4. (a) In what ways did the early church Christians promote peace and harmony in the community? (139), (006)
(b) How did God exercise justice to the people of the Old Testament? (140), (007)
5. (a) Give evidence from the New testament showing that "authority means service" (141), (008)
(b) In what ways does leadership in African Traditional society differ from that in our modern society today? (142), (009)
6. (a) In what ways did traditional African show commitment to their ancestors? (143), (010)
(b) Explain how missionaries in Africa expressed their loyalty to God. (144), (011)
7. (a) With help of examples explain the causes of unhappiness in the Old Testament. (145), (012)
(b) In what ways does the Old Testament understanding of happiness differ from the Christian understanding? (146), (013)
8. (a) How did traditional African society prepare its members for unending life? (147), (014)
(b) Give similarities between traditional African society and the New Testament understanding of life after death. (148), (015)
9. (a) Explain evils arising from people's search for success. (149), (016)
(b) What success did Jesus attain for his followers through the suffering and death on the cross? (150), (017)
10. (a) Why was having many children a source of pride in African Traditional society? (151), (018)
(b) Give solutions to causes of conflict between parents and children today. (152), (019)
11. (a) In what ways do some women in Uganda today show misunderstanding in the aspect of a women emancipation? (153), (020)
(b) How did early church Christians treat women in their community? (154)
12. (a) Why was payment of bride wealth much valued in African traditional society? (155), (021)
(b) Give the New Testament teaching on marriage. (156), (022)
13. (a) Why is baptism essential to a Christian? (157), (023)
(b) In what ways did the following people search for God?
(i) Mother Thereza of Calcutta, (158), (023)
(ii) St Francis of Assisi (159), (024)

14. (a) In what ways did people evade God in Church History? (160), (025)
(b) Why was Jesus rejected by the Jews in his time? (161), (026)
15. (a) How were prophets involved in the affairs of their society in the Old Testament? (162), (027)
(b) Point out some of the Traditional African customs and practices which have been accepted in the Christian faith (163), (028)
16. (a) How has money changed people's life in society today? (164), (029)
(b) What problems do adults face in trying to guide the young people today? (165), (030)
17. (a) Explain the problems that Ugandans workers are facing as a result of corruption. (166), (031)
(b) What is the biblical teaching about work? (167), (032)
18. (a) Give the importance of resting after work in modern society. (168), (033)
(b) What was the importance of Sabbath to the Israelites? (169), (034)
19. (a) Explain the common injustices experienced by the youth in Uganda today. (170), (035)
(b) What can Christians do to reduce injustice in Uganda? (171), (036)
20. (a) In what ways have some church leaders failed to offer services to people in Uganda today? (172), (037)
(b) Show how St Francis of Assisi and Tobby Kizza provided service to their people. (173), (038)
21. (a) In what ways did the Uganda Martyrs demonstrate their loyalty to God? (174), (039)
(b) Using examples, show how man has become disloyal to God today. (175), (040)
22. (a) Explain the moments of happiness in the modern society. (176), (041)
(b) In what ways did Christians in the church history achieve happiness? (177), (042)
23. Explain the Christian practices which show that there is life after death. (178), (043)
24. (a) Why are the Uganda Martyrs recognized as successful people? (179), (044)
(b) In what ways Job a successful man? (180), (045)
25. (a) What are the causes of domestic violence in Uganda today? (181), (046)
(b) As a Christian, suggest solutions to the problem of domestic violence in your communities. (182), (047)
26. (a) Show the ways women were discriminated against in African traditional societies. (183)
(b) What areas in the bible show that man and woman are equal? (184), (048)
27. (a) Why are many adults un married today? (185), (049)
(b) Give the biblical teaching about marriage. (186), (050)
28. (a) Giving examples from church history show how Christians searched for God. (187), (051)
(b) Give the similarities and differences between Christian and traditional African ways of searching for God. (188), (052)

