SYLLABU FOR P.G. DEGREE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION: 2018

Unit-I: INTRODUCTION TO CHRISTIAN STUDIES
  a. Understanding Christian Scriptures
  b. Message of Old Testament
  c. Message of New Testament
  d. Revelation and faith

Unit-II: STUDY OF RELIGIONS
  a. Nature and Scope of Religion
  b. Major Scriptures of World Religions
  c. Major Religions/Common Aspects and Themes
  d. Harmony of Religions and inter-faith dialogue

Unit-III: HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY
  a. Origin of Emergence of Christianity
  b. Christianity in the Middle Ages
  c. The Age of Renaissance and Reform
  d. Modern Age

Unit-IV: HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY IN INDIA
  a. Origin of Christianity in India
  b. The arrival of Portuguese and Centers of Christianity
  c. Christianity in India in the Modern Age
  d. Church in India Vatican II

Unit-V: CHRISTIAN SCRIPTURES [I]
  a. The Bible and God Experience
  b. Old Testament History
  c. The Pentateuch
  d. Wisdom Literature

Unit-VI: PROPHETIC LITERATURE IN BIBLE
  a. General Introduction to Israel’s Prophets
  b. Major Prophets
  c. Minor Prophets
Unit-VII: CHRISTIAN SCRIPTURES [II]
   a. Gospels
   b. Formation of the Gospels
   c. Acts of the Apostles
   d. Epistles

Unit-VIII: CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY AND WORSHIP
   a. Theology of the Church
   b. Worship and Sacraments
   c. Personality of Jesus
   d. Death and Resurrection of Christ

Unit-IX: THE PERSON OF CHRIST
   a. Life and Teachings of Jesus Christ
   b. Jesus and His actions
   c. Personality of Jesus
   d. Death and Resurrection of Christ

Unit-X: CHRISTIAN ETHICS
   a. Fundamental ethics
   b. Marriage and sexuality
   c. Bioethics
   d. Justice