

Bukas Loob sa Diyos Catholic Charismatic Covenant Community

DCS Meeting Minutes

August 12, 2019 (via Teleconference)

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time (August 18, 2019)		
Readings	Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2-4, 18/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53	
Theme	We store heavenly treasure when we rid ourselves of sin and fix our eyes on Jesus.	
Order	"persevere in running the race" (Heb 12:1b)	
Direction	 Confess your sins, reconcile, and be resolute in detaching yourselves from your sinful ways. 	
Promise	"The Lord heard my cry. He drew me out of the pit of destruction; he made firm my steps." (Ps 40:3)	

1 Community Day This is a reminder that our Community Day will be this Saturday, Aug. 17. All BLD Newark members and their families, relatives and friends are invited and encouraged to attend this annual event. Venue: Johnson Park in Piscataway NJ. Mass start time: 11:30 am	#	Topics	DCS Meeting Agenda (Carryover)
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2	Breaking the Silence	We have a new venue: St Elizabeth of Hungary Parish Church 179 Hussa St, Linden, NJ 07036 Breaking the Silence: A Symposium on Depression August 31, 2019 1pm - 6 pm This will be led by Msgr. Paul Schetelick and a Multidisciplinary Team (Youth. Singles and Parents are all invited) Kindly register as early as you can through this LINK.
3	St Anthony de Padua (LSS)	Preparations are proceeding for the LSS#2 at St. Anthony de Padua in Belleville, NJ which is scheduled on Sep. 7-8, 2019. The sharers have been discerned. There are more than 50 candidates so far. The LSS Orientation was conducted this past Saturday (Aug 10), followed by the Salubungan for those who attended. Let us be united in prayers for a spirit filled and successful LSS.
4	BLD Allentown LSS	The LSS#7 of BLD Allentown is being rescheduled sometime in November to allow for more time for preparations and for inviting candidates. Additional information will be disseminated once availability of the venue is confirmed.
5	John 6 Crossing	Please save the date: The John 6 Crossing is scheduled on Oct. 4-6, 2019 at the Fellowship Deaconry in Basking Ridge, NJ with Fr. Dave Sison as the Spiritual Director. We encourage everyone to invite and bring their children to join this wonderful retreat. More information will be forthcoming and disseminated.
6	Library Floor Repair	A team of volunteers are in the process of assessing the efforts needed to repair the floor in the library, including the materials and cost. There is a need for 2 more volunteers who can help in this effort. Please contact our Management Stewards, Vino & Beth, if you are willing to help.
7	Setup E-giving table	A member of the Secretariat will be available, at least once a month, during fellowship to answer questions and/or demonstrate how to use E-giving for donations (Tithes, Love Offerings, Mission).

8	LSS BLD Newark	Preparations for the BLD Newark LSS #52 is underway. We want to thank the Lord for the following who graciously accepted their role as members of the LSS 52 Team:
		LSS 52 Seminar Coordinators: Archie and Carol De La Cruz. LSS 52 ME Action Team Coordinators: Jessie and Ofel Palafox LSS 52 Singles Action Team Coordinators: Joey Daguio and Adrian Loreto LSS 52 Piety Team Coordinators: Portia de Jesus and Blanca Francisco LSS 52 ME Shepherd Coordinators: Alan and Tess Cam LSS 52 SPE Shepherd Coordinators: Ray and Susie Atienza LSS 52 SE Shepherd Coordinators: Willy and Amor Ferrer LSS 52 ME Sponsoring Class Shepherd Coordinators: Jonas and Emy Cebedo LSS 52 SPE Sponsoring Class Shepherd Coordinators: Mat and Precy Yap LSS 52 SE Sponsoring Class Shepherd Coordinators: Nelson and Rose Manzo
		LSA Ministry Coordinators: Earl and Flo Manguiat Here is this link to the online LSS application: <u>LSS Application Form</u> For those who prefer a paper application, they can download and print one out from the BLD website: <u>BLD LSS Webpage</u>
		Salubungan will be on Friday, September 6, 2019. LSS #52 Weekend is October 4-6, 2019 Let us please invite our relatives and friends. As a reminder, we can invite non-encountered individuals to attend the LSS.
9	Reminders	 Please maintain REVERENCE at all times while we are still in the House of God. Please wear your ID's. Sign in the attendance sheet at the entrance door or at your respective ministries. Please be mindful not to block other cars in the parking lot. Please help keep our children safe at all times. Let us express a heartfelt smile to everyone.
10	Marshalling Assignments	Aug 16 - Evangelization Aug 23 – Formation Aug 30 – Management Sep 6 – Mission Sep 13 - Pastoral

Attendees: Fil & Hum Flores – Evangelization Gene & Bing Ymbong – Formation Vino & Beth Guiang – Management Nong & Tricia Bustos – Mission Reuben & Cherry Vibar - Pastoral