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**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY (AS)
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Religious Studies

Assessment Unit AS 1

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An Introduction to the Gospel of Luke

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FRIDAY 17 JANUARY, MORNING



TIME

1 hour 20 minutes.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number on the Answer Booklet provided.
Answer **one** question from Section A and **one** question from Section B.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 100.

Quality of written communication will be assessed in **all** questions.

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

ADVICE TO CANDIDATES

You are advised to take account of the marks for each question or part question in allocating the available examination time.

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Section A

Answer **one** question from Section A

- 1 (a) With reference to relevant examples from the text, explain any **three** characteristics of Luke's Gospel. [35]
- (b) Comment on the claim that all of Luke's main purposes can be found in his Prologue. Justify your answer. [15]
- 2 (a) Explain the significance of the trials before Pilate and the questioning of Jesus by Herod. [35]
- (b) Explore the view that Pilate was a weak leader. Justify your answer. [15]

Section B

Answer **one** question from Section B

- 3 (a) Give an account of the teaching and significance of the parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector. [35]
- (b) With reference to other aspects of human experience, comment on the claim that religious leaders should give all their possessions to the poor. Justify your answer. [15]
- 4 (a) Describe the types, purposes and characteristics of Jesus' miracles in Luke's Gospel. [35]
- (b) With reference to other aspects of human experience, comment on the view that only those who have faith in God can be healed. Justify your answer. [15]

