THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF TANZANIA ADVANCED CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION EXAMINATION

114/2 DIVINITY 2

(For Both School and Private candidates)

Time: 3 Hours Year: 2020

Instructions

- 1. This paper consists of sections **A** and **B** with a total of **nine** (9) questions.
- 2. Answer all questions in section A, and two (2) questions from section B.
- 3. Section A carries sixty (60) marks and section B carries forty (40) marks.
- 4. Cellular phones, Bibles and any unauthorized materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
- 5. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet (s)

SECTION A (60 marks)

Answer all questions in this section

- **1.** According to Matthew 4:1-11, Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. It is read that the temptation came after 40 days and nights of Jesus' fasting and when he was hungry, yet he overcame them."
 - (a) Explain the phrase, "temptation of Jesus" and
 - (b) Provide three lessons that can be learnt by today's believers, basing on the story of the temptation of Jesus.
- **2.** The Gospel according to Mark Chapter 9:2-13 tells about Jesus' transfiguration.
 - (a) Explain the term "transfiguration" and
 - (b) Explain the significance of the transfiguration event.
- 3. (a) Describe who was John the Baptist
 - (b) Explain John's teachings based on the three groups of his audience.
- **4.** In 1 Corinthians 11:17-34, Paul gave directions to the members of the church concerning the Lord's Supper because he found that when they gathered together for worship they did more harm than good.
 - (a) Show how the members of the church were doing more harm than good in their gatherings.
 - (b) Explain what Paul directed the Corinthians to do in their gatherings, which is also applicable to the contemporary church today.
- **5.** (a) State the relationship which Christians should show towards the state and one another.
 - (b) they were required to explain the importance of obeying the state authorities.
 - (c), Explain the reason for Paul's insistence on paying taxes to the authorities.
 - (d) Explain why the love of one another is so important.
- 6. Acts 15:1-35, which reports about the first major church problem which led to Jerusalem council, in which Paul and Barnabas were members for resolution.

- (a) Explain the major problem which led to the Jerusalem council.
- (b) Suggest three things which the church should do to avoid unnecessary problems.

SECTION B (40 Marks)

Answer two (2) questions from this section

- **7.** Evaluate Jesus' statement, "Truly, truly, I say to you, before Abraham was I am (John 8:58)" with reference to the Gospel of John Chapter 1.
- **8.** Explain Paul's teachings concerning the Day of the Lord, Judgment, a healthy church, effective shepherding and sanctification according to 1 Thessalonians chapter 5.
- **9.** Analyze Paul's teachings to the Galatians concerning faith and works of the law by giving five points.