29. (a) How has the church today involved itself in the world affairs? (189), (053)
 (b) Advise Christians who evade God today. (190), (054)
30. (a) How has the church today involved itself in the world affairs? (191), (055)
 (b) Outline the problems which Christians face in their efforts to show love to fellow men. (192), (056)
 (c) Suggest ways in which a church can get involved in the community around it. (193), (057)
 (d) Describe the ways in which Christians demonstrate their faith in society. (194), (058)
31. (a) Explain the main changes brought about by the outbreak of HIV/AIDs pandemic in your society. (195), (059)
 (b) Show how the traditional Africans prepared for and reacted to change? (196), (060)
32. (a) "In Africa, a visitor was welcomed and given best dishes on the first day, but on the next day was given a hoe to accompany the host in the garden" Give reasons to defend the above attitude. (197), (061)
 (b) What contributions did the craft guilds make towards work in church history? (198), (062)
33. (a) "No money, no leisure". In reference to this statement, explain the disadvantages of commercializing leisure? (199), (063)
 (b) What was the importance of Sabbath to the Israelites? (200), (064)
34. (a) Give categories of people who were disadvantaged in the African traditional society. (201), (065)
 (b) How did African traditional leaders promote justice in their societies? (202), (066)
35. (a) How did one acquire a position of leadership in the traditional African society? (203), (067)
 (b) What were the weaknesses of African Traditional leaders? (204), (068)
36. (a) What are the conflicting loyalties that a Christian politician may face? (205), (069)
 (b) Giving specific examples from the bible show how Jehovah expressed loyalty to the Jews throughout their history. (206), (070)
37. (a) Explain how the eating of the forbidden fruit resulted into man's unhappiness. (207), (071)
 (b) Outline the various ways in which St Augustine achieved happiness. (208), (072)
38. (a) Explain the wrong teachings that developed about life after in the history of the church. (209), (073)
 (b) In what ways does the belief in eternal life influence Christian living today? (210), (078)
39. (a) Why do some people fail to achieve their goals of life? (211), (079)
 (b) "The church is a successful institution in Uganda today" Why this is so? (212), (080)
40. (a) Many families are breaking up today" What are the effects of this problem on the family members? (213), (081)
 (b) How can the New Testament teaching help family members today to live in a good relationship? (214), (082)

41. (a) In what ways were women inferior to men in the traditional African society? (215), (083)
 (b) How the contribution being made by the church in raising the position of a girl-child. (216), (084)
42. Mr Opio is a wedded man with a family of two children. Mrs Opio is her faithful wife. However, Mr Opio secretly sees another woman, with whom he has an affair.
 (a) What dangers does Mr Opio's behavior pose to their marriage? (217), (085)
 (b) How can the Christian teaching help marriage partners to stabilize their marriage? (218), (086)
43. (a) Give reasons for the increasing search for God in Uganda today. (219), (087)
 (b) How did the following people search for God?
 (i) Robert de Nobili (220), (088)
 (ii) Mathew Ricci (221), (089)
44. (a) Why did the Israelites doubt God after reaching the Promised Land? (222), (090)
 (b) As a Christian how can you advise people not to turn away from God? (223), (091)
45. (a) What is the role of a Christian in politics? (224), (092)
 (b) In what ways can a Christian student practice his/her Christian faith? (225), (093)
46. (a) Explain the changes the Abraham experienced after his call. (226), (094)
 (b) What does Abraham's experience teach us about God? (227), (095)
47. (a) Show the advantages and disadvantages of the traditional African ideas about work. (228), (096)
 (b) Explain the good works done by the church today. (229), (097)
48. (a) How did leisure time benefit the traditional Africans? (230), (098)
 (b) Explain the Old Testament teaching about leisure. (231), (099)
49. (a) Why have injustices persisted in Uganda? (232), (100)
 (b) As a Christian suggest solutions to the injustice in the Ugandan society. (233), (101)
50. (a) Explain the ways in which political leaders exercise their authority today.
 (b) Identify the services offered by the following;
 (i) Bishop Shanahan of Southern Nigeria (234), (102)
 (ii) St Francis of Assisi (235), (103)
51. (a) With examples show the ways in which the early Ugandan Christian converts expressed their loyalty to God. (236), (104)
 (b) How did God express his loyalty to his chosen people? (237), (105)
52. (a) How has the government of Uganda helped people to attain happiness? (238), (106)
 (b) With examples, explain the Old Testament understanding of happiness. (239), (107)
53. (a) Why is death a threatening section in Uganda today? (240), (108)
 (b) Explain the ways in which a Christian can prepare for life after death. (241), (109)

