DECEMBER 2023 **P/ID 1022/PCR1B**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. What is Canon?

2. List out some of the non-canonical books.

3. What is Vulgate?

4. Who are the authors of the Bible?

5. Why does the catholic version of the Old Testament differ from the protestant version?

6. Name the early prophets who prophesied during the united monarchy of Israel.

7. What were the reasons for the division of the United Kingdom of Israel?

8. Comment on the pact of Hittites.

9. What are Plagues?

10. Name the two exiles presented in the Old Testament.

11. Write the second covenant of creation?

12. List out the constant enemies of Israel.

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. Write a short essay on the title "Bible as the Christian Scripture".

14. Write a paragraph on the biblical languages.

15. Comment on the Historical Critical Method of biblical criticism.

16. Present how the formation of the Old Testament took place.

17. Discuss the theme "Centrality of the Poor and oppressed".

18. Write a short essay on the establishment of the Kingdoms in Israel.

19. Write a short note on Samuel as Prophet, Priest and Judge.

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Write an essay on the significant historical events of the Old Testament.

21. Present the geography of Palestine of the Old Testament.

22. Write an essay on the promise and the fulfilment in the Old Testament.

23. "People of Israel, a chosen community of God" : Substantiate this statement along with their understanding of God.

24. Give an overview of the salvation history of the Old Testament.

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