

CHUKA



UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

RELI 421: CHRISTIAN APPROACH TO CONTEMPORARY ETHICAL ISSUES IN AFRICA

STREAMS: BED (ARTS)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 13/7/2016

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN SECTION A AND ANY TWO IN SECTION B

SECTION A

1. (a) Define the term ethics. [1 mark]
(b) Why do Christians treat conscience as the voice of God? What is your view concerning this? [5 marks]
(c) Why does Aristotle regard moral activities as human par excellence? Do you agree or disagree with him? Explain your view. [9 marks]
2. Explain how the Beatitudes act as a source of Christianethics. [15 marks]

SECTION B

3. Critically examine how the church in Kenya has acted as the salt and light of the society since independence. [20 marks]
4. A university student who has become pregnant as a result of rape from her uncle comes to you for assistance. As a Christian how would you assist her? [20 marks]
5. Recently the world was shocked by the news that Archbishop Desmond Tutu's daughter who is a priest had married her longtime girlfriend. What would be your advice to Tutu's family? How should the church in South Africa respond to this issue? [20 marks]