

# Chapter 25 Quiz

## Sources of Moral Truth

### A. Multiple Choice

Write the letter of the correct answer in the space provided before each question.

- \_\_\_ 1. What is the purpose of moral laws?
- A. to prevent us from living in a chaotic world
  - B. to help us order our lives according to God's plan for us
  - C. to govern the relationships we have with one another and with God
  - D. all of the above
- \_\_\_ 2. Which of the following refers to the Law handed down to Moses on Mount Sinai?
- A. natural law
  - B. the Old Law
  - C. the New Law
  - D. Church law
- \_\_\_ 3. Which of the following refers to the inherent moral law that every human being is born with?
- A. natural law
  - B. the Old Law
  - C. the New Law
  - D. Church law
- \_\_\_ 4. Which of the following refers to the Law of the Gospel, sometimes also called the Law of Love?
- A. natural law
  - B. the Old Law
  - C. the New Law
  - D. Church law
- \_\_\_ 5. Which of the following includes requirements such as doing penance and leading a sacramental life as ways to nourish our moral life?
- A. natural law
  - B. the Old Law
  - C. the New Law
  - D. Church law



- \_\_\_ 6. Why must Catholics listen carefully to what the Pope and bishops say about moral matters?
- A. Catholics who ignore Church teaching will be barred from receiving the Sacraments.
  - B. The Magisterium teaches without error, ensuring that the Church remains faithful to the teaching of the Apostles.
  - C. The Magisterium teaches with absolute certainty in all areas, including scientific truth and civil laws.
  - D. Obeying the teachings of the Magisterium is one of the Commandments.
- \_\_\_ 7. Which of the following is *not* a Precept of the Church?
- A. to follow our bishop's guidance in voting for candidates for public office
  - B. to keep holy the Lord's Day
  - C. to obey the Church's marriage laws
  - D. to join in the Church's missionary spirit and work
- \_\_\_ 8. All of the following statements are true of the Precepts of the Church *except* \_\_\_\_.
- A. that they are the bare minimum we must do to grow in love of God and one another
  - B. that we are not obligated to follow them—they are just recommendations
  - C. that they nourish us to live moral lives
  - D. that they are part of the rich faith tradition of the Church
- \_\_\_ 9. All of the following statements describe infallibility in the Church *except* \_\_\_\_.
- A. that it is a great gift of God to the Church
  - B. that it means we can rely on the Church's teaching as being true
  - C. that every statement of the Pope or any bishop is infallible, including statements about science and politics
  - D. that the gift of infallibility applies to all doctrine that is necessary for our salvation
- \_\_\_ 10. Which of the following summarizes the two Great Commandments given to us by Jesus?
- A. Love God, and keep holy the Lord's Day.
  - B. Love God, and love our neighbor.
  - C. Treat others as we want to be treated.
  - D. Give away all our possessions, and follow Christ.

## B. Short Answer (Optional)

What is the role of conscience in helping us to live a moral life? Describe three ways to form one's conscience.

