



**Bukas Loob sa Diyos Catholic Charismatic Covenant Community**

**DCS Meeting Minutes**

**July 16, 2019 Teleconference (8:30 PM – 11:30 PM)**

<b>16th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Worship Date: July 19, 2019</b>	
<b>Readings</b>	<b>Gn 18:1-10/Ps 15:2-5/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42</b>
<b>Theme</b>	<b>Disciples of Christ are empowered when they reflect on God's word and serve others.</b>
<b>Order</b>	<b><i>"...minister in accordance with God's stewardship..."</i> (Col 1:25)</b>
<b>Directions</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Go regularly for Eucharistic Adoration</b></li> <li><b>2. Start your day with daily scripture readings and reflections.</b></li> <li><b>3. Glorify the Lord through your service.</b></li> </ol>
<b>Promise</b>	<b><i>"One who walks blamelessly and does justice, who thinks the truth in his heart...shall never be disturbed."</i> (Ps. 15:2, 5b)</b>

#	Topics	Discussion
1	<b>Recent BRE Pastoral Visit</b>	<p>The First Pastoral visit of Bishop Rey Evangelista (BRE) along with our 2 CSL's Jojo &amp; Koi Jalandó (Mission) &amp; Ariel &amp; Alice Pastoral (Pastoral) was held last Saturday 7/13/19 at DMP. Representatives from all Northeast America BLD Clusters came to see and participated in this much awaited event.</p> <p>We felt truly blessed in meeting our BRE and CSL's. We hope to see &amp; meet with them again in the near future.</p> <p>We would like to send our heartfelt gratitude to all volunteers spearheaded by Newark CS together with other CS of Northeast America and of course to our adhoc committee from our various ministries who willingly and graciously shared their time &amp; talent to make this event possible. A big THANK YOU to all of you!</p>

		<p>Last Monday 07/15/19, BRE, CSL's, Msgr. Paul Schetelick and Newark's DCS met with Msgr. Thomas Nydegger (in-behalf of Cardinal Tobin) where we were able to picture to him what BLD does and what our unique strengths are as a community. We were also able to raise to him some of our needs like our need for spiritual directors for our events and for parishes to open their doors to our LSS and encounters, for example. These fruitful discussions were the blessings from BRE's visit to the US.</p> <p>Msgr. Nydegger expressed his gratitude in-behalf of Cardinal Tobin for all that we do under the auspices of the Archdiocese of Newark and may God bless all of us in our endeavors. God's peace be with us all.</p>
2	<b>New Ministry Assignments</b>	<p><b>ME48 (Shepherds Carlito/Arlene Claricia) class members will be serving in their respective ministries effective August 2, 2019:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lito and Cheryl Dela Cruz----- Mark10</li> <li>• Bambi and Tina Cabanig ----- John6</li> <li>• Cirio and Tess De Jesus----- Primary: Mission (Institution), Secondary: Service</li> <li>• Boyet and Marge Trinidad----- Service</li> <li>• Eric and May Jen Apiado----- Teaching</li> </ul> <p>***New batch for <b>Discipling</b> from <b>ME48</b> (Shepherds Carlito/Arlene Claricia) together with <b>SPE19</b> (Shepherds Caesar/Vicky Razalan) will start <b><u>Oct 2019</u></b>. (Discipling Coordinators: Tony &amp; Tatess Abad)</p>

<p><b>3</b></p>	<p><b>Immersion Assignments</b></p>	<p>It is with joy in our hearts to announce the <b>Class Immersion Movements</b> effective <b>August 2, 2019</b>.</p> <p>1) <b>ME49</b> (Shepherds Danny/Cora Labung) will be moving to <b>Ministry Immersion</b> with the following rotation:  <b>Aug-Sept-----Youth</b> (Youth Tricor: Mario/Carmen Olazo, William/Mary Sumandal, Archie/Lelet Quevada)  <b>Oct-Nov-----John6</b> (Coordinators: JayJay/Abi Castaneda)  <b>Dec-Jan-----Mark10</b> (Coordinators Dhemie/Divina Alba)</p> <p>2) <b>ME50</b> (Shepherds Tony/Marlene Brillantes) <b>together with SE36</b> (Shepherds Nelson/Rose Manzo) will be moving to <b>Intercessory Immersion</b>. (Intercessory Ministry Coordinators: Ron &amp; Dina Pangilinan)</p> <p>3) <b>SPE20</b> (Shepherds Mat/Precy Yap) will commence to <b>Service Immersion</b> (Service Ministry Coordinators: Norman &amp; Marie Cabrera)</p>
<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>Raffle Fundraising</b></p>	<p>It's that time of the year again! It's time for our Annual BLD-Newark Fundraising drive. This year's fundraising event will be a Raffle. As you may be aware, our annual fundraiser is the one major source of funding for all our community retreats, encounters and seminars, missionary activities, as well as all the other wonderful faith-building projects that our community has endeavored to support or accomplish.</p> <p>To this end, we encourage <b>every</b> BLD member to help further the community's vision and mission. This is a huge undertaking and we are appealing to you not only for your prayers, but also your earnest support to ensure its success.</p> <p>There will be 25,000 raffle tickets that will be distributed for sale. These will be allocated to Ministry Coordinators and current Class Shepherds for distribution, prorated based on the size of membership. We have three months to sell these tickets. Drawing will be on <b>October 18, 2019 at 10:30 PM</b> at Divine Mercy Parish.</p>

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<b>5</b>	<b>Community Day Reminder</b>	<p><b>This is a reminder that our Annual Community day is coming soon. All BLD Newark Members, Families and Friends are encouraged to attend this annual event.</b></p> <p style="color: blue;">It will be on <b>Aug. 17</b> at our usual venue <b>Johnson Park in Piscataway NJ.</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Please SAVE the DATE!</b></p> <p><b><u>FINALIZED Community Day Assignments:</u></b></p> <p><b>Coordinator of all activities:</b> Ed/Susan Fabe (FLA)</p> <p><b>Blessing of the Venue/Morning Worship/Eucharistic Celebrations:</b> Pepino Family (FE 25 Family Shepherds)</p> <p><b>Parking Marshall/Directions/Area Restroom &amp; Venue Clean-Up:</b> ME 50 (Brillantes)</p> <p><b>Food (Lunch/Snacks)/Drinks:</b> ME 48 (Claricia) &amp; ME 49 (Labung)</p> <p><b>Desserts:</b> Solo Parents Ministry</p> <p><b>Games/Sports:</b> Singles Ministry</p>
<b>6</b>	<b>Breaking the Silence</b>	<p><b>SAVE THE DATE:</b></p> <p><b>Breaking the Silence - Panel Discussion on Depression</b></p> <p>When: AUGUST 31, 2019</p> <p>Where: DMP Library</p> <p>More details to follow</p>

7	<b>Upcoming Encounter and Seminars</b>	Please save the date: FE26 - July 26-28 LSS Belleville - Sept 7-8 LSS Allentown - Sept 14-15
8	<b>Marshalling Assignments</b>	July 19 Formation July 26 Management Aug 2 Mission Aug 9 Pastoral Aug 16 Evangelization
9	<b>Reverence in Church</b>	<b>Reminder:</b>  <b>Please maintain REVERENCE at all times while we are still in the House of God.</b>

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**Attendees:**

*Fil & Hum Flores (Evangelization)*

*Gene & Bing Ymbong (Formation)*

*Vino & Beth Guiang (Management)*

*Nong & Tricia Bustos (Mission)*

*Reuben & Cherry Vibar (Pastoral)*