PAN AFRICA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY

MAY – AUGUST 2026

CAMPUS:	**Roysambu**
DEPARTMENT:	**Biblical and Theological Studies**
COURSE CODE:	**BTH2133**
COURSE TITLE:	**Wisdom Books**
EXAM DATE:	**Thursday 30th July 2026**
TIME:	**11:15am-2:15pm**

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.**
- Write your student number on the answer booklet provided.
- Answer ALL the questions in section A.
- Answer ANY TWO questions from section B.
- You are allowed to use unmarked Bibles.

SECTION A: ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS (20 MARKS).

1. Discuss the significance of the literary techniques used by the implied author of Ecclesiastes and how they contribute to the understanding

of the book. (5 marks)

2. Discuss any of the **THREE** categorizations of the book of Psalms. (6 marks)

3. Using examples, explain the **THREE** Types of parallelism in Hebrew poetry. (9 marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS FROM THIS SECTION (20 MARKS)

4. Using **TWO** contextual examples, discuss the task of wisdom literature books in the biblical and ecclesiastical contexts. (10 marks)

5. Assess any **TWO** Wisdom values in addressing contemporary moral and ethical issues in society today. (10 marks)

6. Explain the message of the book of Song of Songs for its correct interpretation and application in the church today. (10 marks)

7. Evaluate the doctrine of retribution in its response to the problem of human suffering. (10 marks)