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REGULAR PROGRAMME

L-PTE 100: PASTORAL ECOLOGICAL ISSUES IN AFRICA

Date: DECEMBER 2021 Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer TWO QUESTIONS ONLY

- Q1. African history is not empty of ecological crises". Explain the major ecological challenges for Africa.
- Q2. The Encyclical *Laudato si'* is developed around the concept of integral ecology, as a paradigm able to articulate the fundamental relationships of the person: with God, with one's self, with other human beings, with creation". Discuss.
- Q3. Climate as a common good and a global problem with serious implications on environmental, social, economic, political and for the distribution of goods. Discuss
- Q4. "A common perception is that the Bible shows little concern for our relationship to nature and has perhaps even encouraged its exploitation". Discuss

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