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THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS
FIRST SEMESTER 2021/2022
[JUNE-SEPTEMBER, 2022]

RELI 312: HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY I

STREAM: Y3S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: TUESDAY, 9:00 – 11:00 AM

DATE: 13/09/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.***

QUESTION ONE

- Account for the birth and growth of Christianity in the 7th century (20marks)
- Why is persecution significant in the spread of the early Christian church? (10marks)

QUESTION TWO

- Explain three causes of persecution of the early church (10marks)
- Explain the causes of the rise of monastic movements in Europe (10marks)

QUESTION THREE

Explain the following terms as used in the Christian church

- Revival (10marks)
- Missionary enterprise (10marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a. What is the place of the Christian church in economic development of the Kenyan society? (10marks)
- b. Explain the impact of renaissance to Christianity. (10marks)

QUESTION FIVE

What is the role of the Christian church in the contemporary society?
(20marks)