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**FACULTY OF ARTS**  
**April/May Examination 2019\_1**

**COURSE CODE: CRS817**

**COURSE TITLE: THE GOSPELS**

**CREDIT UNIT: 3**

**TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTIONS 1 AND 2, AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS**

1. Mark's understanding of who Jesus was is reflected in the titles which he used to refer to Jesus in his Gospel. Demonstrate how these titles were used by Mark as a control against false Christology of his days. [25 marks, 55 minutes]
2. Using the information provided in your self-learning course material, explain how the period of Jesus in Luke's salvation history is neither the end nor the beginning of history but the middle point [25 marks, 55 minutes]
3. Highlight Mark's portrayal of Jesus as the special agent of God. [10 marks, 35 minutes]
4. How does the faith of the Gentiles anticipate the Matthean Great Commission (Matt 28:12-20)? [10 marks, 35 minutes]
5. How do you mean that the Gospel of Luke is the gospel to the Gentiles? [10 marks, 35 minutes]
6. How does Matthew prove to his contemporary Jews that Jesus is the authoritative interpreter of the Law? What is the implication of the proof for the Church? [10 marks, 35 minutes]