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Religious Studies

Assessment Unit AS 1

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An Introduction to the
Gospel of Luke



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FRIDAY 19 MAY, AFTERNOON

TIME

1 hour 20 minutes.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.

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Complete in black ink only. **Do not write with a gel pen.**

Answer **one** question from Section A and **one** question from Section B.

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The total mark for this paper is 100.

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Section A

Answer **one** question from this section

- 1 (a) With particular reference to the parables of the Kingdom, explain the purpose and meaning of parables. [25]
- (b) “The miracles as acted parables were a more effective method of teaching the Gospel message.”
- Comment on this claim. Justify your answer. [25]
- 2 (a) Give an account of how Jesus’ teachings to the disciples prepared them for their role and mission. [25]
- (b) “The demands of discipleship were challenging for the disciples of Jesus.”
- Assess this claim. Justify your answer. [25]



Section B

Answer **one** question from this section

- 3 (a) With reference to the text, examine the internal evidence for the authorship of Luke's Gospel. [25]

- (b) "Sacred texts always have a positive influence on the lives of religious believers."

With reference to other aspects of human experience, consider to what extent this quotation is true. Justify your answer. [25]

- 4 (a) "The Jewish attitude to the Sabbath was very different to that of Jesus."

With reference to textual examples, discuss this statement. [25]

- (b) With reference to other aspects of human experience, explore the claim that religious divisions can be both positive and negative. Justify your answer. [25]

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