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**PAPER 1**

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**ELERAI PRE – MOCK EXAMINATIONS - 2016**

***Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E)***

***CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PAPER 1***

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**INSTRUCTIONS**:

 Answer any **five** questions in the answer booklet provided.

*This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.*

1. (a) State seven reasons why man is considered as the climax of God’s creation. (7mks)

 (b) Explain eight ways in which the bible translations has facilitated the spread of Christianity in Kenya (8mks)

 (c) List five causes of death in traditional African society. (5mks)

 2. (a) Outline four characteristics of God’s covenant with Abraham. (8mks)

 (b) Describe God’s covenant with Abraham Gen. 15:9-19. (7mks)

 (c) How do Christians express their faith in God? (5mks)

3. (a) State five specific commandments broken by King Ahab and the royal family. (5mks)

 (b) Give seven factors which contributed to schism between Judah and Israel. (7mks)

 (c) Explain ways in which modern political leaders have failed their subjects. (8mks)

4. (a) Identify six ways in which Yahweh called the Old Testament prophets to His service. (6mks)

 (b) Explain eight reasons why Jeremiah is popularly referred to as “the suffering prophet.” (8mks)

 (c) How can Jeremiah’s theme of suffering be of help to suffering Christians today? (6mks)

5. (a) Describe how Nehemiah dedicated the wall of Jerusalem. (10mks)

 (b) State five circumstances that caused Nehemiah to call for final reforms in Judah. (5mks)

 (c) Show five ways in which the life and teachings of Nehemiah are related to those of Jesus Christ. (5mks)

6. (a) State eight traditional African practices which demonstrated their belief in life after death. (8mks)

 (b) Outline the significance of dowry in the traditional African Society. (7mks)

 (c) Identify five African customs that undermine the dignity of women in the society today. (5mks)