



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN BIBLE AND THEOLOGY**

JANUARY-APRIL 2019 SEMESTER

CAMPUS: VALLEY ROAD

DEPARTMENT: BIBLICAL & THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

COURSE CODE: THE2123

COURSE TITLE: ECCLESIOLOGY AND ESCHATOLOGY

EXAM DATE: MONDAY 8th APRIL 2019

DURATION: 3 HOURS

TIME: 5:30PM-8:30PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Write your **STUDENT NUMBER** in the Answer Booklet given
- *Write clearly and legibly.*
- This paper has **Six** questions
- Section **A** is **compulsory**
- Answer **ANY TWO** questions in Section B
- *ALL PAC University's examination rules and regulations apply*

SECTION A: Answer ALL questions.

1. The church is an organism. (20 marks)
 - a) Give a definition of the Church based on Acts 15:14. (1 mark)
 - b) Distinguish between the church and the kingdom. (1 mark)
 - c) Distinguish between the visible and the invisible church. (1 mark)
 - d) Describe the birth and foundation of the Church. (2 marks)
 - e) List five conditions of membership in the church. (5 marks)
 - f) Explain briefly the three biblical symbols of the church. (3 marks)
 - g) Name the church ordinances. (3 marks)
 - h) Enumerate the four purposes of the church. (4)
2. Define the following eschatological terms: (10 mark, 1 mark each)
 - a) The second coming of Christ
 - b) The Rapture
 - c) The Tribulation
 - d) The millennium
 - e) Pre-Millennialism
 - f) Post-Millennialism
 - g) Amillennialism
 - h) Pre-Tribulationism
 - i) Mid-Tribulationism
 - j) Post-Tribulationism

SECTION B: Answer ANY TWO questions.

3. The church and Israel seem to be intertwined.
 - a) Evaluate the role of Israel in God's prophetic program. (7 marks)
 - b) Analyze the implications in the concept of Israel and the church. (8marks)
4. Analyze critically the various views on the ordinances of the Lord's supper and water baptism. Give examples to illustrate your answer. (15 marks)
5. The intermediate state is the state of the dead between death and the resurrection. Evaluate the views/theories that have been advanced to explain this state.
 - a) Purgatory
 - b) Spiritism
 - c) Soul-Sleeping
 - d) The Scriptural view
6. Evaluate the following views with regard to the wicked.
 - a) Universalism
 - b) Restorationism
 - c) Second Probationism
 - d) Annihilationism
 - e) The Scriptural View