



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

JANURAY-APRIL 2023 TRIMESTER

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

COURSE CODE: CDC211

COURSE TITLE: CHURCH AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

EXAM DATE:

DURATION: 3 HOURS

TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.**
- **Answer any TWO questions**
- ***ALL PAC University's examination rules and regulations apply***

Question One (20 marks)

- a) Using a relevant example, examine five ways the church can respond to the needy in our society (10 Marks)
- b) Mobilizing Church Members for volunteer work is not easy, as the youth leader of your church, suggest five ways you can encourage your fellow youth to carry out volunteer work (10 Marks)

Question Two (20 Marks)

- a) Examine four reasons why the youth of today leave church and offer a solution for each reason for this behavior (12 Marks)
- b) Identify four social injustices that face our society today and for each suggest how the church can lobby the government to address them (8 Marks)

Question Three (20 Marks)

- a) Suggest five ways the modern churches in our society can be managed effectively (10 Marks)
- b) Explore five practical ways the church as an institution can bear the responsibility of taking care of the environment (10 Marks)

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CDC 211: Church and Community Development

Marking Scheme

Question One (20 marks)

- a) Using an example, examine five ways the church can respond to various needs affecting the society today (10 Marks)

- Taking food stuff to those affected by droughts
- Donating warm clothing to victims of floods
- Organizing for medical camps within church premises for communities members surrounding them
- Mobilizing for their members to give money to support children homes
- Sponsoring needy students in their church sponsored schools

(Any 5 points well examined each 2 marks=10 marks)

- b) Mobilizing Church Members to do volunteer work is not easy, as the youth leader, suggest five ways you can entice your fellow youth to do some voluntary work in your church locality (10 Marks)

- Provide Simple Ways To Connect with them such as goat eating
- Identify where their Passions Lie
- Focus on their strengths
- Give them a common mission
- Create a memorable opportunity with them

(Any 5 points well explained each 2 marks=10 marks)

Question Two (20 Marks)

- a) Discuss four reasons why the youth of today leave the church and offer a solution for each reason (12 Marks)
- The church feels unfriendly to them

- Churches seem overprotective.
- The church seems rigid, traditional and inflexible
- They wrestle with the exclusive nature of Christianity.
- Their church experience to sexuality is often simplistic and judgmental.
- Churches come across as antagonistic to science.

(Any 6 points well discussed each 2 marks=12 marks)

b) Name four social injustices facing our society today and for each explain how the church can lobby the government to address them (8 Marks)

- Extra judicial killings
- Land grabbing
- Child abuse
- Abortion
- Domestic violence
- FGM

(Any 4 points well explained each 2 marks=8 marks)

Question Three (20 Marks)

a) Discuss five different ways the modern churches of today can be effectively managed (10 Marks)

- Have a Church Board Governance
- Have a church constitution
- Have a Church Strategy
- Have a church goal setting
- Budgeting Process
- Managing How Work Gets Done

(Any 5 points well discussed each 2 marks=10 marks)

b) The church as an institution has a responsibility of taking care of the environment, explore five practical ways the church can do this (10 Marks)

- Mobilizing members in tree planting exercise
- Donating water tanks to children home for water harvesting during rainy seasons
- Planting grass and ground cover in the church compound to prevent soil erosion when it rains
- Green building practices when constructing sanctuaries and other church buildings
- Sensitizing members on climate change and how to take care of the environment
- Go paperless in their communication and embrace technology such as email or text messages

(Any 5 points well explored each 2 marks=10 marks)