ABSTRACT

Subject matter: «Semantics of religious texts in pragmatic interpretation»

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Research relevance: The study of texts, namely religious, is of great interest both in terms of the perception of their content, and in terms of performance.

Purpose: to identify the semantic and pragmatic similarities and differences in religious texts written in the Russian and English languages.

Tasks: to present a general theory of religious texts; to highlight their features; to consider some of the Psalms in "Psalter" in the Russian and English languages, to interpret some lexemes and make comparative analysis of some passages of religious texts.

Theoretical and practical significance of the research work lies in the fact that the results of research contribute into the development of issues related to the problem of functioning of religious texts in Russian and in English. The practical significance of the work lies in the fact that the material used in the study and the results made could form the basis for the development of a comparative study of semantics and pragmatics of religious texts in the English and Russian languages.

Results of the research: identification and explanation of the features of religious texts in the Russian and English languages using some of the psalms. All tasks have been solved, the purpose of the study was achieved.