- Why are Christians in disagreement with some of the ways in which some Ugandans attain success today?
- (b) Explain the New Testament teaching that can help Ugandans to attain their happiness. (243),(111) (242), (110)
55. (a) Why are many Ugandan families characterized with instabilities? (244), (112)
 (b) What can the church do to guard against family instability? (245), (113)
56. (a) In what ways are women discriminated against in Uganda today? (246), (114)
 (b) Explain the biblical ideas that support the equality of men and women. (247), (115)
57. (a) Why is divorce more common today than it was in traditional African societies? (248),(116)
 (b) Explain the circumstances under which divorce was allowed in Traditional African societies. (249), (117)
58. (a) Why did the Traditional Africans search for God? (250), (118)
 (b) In which ways is the traditional African search different from the Christian search for God? (251), (119)
59. (a) Why is child Kidnapping an evasion of God? (252), (120)
 (b) What has the church done to have a God fearing community? (253), (121)
60. (a) Explain Moses' contribution to the lives of the people. (254), (122)
 (b) How have Ugandan religious leaders lived in Moses' footsteps? (255), (123)
61. (a) What role has money played in changing the society today? (256), (124)
 (b) How has the church been affected as a result of the use of money in our society? (257), (125)
62. (a) Why do some Ugandans prefer working abroad? (258), (126)
 (b) What are the true values of work according to the bible? (259), (127)
63. (a) Of what importance was leisure in Traditional African society? (260), (128)
 (b) How can the teaching of Jesus Christ improve on the African attitude to leisure? (261), (129)
64. (a) What are the causes of massive kidnaps in Uganda today? (262), (130)
 (b) Explain how justice can be maintained in Uganda. (263), (131)
65. (a) What services did the following Ugandan contemporary religious leaders render to their ministry?
 (i) Archbishop Livingstone Mpalandyi Nkoyoyo (264), (132)
 (ii) Cardinal Emmanuel Nsubuga. (265)
- (b) How did Moses present himself as a good leader during his time? (266)
 (b) What would happen if a person became disloyal to God in African Traditional society? (267)
 (b) How did the early Christians show loyalty to their communities? (268)
67. (a) In what ways does the African traditional society' teaching on happiness differ from that of the Christian teachings? (269)
 (b) What is Jesus' teaching about happiness? (270)
68. (a) Why is it difficult for Christians today to prepare for life after here? (271)
 (b) From your New Testament knowledge explain the belief that death is not the end of life. (272)
69. (a) Identify some of the successes of Uganda inter-religious council (UIRC) (273)
 (b) Show ways how the Ten Commandments can be a guide to success today. (274)
70. (a) Why is single parenting on increase today? (275)
 (b) What is the Bible teaching on family life? (276)
71. (a) How is your society discriminating women today? (277)
 (b) Show occasions in the Bible which indicates that man and woman are meant to be equal. (278)
72. (a) Why do most people today prefer customary marriage? (279)
 (b) Why does Christianity condemn polygamy? (280)
73. (a) What is the importance of rituals to a traditional African? (281)
 (b) Explain ways in which people search for God in the Old Testament. (282)
74. (a) Explain the ways in which God was evaded in African Traditional society. (283)
 (b) Show how people in Church history evaded God. (284)
75. (a) Identify problems church leaders face in trying to be politicians. (285)
 (b) What lessons can young people learn from our religious political leaders? (286)
76. (a) What are the causes of unhappiness to the people of Uganda today? (287)
 (b) Explain the occasions of unhappiness in the Old Testament. (288)
77. (a) In what ways did the African Traditional society show that the dead remained a recognized group of people in the family? (289)
 (b) Give the differences between the Christian and traditional African ways of preparing for life after death. (290)
78. (a) What is the Old Testament teaching about success? (291)
 (b) Why do Christians regard Jesus as a successful person? (292)
79. (a) Why is there increased family instability in Uganda today? (293)
 (b) What is the New Testament teaching about family life? (294)
80. (a) Show the ways in which formal education has reduced inequality between boys and girls in Uganda today. (295)
 (b) What areas in the Old Testament indicate that man and woman are equal? (296)
81. (a) In what ways were traditional African marriages kept stable? (297)
 (b) Why does the church encourage one man and one woman marriage relationship? (298)
82. (a) What changes in Uganda experiencing due to introduction of multiparty politics today? (299)
 (b) How can a Christian use the bible teaching to help overcome challenges caused by multiparty politics in Uganda? (300)

