



**Bukas Loob sa Diyos Catholic Charismatic Covenant Community
Waiting on the Lord (WOTL) - For April 2019
March 7, 2019, Thursday 7:45 PM**

The meeting was primarily devoted to waiting on the Lord for His order & directions to the BLD Newark community for the month of April 2019. 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 April.

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, Promise, Order & Directions are the basis for, and are proclaimed during our community worship.

**COMMUNITY WORD FOR APRIL 2019
(WORD, THEMES AND PROMISES)**

READINGS:

April 7 - Is 43:16-21/Ps 126:1-6/P126:1-6/Phil 3:8-14/Jn 8:1-11

April 14 - Is 50:4-7/Ps 22:8,9,17-20,23,24/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14-23:56

April 21 - Acts 10:34, 37-43/Ps 118:1, 2, 16, 17, 22, 23/Col 3:1-4/Jn 20:1-9

April 28 - Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4,13-15,22-24/Rv 1:9-11,12-13/Jn 20:19-31

COMMUNITY WORD:

Christ's sacrificial love leads us to eternal life.

ORDER:

***"Think of what is above, not of what is on earth."* (Col 3:2)**

PROPHECY:

- Return to Me and find Me; and be transformed.
- My mercy awaits those who seek My forgiveness.

DIRECTION:

- Go to confession and reconcile yourself with God and your neighbor.
- Share the love of Christ with your brethren, to comfort those who are broken, wounded and lost.

THEMES AND PROMISES

Week#1 - (5th Sunday of Lent) 1st Friday Eucharistic Mass

Theme: We live Christ's sacrificial love when we repent of our sins and commit to renew our life.

Order: *"Go, and from now on do not sin any more."* John 8: 11

Directions: Fast, immerse yourself in prayer, and give alms.

Promise: *"Those who sow in tears shall reap rejoicing."* (Ps 126:5)

Week#2 - (Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion)

Theme: We live Christ's sacrificial love when we are obedient to the will of God.

Order: *"This is my body, which will be given for you; do this in memory of me."*
Luke 22: 19.

Direction: Confess and partake of the Holy Eucharist.

Promise: *"The Lord God is my help...I shall not be put to shame."* (Isa 50:7)

Week#3 - (Easter Sunday) - No Worship on Good Friday

Theme: We live Christ's sacrificial love when we believe in the power of His resurrection.

Order: *"Think of what is above, not of what is on earth."* (Col 3:2)

Direction:

1. Go to confession and reconcile yourself with God and your neighbor.
2. Share the love of Christ with your brethren, to comfort those who are broken, wounded and lost.

Promise: *"When Christ your life appears, then you too will appear with him in glory."* (Col 3:4)

Week#4 - (2nd Sunday of Easter – Divine Mercy Sunday)

Theme: We live Christ's sacrificial love when we acknowledge Him as our Lord and Savior.

Order: *"Do not be unbelieving, but believe."* John 20: 27

Direction:

1. Adhere to the Apostles Creed and to the teachings of the Church.
2. Be a witness and testify to the enduring presence of Christ in our lives.

Promise: *"...believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that through this belief you may have life in his name."* (Jn 20:31)

Attendees:

Evangelization – Fil & Hum Flores

Formation – Gene & Bing Ymbong

Management – Vino & Beth Guiang

Mission – Nong & Trish Bustos

Pastoral – Reuben & Cherry Vibar

Worship Leader – Carlito & Arlene Claricia

Worship Leader – Manny & Nette Manguiat

“Lo, I am about to create new heavens and a new earth;

The things of the past shall not be remembered or come to mind.”

Isaiah 65: 17