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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF  
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

**RELI 412: RELIGION AND MODERN THEOLOGICAL TRENDS**

**STREAMS: BED (ARTS) P/T**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 14/04/2020**

**2.30 PM – 4.30 PM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

**Answer All Questions in Section A and any other Two in Section B**

**SECTION A**

1. Make short notes on the following concepts:
  - (i) Social relevance
  - (ii) Ritual efficacy
  - (iii) Contextualization
  - (iv) Incarnation
  - (v) Oikothology [15 marks]
  
2.
  - (i) Explain the mistakes that the early Christian missionaries made in spreading Christianity in Africa. [8 marks]
  
  - (ii) To what extent is African traditional religion useful in spreading new religions like Islam and Christianity in Africa. [7 marks]

**SECTION B**

3. “Jesus is black”, evaluate this statement and show its usefulness in making Christianity relevant in Africa today. [20 marks]
  
4.
  - (i) Discuss how and why the theology of reconstruction suggested by J.N.K Mugambi is useful in building a stable African society today. [15 marks]

(ii) What are the challenges facing this theology. [5 marks]

5. 'Church leaders should leave politics to politicians and concentrate on preaching'.  
Discuss [20 marks]

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