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Time: 90 Minutes Maximum Marks: 100

Section 1 – Multiple Choice. Select the most appropriate response for the following questions. Circle the letter of the correct response. (25 x 1 =25 points Total)

1. God made ___________ a prophet, priest and judge
   A. Joseph
   B. Samuel
   C. Abraham
   D. David

2. Four friends carried a paralyzed man to a house in where to see Jesus?
   A. Jerusalem
   B. Capernaum
   C. Canaan
   D. Samaria

3. Which of the following disciples of Jesus Christ who was not martyred?
   A. Peter
   B. John
   C. James
   D. Judas Iscariot

4. Pesach is a Hebrew word meaning what?
   A. Blessing
   B. Qurbana
   C. Origin
   D. Passover

5. Which prophet helped commander Naaman to get cured his leprosy?
6. Jonah set out to flee to ______________ city from the presence of the Lord.
   A. Nineveh  B. Sodom  C. Joppa  D. Tarshish

7. Who was the first of the disciples of Jesus to be martyred for the cause of Jesus?
   A. Andrew  B. James  C. Peter  D. Thomas

8. Jesus was baptized (by John) at:
   A. Sea of Galilee  B. River Jordan  C. River Abana  D. River Parapar

9. Samuel’s parents, Hannah and Elkanah lived in a small town called?
   A. Bethlehem  B. Shilo  C. Joppa  D. Ramah

10. Name the son of Zebedee who left everything and followed Jesus?
    A. James  B. Thomas  C. Andrew  D. Philip

11. Which disciple of Jesus was also called as “Cephas”?
    A. Andrew  B. Simon  C. John  D. Thomas

12. Naaman was the commander of the Syrian army of the king of ____________?
    A. Israel  B. Moab  C. Judah  D. Aram

13. Samuel’s mother’s name was Hannah means ________________?
    A. Blessed one  B. Grace  C. Princess  D. Laughter

14. Jonah was the son of ____________?
    A. Abraham  B. Amittai  C. David  D. Joshua

15. Israelites came to ______________ where there were twelve springs of water and seventy palm trees.
    A. Shur  B. Sinai  C. Elim
16. Abraham’s servant from Damascus.
   A. Isaac       B. Eliezer
   C. Lot         D. Esau

17. ______________ was on the eastern façade of the temple which is a symbol of the nation of Israel.
   A. Olive Tree       B. Golden Palm
   C. Golden Vine      D. Grapes

18. Book of Revelation is written by
   A. Mark       B. Luke
   C. Peter      D. John

19. Who introduced Jesus to Andrew?
   A. James       B. Simon
   C. Philip      D. John

20. The Hebrew verb ‘believe’ and ______________ come from the same root word.
   A. Mercy       B. Love
   C. Faith       D. Amen

21. Jesus met Zacchaeus, the tax-collector at:
   A. Jerusalem   B. Jericho
   C. Capernaum   D. Galilee

22. Sarai got a new name from God called Sarah, which means ____________
   A. Princess    B. Laughter
   C. Bitter      D. Joy

23. The last six of the 10 commandments focus on our relationship with ____________
   A. Parents    B. God
   C. Others     D. The church

24. In the Sermon of the Mount, Jesus sat on a hill that rose above the city of ____________ and
    taught his disciples
   A. Capernaum   B. Judea
   C. Elim        D. Damascus

25. ____________ is the process of incorporating an individual into the body of Christ and
    a new world comes into being in the life of an individual.
   A. Marriage    B. Holy Communion
   C. Baptism     D. Confession
Section 2 - Short Answers: Answer Any (4) out of Six the following Questions. Answers should be brief and to the point. (4 x 5 = 20 Total Points)

1. Discuss the following as it relates to the journey of Israelites through the wilderness led by Moses

   What is Manna?  1 pt.
   What were the instructions the Israelites were given on how to gather Manna?  4 pts.

