

The Role Of The Church In Medieval Times  
Exam – 25

1. According to Thomas Aquinas, knowledge should be based on

- A.  
faith
- B.  
logic
- C.  
both
- D.  
neither

2. Medieval clergy who wanted to work among the people, depending on them for food and support, would be called a

- A.  
monk
- B.  
nun
- C.  
mendicant
- D.  
archbishop

3. In the early middle ages, St. Benedict started

- A.  
communities of monks
- B.  
the Crusades
- C.  
communities of mendicants
- D.  
pilgrimages to Rome

4. The head of the Roman Catholic church is the

- A.  
archbishop
- B.  
pope
- C.  
cardinal
- D.  
bishop

5. Which of the items below is not representative of gothic architecture?

- A.  
flying buttresses
- B.  
vaulted ceilings
- C.  
friezes
- D.  
height and light
- E.  
gargoyles

6. Which of the following happened first?

- A.  
St. Benedict founded a monastery in Italy.
- B.  
Christianity became the official religion of the Roman Empire.
- C.  
The Crusades led many Christians to fight in the Holy Land.
- D.  
The Roman Empire fell, losing its power and unity.

7. Topics in medieval art tended to be

- A.  
images from mythology
- B.  
stories from the bible
- C.  
heroes and chivalry
- D.  
images of the king

8. The power to separate a person from the church is known as

- A.  
clergy
- B.  
transubstantiation
- C.  
excommunication
- D.  
sanctification

9. A person on a journey to a holy site in order to show penance or receive a special blessing would be known as a

- A.  
pilgrim
- B.  
mendicant
- C.  
crusader
- D.  
monk

10. Which is not something the church might provide to its people?

- A.  
hostel for travellers
- B.  
jobs
- C.  
care for the sick
- D.  
teaching people to read