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**KIRIRI WOMENS' UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**  
**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION, 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR**  
**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (Arts)**  
**SPECIAL EXAM**

**KRE 2100: INTRODUCTION TO CHURCH HISTORY**

Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2022

Time: 8.30am-10.30am

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS**

**QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

- a. "Explain the meaning of the following in church history:
  - i. Dark age of the church (2 Marks)
  - ii. The Great awakening (2 Marks)
  - iii. Papal authority (2 Marks)
- b. Explain the contribution of the following in the history of the church:
  - i. Martin Luther (5 Marks)
  - ii. St. Augustine Bishop of Hippo (5 marks)
- c. What does the term Great schism mean in the study of church History (2 Marks)
- d. Discuss three factors that led to the Great schism in church (6 mark)
- e. Discuss how Judaism and the Greco-Roman world prepared the ground for the emergence and growth of Christianity (6 Marks)

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

- a. Discuss the five principles of reformation of the reformation period (10 Marks)
- b. Evaluate the significance of the reformation period to the expansion of the church (10marks)

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

- a. "After sometime, the reformation theology became a dry orthodoxy". Respond (5 Marks)
- b. Explain the factors that contributed to the coming to the evangelical revival in both America and United Kingdom (10 Marks)
- c. Explain the contribution of Constantine the Great in the growth and establishment of church in Rome (5 Marks)

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- a. "The persecution of the Church was both a blessing and a curse". Evaluate (10 Marks)
- b. Discuss the emergence of Papal Authority (10 Marks)

**QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

- a. Explore how the age of enlightenment challenged Christian faith (10 Marks)
- b. Discuss two early Church councils, noting their agenda and conclusions (10 Marks)