



London Diocesan Council
The Catholic Women's League of Canada



To: All Parish Presidents, Communication Chairpersons

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From: Mary Maxwell, Communication Chairperson

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"Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another." 1John 4:11

Happy New Year. Another year brings with it opportunities and chances for new resolutions. Communication is very important to us in our councils and there are many avenues for us to communicate to our members.

The National Catholic Women's League website www.cwl.ca is a great resource for all members. If you have not seen the testimonials video, Salt and Light TV's Women on a Mission, or the keynote speakers from the National Convention last August they can be found on the front page under the heading Quick Links. The testimonials video includes some of our London diocesan members. These videos can be shared at a meeting or watched individually. The national executive has decided not to continue with the production of **Be League**. December was the last edition. It is being replaced with **On the Spot!** Members are invited to send in news items from their councils. This news outlet will feature council work and activities, not personal items. I am encouraging councils to send in news items and pictures and they will be posted on the website under **On the Spot!**

The Ontario Provincial Catholic Women's League website www.cwl.on.ca has the latest provincial news and directives. As well on the right side of the front page is the opportunity to sign up to receive the ON- line newsletter and the Trillium newsletter. If you sign up, you will receive these newsletters by email.

Our very own London Diocesan website www.cwllondon.ca has had some transitions in the last few months as we transferred to a new domain and host. It is now updated with our directives from May, September and November if you need to refer to them again. On the front page it shows our new National logo and theme Inspired by the Spirit- Women Respond to God's Call. In the next few months our executive is focusing on various biblical women and how they were inspired and how they can inspire us. I have chosen Ruth as my inspiration. Our Diocesan convention in April will be coming soon. Information will be posted on the website as soon as it is available so check back to find this important information.

May our Lady of Good Counsel continue to guide us every day. *Mary Maxwell*

