**Module 2 Quiz**

**Alliance Polity and Pastoral Ethics**

**Name:**

**Date:**

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*Please answer the following questions as fully as possible in a few paragraphs. You will be assessed on your theological understanding which, for each question, should be strongly supported with scripture (just give location) and firmly aligned with Alliance distinctives. Your answers should include the integration of theology into your life and ministry. You are allowed to use any resources to help you.*

When completed:

1. Save a copy for yourself, we recommend you have a file on your computer of all ordination/consecration work.
2. Email to [pathways@metrocma.org](mailto:pathways@metrocma.org).

**QUIZ**

1. Briefly describe your understanding and commitment to constituted authority.
2. In a paragraph or two, please describe your personal ethics, as a leader, for the use of alcohol, tobacco and legalized drugs.
3. State your personal code of conduct for sexual purity.
4. Share your standards of pastoral professionalism as it relates to intellectual integrity, use of social media, and your work ethic.
5. Describe your commitment to high personal and ministry standards of stewardship.
6. Have you read All for Jesus, by Robert Niklaus, in its entirety? What can you apply from this reading to your life and ministry?
7. Have you read the C&MA Manual?

**TRUE/FALSE:**

1. True or False: Every accredited church of the Christian and Missionary Alliance shall adopt and be governed by the same constitution.
2. True or False: The C&MA requires the budget of the church to be approved by the members at the annual meeting.
3. True or False: Pastoral staff members shall be called by the District Superintendent and appointed by the Governance Authority.
4. True or False: A Missions Conference or congregation-wide event for missions mobilization is required to be held every year.
5. True or False: The C&MA Constitution requires that the District be consulted when any property is purchased, sold, exchanged, encumbered or mortgaged.
6. True or False: All financial records shall be examined every three years by at least three persons appointed by the Governance Authority.
7. True or False: Every Official Worker in the Metro District is required to attend District Conference.
8. True or False: The C&MA in the U.S. has three official colleges, one university, and two graduate schools.
9. True or False: Alliance licensed workers may not sanction, bless, conduct, or officially participate in either a civil, religious ceremony, or marriage of persons of the same sex.
10. True or False: All licenses are issued for one year, beginning January 1 of each year and ending December 31. A written explanation of cause will be provided for those circumstances in which renewal is not recommended.
11. True or False: Discipline and Restoration process as outlined in the C&MA Manual is limited to Official Workers and church members only.
12. True or False: According to the Uniform Policy of Discipline and Restoration, the Elders oversee the discipline process for Licensed Pastors in consultation with the District office.
13. True or False: The decision of the Discipline Committee is final.
14. True or False: The District office is to be informed when any discipline process is initiated at the local church.
15. True or False: In all instances of a Licensed Pastor being removed, consultation with the District Superintendent must be made.

**MULTIPLE CHOICE:**

1. According to the C&MA Constitution, which of the following is NOT a qualification of membership:
   1. Confession of faith in Jesus Christ and evidence of regeneration
   2. Acceptance of the Statement of Faith of the C&MA
   3. Full sympathy with the mission and core values of the Christian and Missionary Alliance and cooperation by systematic support of its work
   4. Acceptance of the doctrines of the Lord Jesus Christ as Savior, Sanctifier, Healer and Coming King
2. Who is the Chairman of the Governance Authority?
   1. An Elder duly elected by the membership at the annual meeting
   2. The Senior Pastor shall be the Chairman
   3. The Governance Authority elect its own Chairman
   4. The Senior Pastor, unless he choose not to be the Chairman
3. Which of the following is NOT an option for the Alliance Governance Authority?
   1. One Elder Board
   2. One Governing Board with majority Elders
   3. One Deacon Board
   4. The Governing Board that is answerable to the Elder Board
4. Any member of the pastoral staff may resign from the church by giving due notice of this intention to whom?
   1. The Governance Authority
   2. The District Superintendent
   3. The Congregation
   4. The District Superintendent and the Governance Authority
5. As defined by the C&MA Constitution, which of the following is NOT the responsibility of the Elders?
   1. They are the Committee on Membership
   2. They are the Nominating Committee
   3. They are the Discipline and Restoration Committee
   4. They give spiritual oversight of the church
6. The Manual of the C&MA requires the following to be on the Nominating Committee:
   1. The Senior Pastor, an Elder, and one representative from each standing committee as described in the church bylaws
   2. The Senior Pastor, two members selected by the Governance Authority and two members elected from the church membership
   3. Five Elders appointed by the Governance Authority
   4. The Senior Pastor chooses the Nominating Committee
7. Which of the following is the Board of Directors of the District?
   1. District Executive Committee (DEXCOM)
   2. Licensing Ordination and Consecration Committee (L&O/CC)
   3. District Executive Team
   4. Metro District Board of Trustees
8. According to the Manual, what is the official communications vehicle of the C&MA in the U.S.?
   1. The President’s Video Blog
   2. The Alliance Witness
   3. The Alliance Bulletin Inserts
   4. The Alliance Life
9. Which license is issued as a preparatory license that is intended to provide opportunity for mentoring by experienced pastors, for the development of skills in ministry and church leadership, and demonstration of Christian character for persons who are called to serve the church in a pastoral position?
   1. Church Ministry Worker License
   2. Ordained or Consecrated License
   3. Lay Minister Worker License
   4. Provisional Official Worker License
10. According to Alliance Polity which of the following is NOT a goal of discipline?
    1. Protect the purity of the Church
    2. Guard other Christians from being tempted, misled, divided, or otherwise harmed
    3. To punish the fallen Christian for sin
    4. To honor God by bringing the fallen Christian to repentance
11. Which of the following would NOT be properly filed charges that would warrant an investigation:
    1. The District Superintendent or Pastor brings written charges of sinful behavior against a Licensed Pastor or church member
    2. A husband and wife bring written charges of sinful behavior against someone in the church
    3. A member or Pastor brings written charges against someone accused of sexual misconduct or child/vulnerable adult abuse
    4. Two Licensed Workers or church members bring written charges of sinful behavior against another member or Licensed Pastor