



Study Guide

Anglican Mission in the Americas

Diaconal Exam

Theological Exam

General Biblical Knowledge (be prepared to answer these without any reference materials)

- Books of the Old Testament placed in the following divisions: Pentateuch, History, Poetry/Wisdom Literature, Major Prophets, Minor Prophets
- Books of the New Testament placed in the following divisions: Gospels, History, Pauline Epistles, General Epistles, Apocalyptic
- Be able to identify significant people and events in both the Old and New Testaments by giving a brief description and why they are important. (examples include, but are not limited to: Abraham, Samuel, John the Baptist, Paul, the Flood, the Fall of Jerusalem, the Sermon on the Mount)

Biblical Exegesis (You will have access to a Bible and a Book of Common Prayer for the following)

- Be prepared to be given a passage of scripture which you will need to exegete (explain and interpret) and make relevant applications to a specified group of people.

Theology (You will have access to a Bible and a Book of Common Prayer for the following)

- Be prepared to discuss significant theological ideas (including but not limited to the Trinity, the nature of God, the nature and uniqueness of Jesus Christ, the work of the Holy Spirit, creation, sin, the Great Commission, the Creeds) as they relate to Scripture, reason and the Anglican tradition.

Christian Ethics (You will have access to a Bible and a Book of Common Prayer for the following)

- Have an understanding of the basis for Christian and clergy conduct.
- Be prepared to discuss the Church's role in culture.

Anglican Studies Exam

Practical Ministry

- Understand and describe the orders of deacon, priest and bishop being able to distinguish the function of the individual office as well as their liturgical function.
- Be prepared to answer questions related to practical scenarios that a deacon may face and describe your response. (Including but not limited to: prayer for the sick, pastoral care, spiritual counsel, care for those in need)

Anglican Studies

- Know the general history of the English Reformation and the Church of England including significant people (including but not limited to: Cranmer, Hooker, Jewel, Lewis, etc.)
- Be familiar with Anglican polity and ecclesiology.
- Be familiar with the (39) Articles of Religion.
- Be familiar with the Chicago/Lambeth Quadrilateral.
- Be prepared to discuss the sacraments of Baptism and Eucharist, including the nature of sacraments, the function of each and how they are properly administered.

Liturgy and Worship

- Be familiar with the Book of Common Prayer including its prayer and Eucharistic services, use of the lectionary and special services.
- Be able to lead or function in a service appropriate to your order of ministry.