Unit 4 Preassessment

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1.What does it mean for human beings to be created in the image and likeness   
of God? What implication does this have regarding respect for human life?

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2.What acts in today’s society are considered immoral based on the Fifth   
Commandment’s demand not to kill?

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3. How are we required to be peacemakers in our relationships with others?

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4.What can we do to change societal acceptance of abortion?

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5. What does the Magisterium teach regarding the morality of stem cell research   
and other related issues, such as genetic engineering?

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6. What is the Christian moral response to end-of-life issues, such as euthanasia?

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7. What are the criteria for a just war in Church teaching?

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8. What is the Church teaching on the use of the death penalty?

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9. How does the Fifth Commandment apply to your personal health? How can disregarding   
the Fifth Commandment result in ill health? Be specific in your examples.

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10. Why is sexuality such a precious gift from God, and why is it such a powerful gift?

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11. What are the two primary ends or purposes of sexuality in God’s plan?

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12. What is chastity, and to whom does it apply?

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13. What are some sins against the Sixth and Ninth Commandments that can be   
committed before marriage?

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14. Why is sexual intercourse only morally permitted in marriage—not before nor   
outside of the sacrament?

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15. What are some sins against the Sixth and Ninth Commandments that can be   
committed by married people?

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16.What is the Christian moral response to artificial contraception and artificial   
means of conception?

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