2. State the characteristics Jesus saw in the four friends who brought the paralytic to him?

3. State any five qualities that Andrew had in relation to ministry with Jesus?

4. Describe the background of Passover Festival and its significance? (2 points)
   What are the three components of the ordinance of Passover God gave through Moses? (3 points)

5. The parable of the Prodigal Son or the Lost Son is told in five major steps. What are the five major steps?

6. Discuss Baptism of Jesus - Who Baptized Jesus? (1) What happened when Jesus got baptized? (2)
   Give any two theological implications of baptism (2)
Section 3 - Memory Verses (Complete any Five (5) out of 7 the following Bible verses. (5 x 5 = 25 Total Points)

1. “I called to the LORD - _______________________ my voice”. Jonah 2:2


4. I, I am He __________________________ - sins. Isaiah 43:25

5. In the same way, let your ______________________ heaven. Mathew 5:16

6. Jesus said to her, “I am _____________________Do you believe this?” John 11:25-26

7. Listen! I ____________________________ with me. Rev. 3:20
Section 4 - The Mar Thoma Church: Our Foundation and Vision. Circle the most appropriate response for the following question/statement. (10 x 1=10 Total points)

1. What is liturgy?
   A. Set of prayers
   B. An act of the congregation
   C. Both A & B
   D. None of the above

2. Which of the following is a dominical sacrament?
   A. Confirmation
   B. Ordination
   C. Marriage
   D. Unction

3. What is not a part of ante communion?
   A. Reading of the Gospel
   B. Prayer of confession
   C. Reading of the Epistle
   D. Nicene creed

4. What is the matter used in Confirmation?
   A. Water
   B. Mooron
   C. Oil
   D. Wine

5. “Receiving forgiveness of sins” is the intention of which sacrament?
   A. Baptism
   B. Confirmation
   C. Marriage
   D. Confession

6. In our church understanding, marriage is
   A. Contract between husband and wife
   B. An understanding between husband and wife
   C. A covenant between husband and wife
   D. An agreement between husband and wife
7. The prayer to Holy Spirit to sanctify the bread and wine is known as
   A. prayer of Epiclesis
   B. prayer of confession
   C. prayer of intercession
   D. unison prayer

8. In the Mar Thoma liturgy, during the _________ we remember ordained clergies, Evangelists, believers, forefathers, and state leaders.
   A. Anamnesis  B. Anti-communion  
   A. Epiclesis  D. Intercession

9. The three steps of Calvary Cross represent faith, hope and _____________
   A. Freedom
   B. Forgiveness
   C. Love
   D. Salvation

10. _____________ is the Sacrament of anointing the sick with holy oil
    A. Baptism
    B. Confirmation
    C. Unction
    D. Ordination

Section 5 – Mar Thoma History, Short Answer. Answer any TWO of the following question. Answer should be brief and to the point. (2 x 5 = 10 points)

1. What is ordination? 1 pt.
What are the main components of the ordination service? 4 pts.

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2. What are the two parts in the order of service in a Christian marriage? Briefly explain
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3. Define “Sacraments”. (1pt) What are the significances of sacraments to the believers? (2pt)
Name the Dominical and Optional sacraments of the Mar Thoma Church (2pt)
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Section 6 – Essay. Choose any ONE of the following two topics to write an essay in 150 words. (Total 10 points)

1. Define parable? 1 pt. (Introduction)
   How did Jesus use parables? 1 pt.
   Briefly describe the parable of the sower and the seeds 2 pts.
   How did Jesus relate the above parable to man (each occurrence)? 4 pts.
   How do we prepare ourselves to apply the above and bear fruit for the Kingdom of God? 2 pts. (Conclusion)

2. Introduction: Why did God give the Israelites the Ten Commandments? Where and to whom was the Ten Commandments given? (2 pts)
   State Ten Commandments. Explain each one of them briefly. (6 pts)
   Conclusion: How can we apply these commandments in our present-day lives? (2 pts)