83. "Will my education buy me a job I want"? (Geoffrey Chapman, Christian living today book 1 page 35)
- (a) How does education prepare young people for better jobs? (300)
 - (b) Explain the contributions made by Christian missionaries in the field of education during church history. (301)
84. (a) Show the ways in which leisure was interwoven with work in traditional African society. (302)
- (b) In what ways did the Israelites spend their leisure time in the Old Testament? (303)
85. (a) Why is there increasing kidnapping of people in Uganda today? (304)
- (b) Explain the ways in which society can help to overcome this rampant rise of kidnapping today. (305)
86. (a) In what ways was authority misused by leaders in traditional African society? (306)
- (b) How did Brother Tobby Kizza of Uganda and Apindi Ezekiel of Kenya serve their communities? (307)
87. (a) How did the Traditional Africans show loyalty to their ancestors? (308)
- (b) Why did the Jews become disloyal to Jesus during the New Testament times? (309)
88. (a) Explain how the following searched for God in the church history;
- (i) St Augustine of Hippo (310)
 - (ii) Clement of Alexandria. (311)
- (b) In what ways did God manifest his divine presence among the Israelites? (312)
89. (a) Why are many people in Uganda today less interested in religion? (313)
- (b) What is the church doing to bring people back to God? (314)
90. (a) With examples, show that Christians in Uganda today are actively involved in their society (315)
- (b) How did Jesus' followers get involved in their community affairs after his resurrection? (316)

223/1 CRE DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. (a) Explain the changes that have caused increased immorality in Uganda today.
(b) What changes does Jesus require of those who would like to be his followers?
2. (a) What are the causes of unemployment in Uganda today?
(b) What was Jesus' teaching about work in the parable of the talents?
3. (a) What leisure activities did St Augustine condemn?
(b) If St Augustine came to Uganda, what leisure activities would he condemn and why?
4. (a) Give the injustices that were common in African traditional society.
(b) How has the government of Uganda tried to eradicate the injustices mentioned above?
5. (a) In what ways do some church leaders misuse their authority today?
(b) Show the ways in which Jesus was an exemplary leader.
6. (a) With reference to Genesis 3, explain how man lost happiness.
(b) In what ways did Jesus restore his happiness?
7. (a) How did traditional African society prepare their people for unending life?
(b) In which ways has the belief in life after death influenced the behavior of Christians?
8. (a) What was the measure of successful living in traditional Africa?
(b) Why are Ugandan Martyrs often referred to as successful Christians?
9. (a) What are the changes that have taken place in African family patterns today?
(b) How can the church help to bring families together in Uganda today.
10. (a) Explain the sex inequalities experienced in African past.
(b) What efforts did Christian missionaries make to bridge these inequalities?
11. (a) Why were polygamous marriages so popular in traditional African societies?
(b) What is the teaching of the bible about marriage relationships?
12. (a) Explain the various ways in which people are searching for God in Uganda today.
(b) What were the main points contained in Peters' speech on the day of Pentecost (Acts 2:14)
13. (a) Explain why the modern world seems to be less interested in religion.
(b) What evidence is there in the church history to show that people evaded God?
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30. (a) What are the effects of the rural electrification programme done by the NRM government in Uganda today?
 (b) Show how prophets were agents of change in old testament.
31. (a) Of what importance was communal work in traditional Africa?
 (b) Why is Jesus referred to as a good worker?
32. (a) Give reasons for the continuous abuse of leisure today.
 (b) Show how leisure was abused in the early church.
33. (a) Briefly explain how methods of delivering justice in the African traditional society could yield in to more justices.
 (b) Identify problems faced by agents of justice today.
34. (a) Give reasons why government services are becoming scarce today.
 (b) How did God serve the Israelites?
35. (a) Give reasons why some Ugandans are disloyal to the Ugandan government.
 (b) Give cases of disloyalty traced from the early church
36. (a) How are members of parliament helping their electorates attain contentment in Uganda today?
 (b) Trace cases of discontentment from the old testament
37. (a) Describe the traditional burial rituals done in the traditional Africa.
 (b) How does the new testament confirm that eternity is a reality?
38. (a) What are the causes of failure?
 (b) Why is Jesus referred to as a triumphant person in the New Testament?
39. (a) Explain why family patterns are changing today?
 (b) What is the New Testament understanding of family life?

40. (a) Why do women advocate for equality?
 (b) How can the church help women achieve the equality they yearn for?
41. (a) What circumstances was divorce allowed in traditional Africa?
 (b) What does the bible teach about monogamy?
42. (a) Give the similarities between African religion and Christianity.
 (b) How did the prophets help the Israelites seek for Yahweh?
43. (a) Briefly explain why man creates his own gods today?
 (b) Why was Jesus rejected by his own people?
44. (a) Give cases where the church is involved in the political affairs of your country
 (b) Identify incidents where God was involved in the affairs of Israel.