

TOPIC 1: CREATION.

My purpose.

Identifying talents and abilities.

A talent is a natural skill or ability to do something well. Ability is a talent or skill in a particular area.

It is important to identify and use our talents and abilities. This will help us to grow and help others.

Purpose is the reason for which something is done or was created for; purpose is why something exists.

God created each one of us with a purpose.

What we want to do in the future is our plan. Plan helps us to do what God created us for. These plans are our purposes.

The plans that God has for us are His purpose for our lives.

We should live according to God's plan in order to fulfill His purpose for our lives.

The parable of the talents.

- A parable is a simple story used to illustrate a moral or spiritual lesson.
- The parable of the talents is also known as **the parable of the three servants**.
- The first and second servants used their talents well and were rewarded.
- We should use our talents to serve God and others.
- When we use our talents to serve God and others, we fulfill God's purpose in our lives.
- God rewards us when we use our talents well.

Human beings as co-workers with God.

A co-worker is a person who does the same job as another.

Human beings are co-workers with God.

Responsibilities given to human beings by God.

Read Genesis 1:26 and 2:15

- a) Taking care of fish.
- b) Taking care of birds.

- c) Taking care of domestic and wild animals.
- d) Cultivating the land.

Good stewardship of God's creation.

It is important to take care of God's creation. This helps us to live in a clean environment.

My roles at home, school and in church.

These are duties and responsibilities of individuals in a society set up. They include;

- a) Cleaning around the house.
- b) Washing of clothes at home.
- c) Collecting litter in the compound at school.
- d) Wiping of seats before people sit in the church.

It is important that we share duties as this helps us to have unity.

The causes of child labour.

Child labour is work that denies children their childhood, their potential and dignity. It is any work that is against the right of children.

Child rights are freedoms and privileges that children must have.

They are the rights of a child to live free from hunger, abuse, neglect and other cruel conditions.

Child rights include;

- a) The right to life.
- b) The right to health.
- c) The right to education.
- d) The right to play.
- e) The right to protection.
- Some of the causes of child labour are;
 1. Poverty.
 2. Need for cheap labour.
 3. Death of parents.