**Ch.4 Multiple Choice Questions**

1. What is discipleship?

1. when you follow Jesus
2. a life expressed into union
3. **a life rooted in Jesus**
4. caring for others and living in harmony

2. What does Jesus teach us in the Parable of the Sower?

1. We should be good people
2. We shouldn’t plant seeds of faith; people often squander them or don’t take them seriously.
3. If we plant seeds of faith, the results are unpredictable.
4. **The way we respond to the Word of God illustrates the kind of person we are.**

3. What did Jesus reveal to Peter, James and John in the Transfiguration of Jesus?

1. **He would have to endure the suffering of the cross in order to enter into glory.**
2. He disclosed his divine glory.
3. That He was indeed the holy one sent by God. The presence of Old Testament figures provides evidence for this.
4. All of the above

4. What is the Paschal Mystery?

1. Christ’s cross and resurrection.
2. **Christ’s work of redemption.**
3. Proclaiming the word.
4. All of the above.

5. What is every celebration of the Eucharist?

1. a time for Catholics to be holy
2. the gathering of God’s people
3. **a memorial of Christ’s Passover**
4. All of the above

6. What mount did Jesus take his disciples to after Gethesemane and the Betrayal of Jesus?

1. Mount of Orchids
2. Golgotha
3. Mount Sinai
4. **Mount of Olives**

7. Why was Jesus charged with treason before Pilate?

1. his disobedience to God
2. **his claim that he is a king**
3. for representing the Jewish faith poorly
4. none of the above

8. The chief priests joined forces with the following people, in their persecution of Jesus.

1. Pharisees
2. Herodians
3. **all of the above**
4. none of the above

9. What are the two challenges to discipleship?

1. wealth and lust
2. **wealth and blindness**
3. blindness and gluttony
4. pride and sloth

10. Christ’s work of redemption in the Paschal mystery include which of the following events?

1. Passion
2. Death
3. Resurrection
4. Ascension
5. **All of the above**

11. Conversion strengthens us to…

1. **understand**
2. be leaders
3. all of the above
4. none of the above

12. When was the Gospel of Mark written?

1. between AD 80 AND AD 90
2. AD 33
3. **between AD 65 and AD 70**
4. d. before AD 60

13. Where was the Gospel of Mark written?

1. Jerusalem
2. Syria
3. Athens
4. **Rome**

14. Who was the Gospel of Mark written for?

1. **Gentile Christians**
2. Jews
3. Greek Christians
4. Roman pagans

15. What major writing techniques are in Mark’s gospel?

1. Alliteration and hyperbole
2. **“Framing” stories and the three-fold pattern**
3. rhyming and the three-fold pattern
4. both a and c

16. Which disciples were present at the Transfiguration?

1. all 12 disciples were present
2. **Peter, James and John**
3. Thomas, Judas and John
4. John and Andrew

17. Who recognized Jesus as the Messiah at his death?

1. King Herod
2. Judas
3. **a Roman soldier**
4. all of the above

18. What did Jesus say the rich man had to do in order to enter heaven?

1. put a camel through the eye of a needle
2. **sell everything he had and then give away the money**
3. help rebuild the temple
4. none of the above

19. The first 4 disciples of Jesus were…

1. John the Baptist, James, Mary Magdalene and Pontius Pilate
2. Mark, Peter, Judas and Mathias
3. James, John the Baptist, Peter and John (brother of James)
4. **Peter, John, Andrew and James**

20. What are the 3 major sections of the Gospel of Mark?

1. **The Galilean Mystery, The Journeys of Jesus, Ministry in Jerusalem**
2. Genealogy, Public Ministry and Messianic Mystery
3. The Last Supper, Betrayal of Jesus and the Crucifixion
4. Entry to Jerusalem, trial before the Sanhedrin and trial before Pilate

21. The Paschal Mystery does not refer to Christ’s

1. Passion
2. **birth**
3. death
4. resurrection

22. What is discipleship?

1. **A life rooted in Jesus and the Church**
2. Understanding and fulfilling God’s will
3. The living transmissions of the teachings of Jesus
4. An effective sign that conveys grace and which established by Jesus

23. What is not an example of Mark’s threefold pattern technique:

1. three seed parables
2. three popular opinions about Jesus
3. **three persons in one God**
4. three denials of Jesus by Peter

24. Which two figures appeared with Jesus in the Transfiguration?

1. David and Joseph
2. Adam and Eve
3. Joshua and Ezekiel
4. **Moses and Elijah**

25. What did everyone mistake John the Baptist for?

1. **The Messiah**
2. Reincarnation of Elijah
3. Satan
4. A Roman spy

26. When was the Gospel according to Mark written?

1. 10 years after the death of Jesus
2. 11 years after the death of Jesus
3. **14 years after the death of Jesus**
4. 13 years after the death of Jesus

 27. Which Gospel is the shortest?

1. Matthew
2. **Mark**
3. Luke
4. John

28. The Gospel of Mark has sometimes been called

1. the Gospel of nonviolence
2. the Gospel of conversion
3. the Gospel of “the way”
4. **all of the above**

29. The baptism of Jesus is recorded in which Gospel(s)?

1. Matthew
2. Mark
3. John
4. **Luke**
5. all of the above

30. The author of Mark’s Gospel emphasized…

1. Jesus’ death
2. **following Jesus is a choice we make**
3. what it means to believe in Jesus
4. the personalities of Jesus and his followers

31. What do the thorns represent in the parable of the sower?

1. people who hear and listen to the word of God.
2. people who don’t hear the word of God.
3. people who hear the word of God but quickly forget it.
4. **people who hear the word of God but become distracted by worldly concerns.**

32. What does the rocky ground represent in the parable?

1. people who hear the word of God and listen to the word of God.
2. people who don’t hear the word of God
3. **people who heard the word of God but quickly forget it**
4. people who hear the word of God but become distracted by worldly concerns