



Bukas Loob sa Diyos Catholic Charismatic Covenant Community
Waiting on the Lord (WOTL) - For May 2021
April 8, Thursday 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 May 2021. 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 May 2021.

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 May 2021](#)

[\(WORD, THEMES AND PROMISES\)](#)

[READINGS](#)

- May 2** Acts 9:26-31/ Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32/ 1Jn 3:18-24/ Jn 15:1-8
May 9 Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48/ Ps 98:1,2-3,3-4/ 1Jn 4:7-10/ Jn 15:9-17
May 16 Acts 1:1-11/ Ps 47:2-3,6-7,8-9/ Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 / Mk 16:15-20
May 23 Acts 2:1-11/ Ps 104:1,24,29-30,31,34/ 1Cor 12:3b-7,12-13/ Jn 20:19-23
May 30 Dt 4:32-34, 39-40/ Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20, 22/ Rom 8:14-17/ Mt 28:16-20

[COMMUNITY WORD](#)

Our Triune God empowers us to remain in Jesus' love and bear much fruit.

ORDER: *"By this is my Father glorified, that you bear much fruit and become my disciples."*
(Jn 15:8)

[PROPHECIES:](#)

- **Be My vine so that others may know My love and receive My graces.**
- **As you live My word, you will be fruitful.**

[DIRECTIONS:](#)

- Deepen your knowledge of God by reading His word constantly, receiving the Sacraments and celebrating the Eucharist.
- Love not only in words but more so in deed and truth, by the power of the Holy Spirit

THEMES AND PROMISES

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Week#1 (5th Sunday of Easter)

Theme: We remain in Jesus’ love and bear much fruit when we keep His commandments.

Order:

*“...believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and love one another just as he commanded us.”
(1 Jn 3:23)*

Directions:

- Deepen your knowledge of God by reading His word constantly, receiving the Sacraments and celebrating the Eucharist.
- Love not only in words but more so in deed and truth, by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Promise: *“If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask for whatever you want and it will be done for you.” (Jn 15:7)*

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Week#2 - (6th Sunday of Easter)

Theme: We remain in Jesus’ love and bear much fruit when we lay down our lives for others.

Order: *“...love one another as I love you.” (Jn 15:12)*

Directions:

- Work together in harmony when doing works of ministry.
- Serve with a compassionate heart so you will feel the joy of service.

Promise: *“You are my friends if you do what I command you.” (Jn 15:14)*

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Week#3 - (The Ascension of the Lord)

Theme: We remain in Jesus’ love and bear much fruit when we proclaim the Good News.

Order: *“Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature.” (Mk 16:15)*

Direction:

- Use every opportunity including social media to proclaim the word of God and live His word in our daily life.

Promise: *“... you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you.” (Acts 1:8a)*

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Week#4 - (Pentecost Sunday)

Theme: We remain in Jesus’ love and bear much fruit when we use our spiritual gifts to up-build the Body of Christ.

Order: *“Receive the Holy Spirit.” (Jn 20:22b)*

Directions:

- Do an examination of conscience before receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
- Share your God given gifts through service to others for the greater good of the church.

Promise: *“When you send forth your spirit ... you renew the face of the earth.” (Ps 104:30)*

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Week#5 - (The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity)

Theme: We remain in Jesus’ love and bear much fruit when we give glory and honor to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Order: *“Go ... and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.” (Mt 28:19-20a)*

Directions:

- Do not hesitate to make the sign of the Cross, even in public.
- Encourage our brethren to attend in person our Friday Eucharistic Celebrations & Praise & Worships.

Promise: *“... I am with you always, until the end of the age.” (Mt. 28:20a)*

Attendees:

Fil & Hum Flores (Evangelization)
Gene & Bing Ymbong (Formation & Worship Leaders)
Vino & Beth Guiang (Management)
Nong & Tricia Bustos (Mission)
Reuben & Cherry Vibar (Pastoral)
Jovy & Emily Lucero (CS)
Tony & Tatess Abad (Worship Leaders)
Alan & Tess Cam (Worship Leaders)
Efren & Yolly Cruz (Worship Leaders)