MAY 2025 **P/ID 1039/PCR4V**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. Define popular culture.

2. Define *jaati*.

3. What do you understand by the term inculturation?

4. Who is Joseph Constantine Beschi?

5. Write a short note on the abolition of child marriage.

6. Who is Raja Ram Mohan Roy?

7. Who founded *Dravida Mahajana Sabha* and when?

8. What do you understand by Sati?

9. Name the three missionaries who were addressed as "Serampore Trio?"

10. What do you understand by the term "mass conversion?"

11. List down various factors on which Christian higher education has focused on.

12. Who was called as the "reincarnated form of Lord Jesus" and why?

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. Write a brief essay on the relationship between cultures, traditions and social relations in the Indian context.

14. Write a brief essay on the contributions of Christianity to the Indian culture in terms of modern education.

15. Write a brief essay on the Satnami movement.

16. Highlight the role of Brahmo Samaj in Indian renaissance

17. How did Robert de Nobili approach caste?

18. What was the remark of B.R. Ambedkar on the missionary works of Christians with respect to the approach towards caste practice and Dalits?

19. Who is Arun Shourie and what was his critique on Christianity?

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Write an essay on culture and 'habitus' along with the dynamics of the caste system.

21. Describe the contributions of Bartholomew Ziegenbaig, G.U. Pope, and Robert Caldwell to the Indian culture and society.

22. Write an essay on Christian contributions to the Indian heritage.

23. How did the Protestant Christians approach the practice caste?

24. Write an essay on the educational ministry of Christianity in India highlighting various factors it is focused on.

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