



The Catholic Women's League of Canada

London Diocesan Council

To: All Parish Presidents, Community Life Chairpersons

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Summer is fast approaching and we are seeing signs of normalcy returning. People are looking forward to holidays, spending time with family and friends. However, **homelessness, hunger** and **loneliness** do not take a holiday. Let us remember to support food banks and soup kitchens by volunteering or donating in our communities. We can also support Palliative Care, men's and women's shelters and Habitat for Humanity, to name a few.

Being well informed and educated, members can take action on Social Justice issues.

Human Trafficking

There is a webinar on Saturday May 28, 2022 at 12 (EDT).

You can register at https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/1827275498232974095

Support for Ukraine

As Ukrainian immigrants arrive in Canada, members can provide support in many ways besides donations. For example, host a family, provide basic needs, providing transportation to medical, shopping and banking appointments etc.

Truth and Reconciliation

If you haven't read the Pope's apology, it can be found in the April 10th issue of The Catholic Register. Follow the Pope's visit to Canada in July. Did you know that Forget-me-nots, also known as the Métis Rose is a sign of the ongoing Reconciliation? Please plant in your garden.



Please have a wonderful and safe summer. God Bless. Pat Sloan