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NTCS501 METHODS IN THE STUDY OF CHRISTIAN ETHICS

END OF FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do NOT write your name on the answer sheet.
- 2. Answer One Question
- 3. Credit will be given for neat, well-written and lucid work.

- 1. The doctrine of creation is relevant to the foundation of Christian ethics in the context of Christian morality.
 - a. Expose your understanding of the above statement;

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- b. Explain how the status of Adam and Eve before the fall relates to human moral accountability; [30]
- c. With reference to b) above, discuss how the results of sin affects the moral understanding and behaviour of humanity. [50]
- 2. Virtuous and wrong behaviour are the focus of Christian ethics:
 - a. With the aid of examples, discuss the necessity of understanding Christian virtuous;
 - b. In the light of a) above, examine the essence of love, honesty, and justice in the Christian practice of virtuous life. [60]
- 3. The word of God, retirement, work, rest and vocation are some of the key areas that relate to ethical human life in the society:
 - a. Analyse the assumptions underlying the above assertion;

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- b. Discuss the significance of God's word in the formation of Christian ethics to both individual and society; [30]
- A. With the use of relevant illustrations, examine the ethical significance of work, rest, vocations, and retirement to humanity. [50]

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