

**TOWARDS AN HIV & AIDS COMPOTENT ECCLESIOLOGY**  
**THE QUEST FOR A GRASS ROOT PREVENTION MODEL ON**  
**HUMAN SEXUALITY**

**GENERAL HYPOTHESIS**

**HIV & AIDS IS NOT MERELY A BEHAVIOURAL ISSUE OF CHANGE BUT A PARADIGMATIC ISSUE ON THE LEVEL OF CHANGE IN TERMS OF CONCEPTUALIZATION AND THINKING (IDEA, PERSPECTIVE & PERCEPTION)**

**I ECCLESIOLOGICAL INCOMPETENCE: HAMPERING FACTORS**

**COMPETENCE = APPROPRIATENESS OF PARADIGM AND FUNCTION IN TERMS OF THE REALISM (NEED, EXPECTATION, ROLE FUNCTION, IDENTITY) WITHIN CONTEXT/CULTURE AND MEANING (OUTCOME)**

- **DENOMINATIONAL “FOOLISHNESS”**

**SELF-MAINTENANCE**

## **CONFESSIONALISM**

### **CLERICALISM**

- **ECCLESIAL BLUNTNES/BLINDNESS**

### **RIGHT DOCTRINE (ORTHODOXY) VERSUS RIGHT PRAXIS (ORTHOPRAXIS)**

- **EXCLUSIVE APPROACH: SEX/SEXUALITY = MARRIAGE  
(WHAT IS MARRIAGE?)**
- **HELLENISTIC ANTHROPOLOGY: BODY –SOUL DUALISM;  
SUBSTANTIAL THINKING; ETERNAL SOUL**
- **SKEWED UNDERSTANDING OF HUMAN SIN: *CORRUPTIO  
TOTALIS***
- **PESSIMISTIC LIFE VIEW VERSUS OPTIMISTIC LIFE VIEW**
- **KERYGMATIC REDUCTION: SAVING SOULS CONDEMNING  
BODIES**
- **MORALISTIC OBSESSION: RIGHT-WRONG (EXCLUDE  
BEAUTIFUL-UGLY) ETHICS WITHOUT AESTHETICS**
- **CULTURAL CONFUSION: SYNCRETISM; TRADITION;  
SOCIAL MEDIA**
- **PANTOKRATOR GOD IMAGES: ROMAN IMPERIALISM**

## **II TOWARDS A COMPETENT THEOLOGY OF HUMAN SEXUALITY IN CHRISTIAN EDUCATION: THE SANCTIFICATION OF HUMAN SEXUALITY**

- THE SACRAMENT OF INTERCOURSE: *JADA'*
- THE SOULFULNESS OF THE PENIS & THE VIGINA (STEREOMETRIC THINKING)
- THE SACREDNESS OF HUMAN SEXUALITY: LIFE & COVENANT
- THE SPIRITUALIZATION OF HUMAN EMBODIMENT: COMPASSIONATE SEXUALITY
- A THEOLOGY OF LIFE HEALING

**THEOLOGY OF AFFIRMATION:**

**(WITNESS) *MARTURIA* & COURAGE: BEING FUNCTION  
(*PARRHESIA*)**

**THEOLOGY OF RESURRECTION (EXEGESIS OF THE CROSS)  
FROM DESTIGMATIZATION TO EXTINCTION**

- a) DEATH OF ANXIETY (**FEAR TO DISCLOSE**) - INTIMACY
- b) DEATH OF GUILT & SHAME (**FEAR OF TRUTH/ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**) – FORGIVENESS
- c) DEATH OF DISCRIMINATION/STIGMATIZATION (**FEAR OF REJECTION**) – AFFIRMATION (ESCHATOLOGY)

d) DEATH OF DESPAIR (**FEAR OF VULNERABILITY/SUFFERING & DEATH**) – HOPE (NEW STATE OF BEING)

