



Bukás Loób sa Diyós

(Open in Spirit to God)

Catholic Charismatic Covenant Community
Archdiocese of Newark

DCS Minutes of the Meeting

Tuesday, November 7, 2023

7:30 pm – 10:15 pm

Week # 2 (32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Readings	Wis 6:12-16/ Ps 63:2, 3-8/ 1Thes 4:13-18/ Mt 25:1-13
Theme	We imitate and witness the life of Christ the King by prudently seeking the Lord's wisdom.
Order	"Stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour." (Mt 25:13)
Directions	1. Be in the state of grace at all times for the Lord is coming. 2. Act with loving obedience to God's will.
Promise	"We who are alive...shall always be with the Lord." (1 Thes 4:17)

	Agenda Items	DCS Meeting Discussions
1	LSS #56 Updates	<p>A. Number of registrants: 42</p> <p>B. All LSA teams have accounted for and prepared all needed equipment.</p> <p>C. Confessions during Invocation and through the weekend. Fr. Joseph Meagher and possibly Fr. Robert will hear confessions before Invocation Mass from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm on 11/10</p> <p>D. To announce that attendees should wear layers, park in the street or Zion parking lot which has been reserved that weekend. And, Happy Veterans Day.</p>

2	Proposed Retreat (by Dave dela Fuente) on June 20 to 24, 2023	A) As more details on the proposed retreat are needed, Dave dela Fuente will be invited to present on November 14, 2023 during the DCS Meeting at 8:30 pm.
3	Follow-through of “Lead Like Jesus” (LLJ) Groups	There are 15 Groups, each group is composed of 8 people, with an assigned coordinator. Each is expected to meet for 6 sessions until April 2024. There is a topic in each session. Those who did not attend LLJ may join as “observers”. The Overall coordinators are Pastoral and Formation, they are to discuss and monitor the process and completion monthly meetings.

4	Fundraising	<p>The following fundraising activities are approved:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Caroling by Flo/FE. To suggest that DCS will sponsor a Caroling event during a Fellowship.b. SPM will want a Christmas Party Fundraising (\$40/pp) for the SPM 2024 event. Any proceeds should go to the Treasury but earmarked for SPM.c. Suggestions: Maximum of two ministries during the holidays. Other ministries will have priority to fundraise next year.d. Start having Christmas envelopes be made available every Friday.
5	Emergence Updates	<p>Discussed further correspondence with CSL. A special DCS meeting on Emergence is scheduled on November 26. The formation of District Committee for Emergence Overseers (DCEO) comprising of 5 members is underway. They will be appointed then anointed on the First Friday Mass of December 2023 along with the Commission of Singles disciples.</p> <p>Emergence of BLD North America is on April 1-7, 2024.</p> <p>Emergence of BLD Manila is on May 8.</p>

6	Worship Leaders 2024	Worship Leaders in 2024 will be discerned and approved by the DCS. Waiting on the Lord for January Worship Leaders is scheduled on December 2, 2023.
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“For setting your heart on her is the perfection of prudence, and whoever keeps vigil for her is quickly free from care; Because she makes her rounds, seeking those worthy of her, and graciously appears to them on the way, and goes to meet them with full attention.”
Wisdom 6:15-16 NABRE

In Attendance:

- Efren & Yollie Cruz (Evangelization)
- Boyie & Stella (excused) Huelgas (Formation)
- Tony & Tatess Abad (Management)
- Alan & Tess Cam (Mission)
- Caesar & Vicky (excused) Rasalan (Pastoral)