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Unit 2 Test

The Sacraments of Christian Initiation Part I

Multiple Choice

Write the letter of the best or most appropriate answer in the space provided before each question.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1. Which of the following inducts us into the life of Christ and the life of the Church?

1. the Sacraments of Investiture
2. the Sacraments of Instigation
3. the Sacraments of Initiation
4. the Sacraments of Instatement

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. How does a person interested in being baptized in the Catholic Church begin the process?

1. by becoming an inquirer
2. by becoming an initiate
3. by becoming an inductee
4. by becoming an oblate

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3. What is another name for the Enrollment of Names?

1. Lenten Agreement
2. Rite of Election
3. Easter Vigil
4. Acceptance of Christ

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 4. Which of the following comes from the Greek word that means “to plunge”?

1. Inundation
2. Baptism
3. Chrism
4. Inoculation

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 5. When is the Rite of Christian Initiation most appropriately celebrated?

1. Advent
2. Christmas
3. Pentecost
4. the Easter Vigil

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 6. Which of the following is an unbaptized person who is preparing for full initiation   
into the Catholic Church by engaging in formal study, reflection, and prayer?

1. catechumen
2. canticle
3. cantor
4. catechist

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 7. What is the symbol of the Risen Christ in our midst?

1. crucifix
2. ambo
3. baptismal font
4. Paschal candle

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 8. What does Baptism free us from?

1. the need for Christ
2. Original Sin
3. the temptation to sin
4. bonds of Heaven

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 9. Which of the following is *not* one of the Sacraments of Christian Initiation?

1. Baptism
2. Matrimony
3. Confirmation
4. the Eucharist

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 10. Which of the following is the child anointed with on the chest and crown of their   
head during Baptism?

1. Sacred Chrism
2. Sacred Cross
3. Sacred Charism
4. Sacred Covenant

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 11. What is the theological term for the gifts of Baptism?

1. anointing
2. charisms
3. sagacity
4. effects

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 12. Where did John the Baptist baptize Jesus?

1. Sea of Galilee
2. Jordan River
3. Red Sea
4. Font of Life

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 13. Who prophesied of a renewal of life and a new covenant with God, even   
while the Israelites were exiled in Babylon?

1. Micah
2. Isaiah
3. Ezekiel
4. Ishmael

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 14. After Jesus’ Baptism, in what form did the Holy Spirit descend upon him?

1. dove
2. flame
3. angel
4. light

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 15. What is the apostolic preaching and authority handed on through the laying   
on of hands in the Sacrament of Holy Orders?

1. Matrimony
2. The bishop’s miter
3. Apostolic Succession
4. Tradition

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 16. What is the term for the guide each candidate for Confirmation must seek out (typically one   
of the candidate’s godparents)?

1. guardian
2. partner
3. confirmand
4. sponsor

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 17. In which sacrament are we sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit?

1. Confirmation
2. Baptism
3. Matrimony
4. Anointing of the Sick

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 18. How does the Holy Spirit sustain us throughout our lives?

1. through the seven Apostles of the Holy Spirit
2. through the seven temptations of the Holy Spirit
3. through the seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit
4. through the seven promises of the Holy Spirit

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 19. Which of the following completes, or seals, the grace of Baptism?

1. Holy Orders
2. an act of faith
3. sacrifice
4. Confirmation

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20. Which of the following is a way Jesus refers to the Holy Spirit in the New Testament?

1. the promise of the Father
2. the power from on high
3. the Advocate
4. all of the above

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 21. Which of the following are the two rites the Church follows for Baptism?

1. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Rite of Priestly Orders
2. *Order of Baptism of Children* and Rite of Fathers of the Church
3. Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and Rite of Penance and Reconciliation
4. *Order of Baptism of Children* and Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 22. In the Gospel of John, who says that they saw the Spirit come down like a dove,   
rest on Jesus, and remain upon him, and then testified that Jesus is the Son of God?

1. Mary, the mother of Jesus
2. John, the Apostle of Jesus
3. Nicodemus
4. John the Baptist

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 23. What makes up the Period of Inquiry?

1. Period of Evangelization and Precatechumenate
2. Period of Prayer and Fasting
3. Period of Questions and Responses
4. Period of Petition and Acceptance

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 24. Anyone can baptize if they follow which of the following essential elements?

1. studying the Bible and following the words of Jesus
2. saying prayers and calling on the Holy Spirit alone
3. pouring water and baptizing in the name of the Holy Trinity
4. pouring water and praying for the baptized

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 25. What do we receive in Baptism that enables us to believe in God, to hope in him,   
and to love him?

1. sanctifying grace
2. a gift of the Holy Spirit
3. actual grace
4. prayerful credit

Matching

Match the description in column A with the word or phrase in column B by writing the letter of the correct answer in the space provided.

Column A

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 26. The first of the Seven Sacraments.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 27. Rites within the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults that support and strengthen the elect through prayers of intercession and exorcism.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 28. The name given to catechumens after the Rite of Election.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 29. The process by which Christians of all ages are taught the essentials of Christian doctrine and are formed as disciples of Christ.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 30. The name for the priesthood shared by all who are baptized.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 31. Perfumed olive oil consecrated by the bishop that is used for anointing in the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Orders.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 32. A period of catechesis following the reception of the Sacraments of Christian Initiation that aims to more fully initiate people into the mystery of Christ.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 33. A special gift or grace of the Holy Spirit.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 34. The office of bishop is permanent because at ordination, the bishop is marked with this, which is indelible and sacred.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ 35. Through the outpouring of special Gifts of the Holy Spirit, this completes Baptism by sealing the baptized person’s union with Christ and by equipping that person for active participation in the life of the Church.

Column B

mystagogy

Confirmation

Baptism

Sacred Chrism

elect

scrutinies

common priesthood   
of the faithful

charism

character

catechesis

True or False

Circle “T” if the statement is true or “F” if the statement is false. If it is false, correct the statement by crossing out the underlined word or phrase and writing the correct word or phrase in the space provided.

T F 36. We often call the Eucharist the “source and summit \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
of the Christian life”1 (*CCC*, number 1324).

T F 37. The proclamation of the Good News of Jesus Christ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
through word and witness is Baptism.

T F 38. A person interested in being baptized in the Catholic \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
Church begins by becoming a(n) catechumen.

T F 39. The uninterrupted passing on of apostolic preaching \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
and authority from the Apostles directly to all bishops   
is called Apostolic Succession.

T F 40. The candidates renew their baptismal promises when \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
they renounce Satan and sin and profess their faith in God.

Essay

Respond to one of the following prompts in complete sentences.

1. How does the Baptism of Jesus prefigure the Sacrament of Baptism?
2. Briefly explain Confirmation, and the reasons behind it, in the Eastern Churches   
   and the Western (Latin) Church.
3. What are the four stages and three steps in the process of entering the Catholic Church   
   through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults?

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1. *Lumen Gentium* 11.