



PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

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

JANUARY-APRIL 2017

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: BIBLE AND THEOLOGY

COURSE CODE: BIL2513

COURSE TITLE: Hermeneutics II

EXAM DATE: FRIDAY 7th APRIL 2017

TIME: 9.00AM – 12.00PM

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read all questions carefully before attempting.
- Write your **student number** on the answer booklet provided.
- Answer question **one** and any other **two** questions
- Students are allowed to use unmarked Bibles for this exam
- Every student should ensure his/her handwriting is legible

1. a) Explain what makes the Parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:30-36) a literary work. (10 marks)
b) Discuss the four-phase process of the interpretation/analysis of a parable. (10 marks)
2. a) Discuss any five traits of a heroic narrative. (10 marks)
b) Discuss five features of biblical proverbs. (10 marks)
3. a) What is visionary writing? (2 marks)
b) How can one know what a given symbol means? (8 marks)
c) Discuss any five elements of visionary writings. (10 marks)
4. a) Define biblical satire and point out the four main elements in a literary satire. (10 marks)
b) Discuss the five types of Psalms. (10 marks)
5. Discuss the Bible as a work of literature as well as its literary unity. (20 marks)