Questions for Pages 277 – 289

1. Why do Christians practice pilgrimage?
2. What is the Church of the Holy Sepulchre? Why is it significant?
3. What does the cross symbolize in Christianity?
4. What are two other symbols and what do they represent?
5. What was something the early Christians developed? Why is it significant?
6. What form of art originated from the Middle Ages and how was it used within Christianity?
7. What is Christmas? When is it celebrated? How is it celebrated?
8. What is the significance of the Epiphany?
9. What is Lent and when does it take place?
10. What is the holiest week within Christianity? Outline the significant dates and events throughout that week.
11. Why do Christians celebrate the Ascension and Pentecost?
12. What are saints? How are saints celebrated?
13. What is a sacrament? List how many sacraments there are within the major branches of Christianity.
14. What is the original sin? What do Christians do today to reclaim the soul?
15. What is transubstantiation and what sacrament is it associated with?
16. What is reconciliation?
17. What is the purpose of confirmation or Chrismation?
18. To whom does ordination apply?
19. Describe the sacrament of matrimony.
20. What do the clergy do when anointing the sick or dying?
21. What are the two purposes of Christian funeral?