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MAIN EXAMINATION

JANUARY - APRIL 2018 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF THEOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF FIRST CYCLE

REGULAR PROGRAMME

B-CH 113: EVANGELISATION OF NORTH AFRICA UNTIL THE 6TH CENTURY

Date: APRIL 2018 Duration: 2 Hours
INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other ONE Question of your

Choice

- Q1. The collapse of the Church in North Africa is greatly blamed upon Islam but there are other factors outside Islam that may have been responsible for this. Discuss these other factors outside Islam that may have led to the collapse of the Church in North Africa.

 (30 Marks)
- Q2. Discuss the origin of the Church in Egypt indicating the reasons that led to its eventual disappearance. (24 Marks)
- Q3. Discuss the origins of the Church in Ethiopia pointing out its special characteristics. (24 Marks)
- Q4. For seven centuries Christianity existed in the Maghreb region and yet at the moment it is completely under Islam. Trace the origins of Christianity in the Maghreb region pointing out why it completely disappeared unlike in Egypt where there would be a surviving minority. (24 Marks)

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