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MAIN EXAMINATION

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FACULTY OF THEOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF FIRST CYCLE

REGULAR PROGRAMME

T-OC 301: ORAL COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION

Date: APRIL 2022

Duration: 15 MINUTES

INSTRUCTIONS: PICK TWO SECTIONS AND ANSWER ONE FROM EACH SECTION

Section ONE: Questions for Canon Law

- Q.1 Physical and juridical persons and juridic acts.
- Q.2 Common norms to all institutes of consecrated life.
- Q.3 Matrimonial impediments and convalidation of marriage.
- Q.4 Penalties and other forms of punishment in the Church.

Section TWO: Questions for Church History

- Q.1 Discuss the "Padroado" system and the effects it had upon evangelization in the 16th and 17th centuries.
- Q.2 The greatest threats to ancient church were heresies and schisms. Identify and discuss two major heresies or schisms between the 2nd to the 6th century showing how they were overcome.

Section THREE: Questions for Pastoral Theology

- Q.1 Describe the basic requirements to start and foster the formation of Small Christian Communities in a parish.
- Q.2 Whenever we are to communicate a message, it is advisable to be aware of the problems that confront us. What are the most common barriers to communication?

Section FOUR: Questions for Sacred Liturgy

- Q.1 Explain the term "Sacrament" in relation to: a) Christ b) Church c) The Seven Specific Rites
- Q.2 The Eucharist is a Sacrifice and Banquet. Discuss this using the Bible and Church Teaching.
- Q.3 Christian Initiation:
- Either Briefly describe the entire Rite of Infant Baptism Or
 - The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and briefly explain: -
The Rite of entry into Catechumenate - The Rite of Election (Lent) -
The Scrutinies – The Post-Baptismal Catechesis

Section FIVE: Questions for Spiritual Theology

- Q.1 Guidelines for formative reading and impediments to it.
- Q.2 The five poles that characterize human formation from birth to death. Discuss.
- Q.3 Essential elements of Christian spirituality and some of its misconceptions.

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