

Bukas Loob sa Diyos Covenant Community
Waiting on the Lord (WOTL)
For July 2016
June 8, 2016 - Wednesday

The meeting will be primarily devoted to waiting on the Lord for His order & directions to the BLD Newark community for the month of July, 2016. It will be participated in by the DSL, DCS 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 the month.

The ECSL'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 is the basis for, and is proclaimed during, our community's worship.

WORD, THEMES, ORDER, DIRECTIONS AND PROMISES
FOR JULY 2016

WORD FOR THE MONTH OF JULY FROM ECSL

WORD: We are called to be laborers in God's Kingdom to produce abundant harvest.

ORDER: *"Go..." (Lk 10:37b)*

PROPHECY:

- I will give you peace, controlling your hearts from restlessness and anxiety, and I will comfort you.

DIRECTION:

- Soak yourselves in the word of God that this may dwell in you richly in serving God in doing good works.

LITURGICAL READINGS

July 3	Is 66:10-14/Ps 66:1-3,4-5,6-7,16,20/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12,17-20
July 10	Det 30:10-14/Ps 69:14,17,30-31,33-34,36-37/Col: 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37
July 17	Gen 18:1-10/Ps 15:2-3,3-4,5/Col 1;24-28/Lk 10:38-42
July 24	Gen 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2,2-3,6-7,7-8/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13
July 31	Ecc 1:2;2:21-23/ Ps 90:3-6,12-14,17/ Col 3:1-5,9-11/ Lk 12:13-21

THEMES, ORDERS, DIRECTIONS AND PROMISES

Week#1(14th Sunday in Ordinary Time) July 3

Theme: We produce abundant harvest when we rejoice doing mission work.

Order: ***"The harvest is abundant send out laborers for His harvest."* (Luke 10:2)**

Directions:

1. Actively invite people to our encounters.
2. Put them through our formation program to equip them for mission work.

Promise: ***"...Your heart shall rejoice...the Lord's power shall be known to his servants."* (Is 66:14)**

Prophecy:

- Evangelize through your actions. Take with you my peace, my love and my mercy.

Week#2 (15th Sunday in Ordinary Time) July 10

Theme: We produce abundant harvest when we extend love and mercy without discrimination.

Order: ***"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself."* (Luke 10: 27)**

Directions:

1. Do corporal works of mercy.
2. Serve in the mission activities of the community.

Promise: ***"The Lord hears the poor, and his own who are in bonds, he spurns not."* (Ps 69:34)**

Week#3 (16th Sunday in Ordinary Time) - July 17

Theme: We produce abundant harvest when we live and testify to the Word of God.

Order: ***"Bring to completion for you the word of God...admonishing everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom that we may present everyone perfect in Christ."* (Col 1:25 - 28)**

Directions:

1. Immerse yourselves in the teachings of Jesus Christ.
2. Proclaim the word of God by the way you live your lives.

Promise: *"The one who walks blamelessly and does justice, who thinks the truth in his heart ...shall never be disturbed."* (Ps 15: 2, 5b)

Week#4 (17th Sunday in Ordinary Time) July 24

Theme: We produce abundant harvest when we persevere in prayer.

Order: *"When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread and forgive us our sins for we ourselves forgive everyone in debt to us, and do not subject us to the final test."* (Lk 11:2-4)

Directions:

1. Pray constantly, with persistence and expectant faith.
2. Live a life of prayer, Word, sacraments, and service.

Promise: *"Ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."* (Lk 11:9)

Week#5 (18th Sunday in Ordinary Time) July 31

Theme: We produce abundant harvest when we share our gifts, talents, and resources generously.

Order: *"Take care to guard against all greed."* (Luke 12: 15b)

Directions: Think of what is above, not what is on earth. Put to death the parts of you that are are earthly.

Promise: *"...The Lord our God...prosper the work of our hands."* (Ps 90:17)

Present:

Formation - Lucero, Jovy and Emily Management - Canlas, Gerry and Stella Mission – Bustos, Nong and Tricia Pastoral - Olaso, Sam and Rory DSL – Mangalonzo, Manny and Arlene	<u>Worship Leaders:</u> Fernandez, Bobby and Dolly Rasalan, Caesar and Vicky Manguiat, Manny
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Closing prayer: Jovy Lucero

Meeting adjourned: 12:30pm

Prepared by: Jovy and Emily Lucero

--Presiding Stewards for June 2016