

## Bukas Loob sa Diyos Covenant Community

### WORD, THEMES & PROMISES FOR September 2010

#### READINGS

- **Sep 5** Wis 9:13-18/ Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17/ Phlm 9-10, 12-17/  
Lk 14:25-33
- **Sep 12** Ex 32:7-11, 13-14/ Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19/ 1 Tim 1:12-17/  
Lk 15:1-32 or 15:1-10
- **Sep 19** Am 8:4-7/ Ps 113:1-2, 4-6, 7-8/ 1 Tim 2:1-8/ Lk 16:1-13 or 16:10-13
- **Sep 26** Amos 6:1, 4-7/ Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10/ 1 Tim 6:11-16/ Lk 16:19-31

#### WORD

**A true disciple possesses the heart and character of Christ.**

#### ORDER

***“Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple.”*** (Luke 14: 27)

#### PROPHECIES

1. My children, follow me and be My true disciples. Persevere. The path ahead is difficult but take courage for I am with you.

#### DIRECTIONS

1. Nourish your life spiritually through daily prayers, meditation on His word daily, receiving the sacrament of reconciliation and receiving Him in the Eucharist regularly; and visitation to the Blessed Sacrament.
2. Intensify our evangelization and mission work to reach out to those who need God – the poor, the needy, the abandoned, and the outcast.

#### THEMES AND PROMISES

**Week#1 (23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

**[Discipleship]**

**Theme:** We have the heart and character of Christ when we renounce all our possessions and follow Him.

**Promise:** ***“...the gracious care of the Lord our God (is) ours; prosper the work of our hands.”*** (Ps 90: 17)

**Week#2 (24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

**[Forgiveness]**

**Theme:** We have the heart and character of Christ when we forgive unconditionally.

**Promise:** *"I will make your descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky; and all this land that I promised, I will give your descendants as their perpetual heritage."* (Ex 32:13)

**Week #3 (25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

**[Stewardship]**

**Theme:** We have the heart and character of Christ when we are trustworthy stewards.

**Promise:** *"He raises up the lowly from the dust; from the dunghill he lifts up the poor...."* (Ps 113: 7)

**Week #4 (26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

**[Mercy]**

**Theme:** We have the heart and character of Christ when we share our lives with the poor.

**Promise:** *"Blessed is he who keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppressed, gives good to the hungry."* (Ps 146: 7)