



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

**END OF TRIMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE BACHELOR OF
THEOLOGY**

APRIL 2026

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: BIBLICAL AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

COURSE CODE: BTH3213

COURSE TITLE: THEOLOGY OF WORK

EXAM DATE: APRIL 2026

TIME ALLOWED: 3HRS

SECTION I: COMPULSORY

Question 1 (10 marks)

In a Nairobi church discipleship class, many participants believe that work is mainly about earning income, while spiritual growth primarily happens through prayer, evangelism, and church activities. Using Scripture, outline the origins of work as vocation and explain how a biblical theology of work can reshape this understanding.

Question 2 (10 marks)

Critically discuss how certain Christian teachings have contributed to a divide between “sacred” and “secular” work. Provide a theological response that affirms the value of everyday economic activity.

SECTION II: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

Question 3 (10 marks)

Critically assess two prevailing perceptions of work in contemporary society. Evaluate them in light of biblical teaching.

Question 4 (10 marks)

Church leaders in Kisumu want to help their congregation integrate faith with daily work, but lack a clear pastoral approach. Develop a pastoral framework for the church to implement that helps believers live out a biblical theology of work.

Question 5 (10 marks)

Using key biblical texts, explain the theological purposes of work and analyze how these challenge modern assumptions about productivity and success.

Question 6 (10 marks)

Provide a pastoral and theological response to the statement: *“Serving God full-time in church ministry is more valuable than working in the marketplace.”*