



COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, THEOLOGY, HUMANITIES & EDUCATION

MRS 5205 MAJOR THEMES IN THE STUDY OF CHRISTIAN ETHICS

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

The modern reproductive technology and African Traditional solution to childlessness are focused on addressing the problem of childlessness in society:

- a. Examine how modern technology addresses the problem of childlessness
- b. Using Christian ethical teaching on the sanctity of human life, assess the extent to which child disability screening and sex selection before birth can be addressed in modern technological society. **[40 marks]**

SECTION B

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

Question 2

Compare African Christian ethical teaching on polygamy to that of the early missionaries to Africa and the cultural interpretation of Christian marriage from the West. **[30marks]**

Question 3

Analyze Christian ethical concerns regarding euthanasia and infanticide using both theological and moral arguments. **[30 marks]**

Question 4

Discuss whether or not tribalism in contemporary Africa should be understood primarily as a cultural expression of identity or as a moral failing that undermines Christian ethics.

[30 marks]

Question 5

Analyze the applicability of Christian ethical principles such as love, justice, and reconciliation to moral challenges posed by tribalism in African societies.

[30 marks]

Question 6

Examine the intersection of tribalism, political structures, and Christian ethics in Africa.

[30 marks]

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