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ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE**

G575

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Developments in Christian Theology

WEDNESDAY 13 JANUARY 2010: Morning

DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes

SUITABLE FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED CANDIDATES

Candidates answer on the Answer Booklet

OCR SUPPLIED MATERIALS:

8 page Answer Booklet

OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED:

None

READ INSTRUCTIONS OVERLEAF

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- **Write your name clearly in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided on the Answer Booklet.**
- **Use black ink.**
- **Read each question carefully and make sure that you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**
- **Answer TWO questions, one from each Part.**
- **Do NOT answer two questions from the same part.**
- **If you use extra sheets of paper, fasten the sheets to the Answer Booklet.**
- **Write the number of each question attempted in the grid on the front of the Answer Booklet.**

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- **The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.**
- **The total number of marks for this paper is 70.**

Answer TWO questions, ONE from Part 1 and ONE from Part 2.

PART 1

Answer ONE question from this part.

- 1 (a) Explain Aquinas' teaching on God's relationship to angels and humans. [25]**
(b) 'Belief in angels is irrational.' Discuss. [10]

- 2 (a) Explain Cone's teaching on Jesus as saviour. [25]**
(b) To what extent is Cone's view of Jesus too political? [10]

PART 2

Answer ONE question from this part.

- 3 (a) Explain the organisation and purpose of base communities. [25]**
- (b) Assess the view that base communities pose a real threat to the Church. [10]**
- 4 (a) Explain how the idea of the hermeneutical circle is used in liberation theology. [25]**
- (b) ‘Theology should be done by experts not ordinary people.’ Discuss. [10]**



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