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MAIN EXAMINATION

## JANUARY - APRIL 2018 TRIMESTER

#### **FACULTY OF THEOLOGY**

### DEPARTMENT OF SPIRITUAL THEOLOGY

#### **REGULAR PROGRAMME**

L-STE 102: RELIGIOUS LIFE IN THE CHURCH AND SOCIETY

Date: APRIL 2018 Duration: 2 Hours
INSTRUCTIONS: Answer ANY TWO Questions

- Q1. Religious life is rooted in the Word of God and shaped by Jesus Christ, who lived a celibate and poor life sharing a community of prayer and ministry with his disciples. Present and discuss forms of consecrated life.
- Q2. The pursuit of perfect charity by means of the evangelical counsels traces its origins to the teaching and the example of Jesus Christ and that it is the very symbol of the heavenly kingdom. Discuss the relevance of religious vows to the Church in Africa.
- Q3. Religious life is a school of perfection whereby an imperfect man/woman is meant to become more and more perfect. Discuss the advantages of inculturating religious life in Africa.
- Q4. a) Religious life is both a call and a gift. Discuss the role of religious charism today.
  - b) Discuss the relevance of this study for your own ongoing formation.

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