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CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU
DEPARTMENT: TRANSFORMATION CHURCH LEADERSHIP
COURSE CODE: BTCL3333
COURSE TITLE: BIBLE TRANSLATION AND THE CHURCH
EXAM DATE: MONDAY JULY 13TH 2020
TIME: 9:00AM-12:00PM
DURATION: 2 hours

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- This paper contains five questions.
- Answer question **ONE** (Compulsory) and any other **TWO** questions.
- ALL other PAC University Examination Rules and Regulations apply

SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

1. You have been invited to address a congregation on the importance of supporting the ministry of Bible translation.
 - a) Define what Bible translation is all about. (2 marks)
 - b) Explain to them the two approaches to translations. (4 marks)
 - c) Discuss two strengths and two weaknesses of each of the two approaches you have explained in (b) above. (6 marks)
 - d) Discuss four reasons why that congregation needs to be involved in the ministry of Bible translation. (8 marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

2. It is important to pray for the people involved in the ministry of Bible translation. Mention five people involved in a Bible translation project whom you would pray for together with their specific roles. (10 marks)
3. You have been invited to a radio program to respond to the claim that “Bible translations in Africa promote negative ethnicity.” Discuss five responses you would give to or against this claim. (10 marks)
4. Ministers of the gospel are supposed to encourage their congregations to read and meditate on the Word of God on a daily basis. Discuss five barriers that might hinder people from engaging with Scriptures. (10 marks)
5. You have been invited to give a talk entitled “The relationship between Bible translation and the spread of Christianity in Africa.” Discuss five main points that you would highlight in your talk. (10 marks)