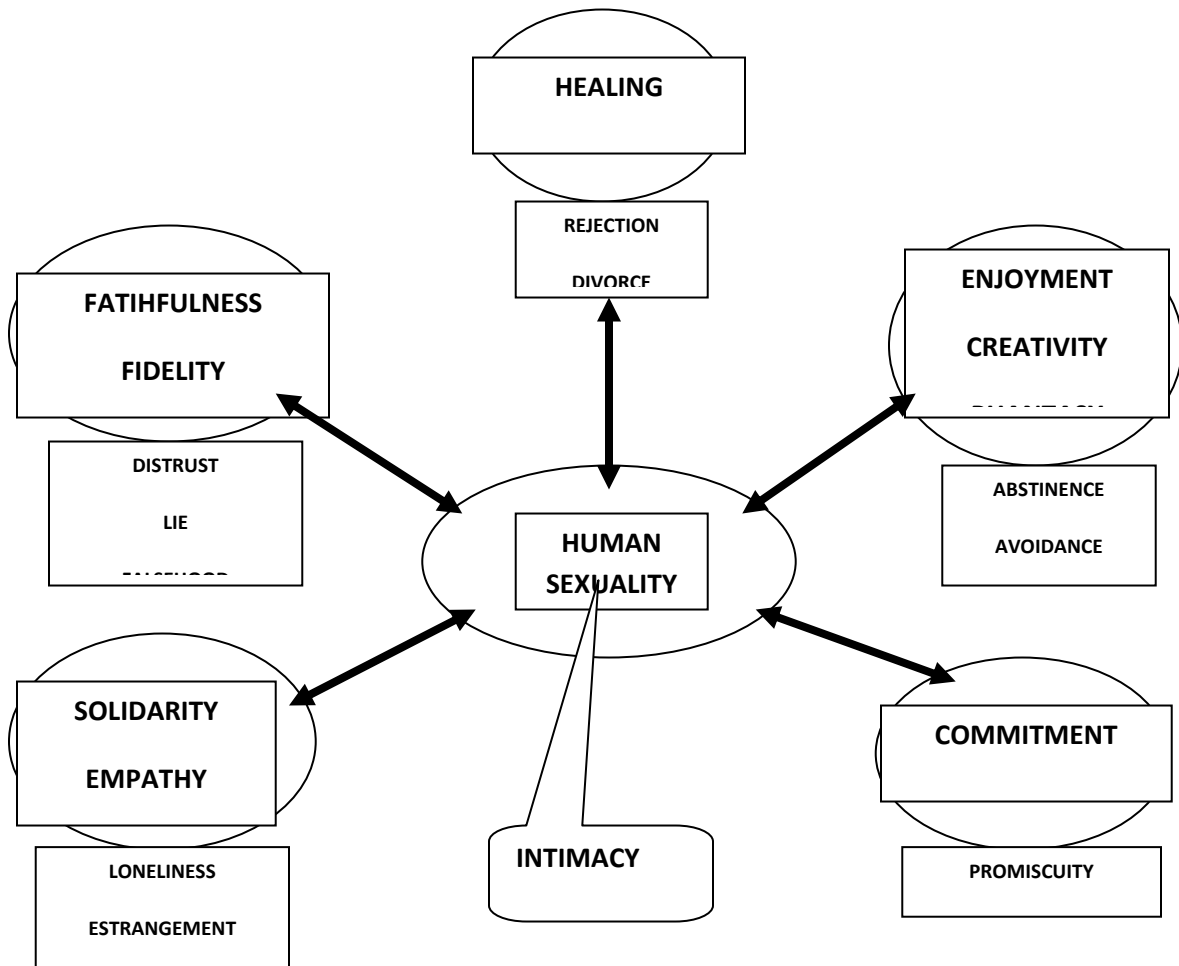
e) DEATH OF HELPLESSNESS (**FEAR OF LONELINESS**) –  
KOINONIA & DIAKONIA

f) DEATH OF ANGER (**FEAR OF ABUSE AND UNFULFILLMENT**) - SACRAMENTALITY

- INFORMED MORAL DECISIONMAKING

**DIFFERENT LIFE AND ETHICAL DIMENSIONS OF  
HUMAN**

# SEXUALITY



## III ECCLESIAL COMPETENCY: TOWARDS GRASSROOTS MINISTRIES

- **MARRIAGE & FAMILY ENRICHMENT**

- **CLINIC MINISTRIES: CHAPLAINCY & VULNERABLE SETTINGS**
- **NEIGHBOURHOOD GROUP CARE & OUTREACH**
- **GOVERNMENTAL STRUCTURAL MINISTRIES: COMMUNITY CENTRES FOR LIFE LEARNING**
- **SYSTEMIC EDUCATIONAL TRAINING: LIFE CAREGIVERS**
- **HOME VISITATION**