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FACULTY OF ARTS
DEPARTMENT OF RELIGIOUS STUDIES
2025_2 EXAMINATIONS

COURSE CODE: CRS722
COURSE TITLE: PASTORAL THEOLOGY
CREDIT UNIT: 2
TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

Question 1: Explain the Role of Pastoral Theology in Addressing Mental Health Issues within a University Setting. (23 marks)

Question 2: Analyse the claim that pastoral ministry is a communal and public service within a Christian community. How does this perspective shape the accountability of pastoral ministers to the community? (23 marks)

Question 3: Evaluate Jesus' approach to teaching in parables. What are the strengths and limitations of this method in communicating spiritual truths? (23 marks)

Question 4: Discuss the role of pastoral care in supporting individuals living with HIV/AIDS. What are the recommended interventions and how do these align with Christian ministry principles? (23 marks)