

Revision Exercise: CAFOD

- 1 a) What does 'CAFOD' stand for?

- b) The purpose of CAFOD development programmes and projects is to help people help themselves. CAFOD considers the following important when they help organise such projects:
 - i) The project should involve local people to the greatest extent possible. Why?

 - ii) The project should benefit people regardless of race, creed or ideology. Why?

 - iii) The project should be concerned with the causes as well as the conditions of poverty, hunger, disease, ignorance and suffering. Why?

- c) About of a third of CAFOD's income came from *Family Fast Days*. In relation to this, why is fasting an important practice in the Christian life?

- d) CAFOD also exists to raise awareness among people here in the UK. of the *causes* of poverty and injustice in the Third World and of the *steps* to bring about change. Why is this awareness raising important
 - i) for the needy,

 - ii) for those here?

- e) On what type of project does most of CAFOD's money typically go?

POVERTY

2 a) What is *relative* poverty?

b) What is *absolute* poverty?

c) To what type of poverty does CAFOD direct its attention?

3 The following are reasons why the poor are poor. Give a brief explanation for each.

a) Debt

b) Terms of Trade

c) Bad advice from Western agencies

d) Poverty

e) War

f) Corruption