

## Mr. Betz Theology 10 Mid-Term Study Guide

### Details:

**Topics:** Jesus Christ, Identity, Development, Faith, Belief, Trust, Christology, Ecclesiology, Soteriology (study of salvation), Nicene Creed, Mother Theresa, St. Ignatius of Loyola, Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Grace, Kingdom of God, Early Christian Community, The Apostle Paul, *Cool Hand Luke*, *Field of Dreams*, St. Thomas Aquinas, Pascal, St. Augustine, Incarnation and the Council of Chalcedon.

**Textbook:** Please refer to your textbook *Understanding Catholic Christianity* as we have covered chapters 1 (Identity & Development), 2 (Faith), 4 (Jesus), 5 (Jesus) and 6 (Church), Also refer to notes taken in class and homework assignments.

**Format:** Matching, True/False, Fill-In, Sequence, Short Answer (4) & Honors Essay (1).

**How To Study:** I would begin by reviewing old quizzes and tests as I have take questions from prior exams for your mid-term. I would also recommend making flashcards for facts, people and terms that you do not know. Study with friends. Arrange a study date, pick two subjects, divide material and teach each other. The best way to learn is to become the “teacher.” Work on term/definition recognition (see it and know it). Finally, I advise you to pay attention to the review days we have this week. Honors students will be asked to lead a final review session on Friday.

### Review Questions

1. Chapter 1 (Identity)- Explain what your life is in the eyes of God.
2. Is it okay to struggle with questions of faith?
3. Explain the difference between gifts and givens.
4. What is identity?
5. What are three developmental tasks of an adolescent?
6. What are six ways that society tries to “answer” our restlessness created by development and the search for meaning in life?
7. What was St. Augustine’s famous line about restlessness?
8. What is revelation?
9. What is faith?
10. What is belief?
11. What is trust?
12. Name the five ways that adolescents grow and change.
13. What is a worldview?
14. What does Genesis 1:26 say and why is it so often quoted by Catholics?
15. What is an atheist?
16. What is an agnostic?
17. What does vocare mean?
18. Give the argument for God’s existence by Blaise Pascal.
19. What are the 5 Proofs for the Existence of God by Aquinas?
20. Summarize the movie *Field of Dreams* and explain how it is a metaphor for our faith journey, vocation, God starting (faith as a response) where we are, and seeing with “eyes of faith.”
21. Summarize the movie *Cool Hand Luke* and explain how it is a allegory for the Christ story.
22. Who is St. Ignatius of Loyola and what did he write?
23. Who is Dietrich Bonhoeffer and what did he write?
24. Who is Mother Theresa and what did she do with her life?

25. Who is St. Augustine and what did he write?
26. Name four ways God reveals God's self.
27. Define Christology.
28. Define Ecclesiology.
29. Define Theology.
30. Define Soteriology.
31. Name the four roles in the early church and which roles were both men/women.
32. What is Pentecost?
33. What is the Ascension?
34. What is the Apostolic Age?
35. What is a martyr?
36. What are epistles and who wrote them?
37. In what city were Christians first called Christians?
38. What does incarnation mean (in=in, carne=flesh)?
39. Name the 8 models of church.
40. What did the Council of Jerusalem decide regarding Gentiles?
41. When did the Roman Emperor, Nero, begin persecuting Christians?
42. Who is Jesus' cousin?
43. Name four specific aspects of the Kingdom of God.
44. What is a High Christology? Gospels associated with it? Focused on?
45. What is a Low Christology? Gospels associated with it? Focused on?
46. Know the basic sequence of Jesus' life from when he was born to when he died.
47. Greek and Latin terms: Christos, Magistra, Vocare, Ekklesia, Koinonia, Philia, Agape, Eros and Credo.
48. Know the Nicene Creed.
49. Be able to describe the early Christian community (as discussed in Acts 4:32-35) to Jesus' message of the Kingdom of God.
50. Define Grace and then describe Dietrich Bonhoeffer's teaching about "cheap grace" and "costly grace."
51. Be able to discuss the three theories of salvation (Ransom, Satisfaction and Expression of Love)?
52. Review the "Goals for Graduates" and be able to write about them (honors).