



COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, THEOLOGY, HUMANITIES & EDUCATION

DIV1101 HOMILETICS

END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This paper contains **TWO** sections (Section A and Section B).
 2. Section A is **COMPULSORY**.
 3. Answer **ANY TWO (2) questions** from Section B.
 4. Start each question on a new page in your booklet.
 5. Credit will be awarded for logical, systematic and neat presentation
 6. Do not repeat material.
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SECTION A: COMPULSORY

INSTRUCTION: *Answer Question 1.*

Question 1

- a. Discuss why the biblical text must be interpreted before its message is preached and applied by the preacher
- b. Examine the essence of the transformative theology of preaching in a local church.
[40 mark]

SECTION B

INSTRUCTION: *Answer ANY TWO (2) questions.*

Question 2

Citing practical examples, discuss the significant part played by exegesis and hermeneutics in sermon preparation
[30 marks].

Question 3

Discuss how a preacher can nurture the “inner ear” as quality control for effective sermon design and delivery
[30 marks]

Question 4

Evaluate the relationship between biblical interpretation and homiletics in preparation and preaching the sermon
[30 Marks]

Question 5

Using practical examples, examine the significance of the principle of a “Text-Driven” application in a sermon presentation
[30marks].

Question 6

Evaluate the potential challenges faced in the application of the key principles in a sermon
[30 Marks]

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