

## **Bukas Loob sa Diyos Covenant Community**

### **WORD, THEMES & PROMISES FOR JANUARY 2010**

#### **READINGS**

- **Jan 3** Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2,7-8,10-13; Ep 3:2-3a,5-6; Mt 2:1-12
- **Jan 10** Is 42:1-4, 6-7; Ps 29:1-2,3-4,3, 9-10; Acts 10:34-38;  
3:15-16,21-22
- **Jan 17 (Phil)** Is 9:1-6; Ps 97:1-6; Ep 1:3-6,15-18; Lk 2:41-52
- **Jan 17 (Int'l)** Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-10; 1Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11
- **Jan 24** Neh 8:2-4a,5-6,8-10; Ps 19:8-10,15; 1Cor 12:12-30;  
Lk1:1-4;4:14-21
- **Jan 31** Jer 1:4-5,17-19; Ps 71:1-6,15,17; 1Cor 12:31-13:1-3 or  
1Cor 13:4-13; Lk 4:21-30

#### **WORD**

**God's love is glorified in the sonship of Jesus.**

#### **ORDER**

***“Rise up in splendor...! Your light has come, the glory of the Lord shines upon you.” (Is 60:1)***

#### **PROPHECIES**

1. Go and proclaim the Good News of Salvation to the ends of the earth.
2. I will let my light shine upon you when you live a life of offering and sacrifice in My name.
3. Turn away from your old sinful ways.

#### **DIRECTIONS**

1. Intensify our evangelization program.
2. Do regular acts for mercy, reaching out to our brothers and sisters, especially those who do not know Him.
3. Continue to progress in your relationship with Christ through daily mass, reading and meditating on His word, regular visit to the Blessed Sacrament.

#### **THEMES AND PROMISES**

**Week#1 (The Epiphany of the Lord)**

***[Reverence to God]***

**Theme: The sonship of Jesus is manifested upon those who serve and pay Him homage.**

**Promise:** *“You are co-heirs, members of the same body and copartners in the promise in Christ Jesus.”* (Eph 3:6)

**Week#2 (The Lord’s Baptism)**

***[Fear of the Lord]***

**Theme:** The sonship of Jesus is manifested upon those who fear the Lord and act uprightly.

**Promise:** *“See, the Lord God comes with might and his arm rules for him; his reward is with him. He will feed his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms, and carry them in his bosom, and gently lead the mother sheep.”* (Is 40:10-11)

**Week #3 (Feast of the Sto. Niño - Phil)**

***[Submission to Authority]***

**Theme:** The sonship of Jesus is manifested upon those who are obedient to the Father’s will.

**Promise:** *“The God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation in that you may know him better.”* (Eph 1:17, NIV)

**Week #3 (2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Int’l)**

***[Fruitfulness]***

**Theme:** The sonship of Jesus is manifested upon those who nurture and exercise their spiritual gifts.

**Promise:** *“You shall be a glorious crown in the hand of the Lord, a royal diadem held by your God.”* (Is 62:3)

**Week #4 (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

***[Charity]***

**Theme:** The sonship of Jesus is manifested upon those who bring glad tidings to the poor.

**Promise:** *“Do not be saddened this day, for rejoicing in the Lord must be your strength.”* (Neh 8:10)

**Week #5 (4th Sunday in Ordinary Time)**

***[Selflessness]***

**Theme:** The sonship of Jesus is manifested upon those who love unconditionally.

**Promise:** *“They will fight against you, but not prevail over you, for I am with you and will rescue you”* (Jer 1:19, NIV)

