

Bukas Loob sa Diyos Catholic Charismatic Covenant Community Waiting on the Lord (WOTL) - For February 2020 January 7, 2020, Tuesday at 7:30 PM

The meeting was primarily devoted to waiting on the Lord for His order & directions to the BLD Newark community for the month of February 2020. It was participated in by the DCS, CS and the Worship Leaders. The monthly Waiting on the Lord consists of worship, quiet listening, prophecies and reflection on the liturgical readings for the Sundays in February 2020.

The CSL's Community Word for the month provides a thematic framework (Theme & Promise) for the discernment of Word, Order and Directions for the district. The weekly Theme, Order, Directions & Promise are the basis for, and are proclaimed during our community worship.

COMMUNITY WORD FOR FEBRUARY 2020 (WORD, THEMES AND PROMISES)

READINGS

February 2 - Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7-10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40

February 9 - Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-9/1Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

February 16 - Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1, 2, 4, 5, 17, 18, 33, 34/1Cor 2:6-10/Mt 5:17-37

February 23 - Lv 19:1, 2, 17, 18/Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12, 13/1Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48

COMMUNITY WORD

The love of Jesus sanctifies us for God's glory.

ORDER:

"Your light must shine before others..." (Mt 5:16)

PROPHECY

- 1. Be strong; your trials and sufferings are meant to purify your heart.
- 2. You are My light to those who live in darkness.

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Be loving and compassionate to those who are suffering and bear each other's burden.
- 2. Be faithful and obey the commandments of the Lord.

THEMES AND PROMISES

Week#1 - (Feast of the Presentation of the Lord)

THEME: We are sanctified when we overcome our trials with prayers and fasting.

ORDER: "...offer due sacrifice to the LORD." (Mal 3:3b)

DIRECTION:

 Spend time in adoration and offer your burdens and pains before the Blessed Sacrament.

PROMISE: "... He is able to help those who are tested." (Hb 2:18b)

Week#2 - (5th Sunday in Ordinary Time) 1st Friday Eucharistic Celebration

THEME: We are sanctified when we render works of mercy.

ORDER: "...your light must shine before others..." (Mt 5:16a)

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Be loving and compassionate to those who are suffering and bear each other's burden.
- 2. Be faithful and obey the commandments of the Lord.

PROMISE: "Lavishly he gives to the poor, his justice shall endure forever, his horn shall be exalted in glory." (Ps 112:9)

Week#3 - (6th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

THEME: We are sanctified when we obey and teach God's commandment.

ORDER: "Let your 'Yes' mean 'Yes,' and your 'No' mean 'No.' Anything more is from the evil one." (Mt 5:37)

DIRECTION: Remain a faithful witness to the Living Word.

PROMISE: "...trust in God. You too shall live." (Sir 15:15b)

Week#4 – (7th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

THEME: We are sanctified when we love our neighbor unconditionally and pray for those who persecute us.

ORDER: "Take no revenge and cherish no grudge against any of your people. You shall love your neighbor as yourself." (Lv 19:18)

DIRECTIONS:

- Be patient, kind and merciful.
- Reach out and reconcile with those you hurt or have hurt you.

PROMISE: "He pardons all your iniquities...He crowns you with kindness and compassion." (Ps 103:3-4)

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Attendees:

Fil Flores (Evangelization)
Gene Ymbong (Formation)
Vino & Beth Guiang (Management)
Nong & Tricia Bustos (Mission)
Reuben & Cherry Vibar (Pastoral)
Carlito Claricia, Arlene Claricia (via conference call) (Worship Leaders)

"If you lavish your food on the hungry and satisfy the afflicted; Then your light shall rise in the darkness, and your gloom shall become like midday." (Is 58:10)