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MAIN EXAMINATION

JANUARY – APRIL 2019 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF THEOLOGY

DEPARTMENT OF MORAL THEOLOGY

REGULAR PROGRAMME

B-MT 307: SOCIAL ETHICS

Date: APRIL 2019

Duration: 2 Hours

**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Any THREE Questions. Question THREE is
COMPULSORY**

- Q1. Define social ethics and trace its subject matter, foundations and the reasons why we should study it.
- Q2. Explain in detail the sources of social ethics from the perspective of the Catholic Church.
- Q3. Discuss in detail the *ten key* socio-ethical principles in the Catholic social ethics and which of those principles feature outstandingly in the social encyclical which you were assigned to read and present in the classroom.
- Q4. Describe the concept of human integral development and the reasons why you think that the human person ought to be at the centre of every kind of development as suggested by Pope Paul VI's encyclical letter *Populorum Progressio*.
- Q5. Critically analyze the concept of the human dignity and rights in light of Pope John XXIII's Encyclical Letter *Pacem in Terris*.
- Q6. Demonstrate how social ethics is traceable in both the Old Testament and the New Testament.

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