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**NTCS 301 CHURCH AND SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION**

**END OF FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

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**DURATION: 3 HOURS**

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***INSTRUCTIONS***

1. Answer **ANY THREE (3) questions**.
2. Start each question on a new page in your booklet.
3. All questions carry equal marks.
4. Credit will be awarded for legible, logical, systematic and neat presentation.
5. Do not repeat material.

**INSTRUCTION: Answer ANY THREE (3) questions.**

**Question 1**

Analyze the comprehensive community development approach and its importance for social change in your community. **[100 marks]**

**Question 2**

Using valid examples, assess the holistic community development approach and highlight its significance for social transformation in your community. **[100 marks]**

**Question 3**

Using illustrations, demonstrate how Jesus's care for the poor and the needy during his ministry is applicable within the context of modern social changes in your community. **[100 marks]**

**Question 4**

With the aid of examples, critically examine how the church's role in peace-building, mediation, and reconciliation is crucial for the development of your community. **[100 marks]**

**Question 5**

Discuss the importance of using grassroots development organizations for the development of your community. **[100 marks]**

**Question 6**

Critically evaluate the mission of the church in the social transformation of your community. **[100 marks]**

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