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To: London Diocesan Council, All Parish Presidents, Recording Secretaries
From: Mary Bannon, Recording Secretary
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Directive # 8

Each one of you has to be God's microphone. Each one of you has to be a messenger, a prophet. The church will always exist as long as there is someone who has been baptized... Where is your baptism? You are baptized in your professions, in the fields of workers, in the market. Wherever there is someone who has been baptized, that is where the church is. There is a prophet there. Oscar Romero

Year of Mercy Project

We are focusing on learning more about Blessed Oscar Romero, praying for his canonization. My quotes will be from sayings of his which I think apply to us as Recording Secretaries.

Regional Days

I certainly felt the presence of prophets at these days.

Recording Secretary Report Forms

Don't forget to mail this info to me; if your officers are the same send it right away. Otherwise the deadline is after your elections.

Robert's Rules of Order

This is the sixth in a serial of the Robert's Rules of Orders for running an effective meeting. The last directive dealt with Motions. This time we'll look at **Amendments**.

An amendment is a motion to change, to add words to, or to omit words from, an original motion. The change is usually to clarify or improve the wording of the original motion and must, of course, be germane to that motion. An amendment cannot interrupt another speaker, must be seconded, is debatable if the motion to be amended is debatable, may itself be amended by an amendment to the amendment, can be reconsidered, and requires a majority vote, even if the motion to be amended requires a two-thirds vote to be adopted. The chair should allow full discussion of the amendment (being careful to restrict debate to the amendment, not the original motion) and should then have a vote taken on the amendment only, making sure the members know they are voting on the amendment, but not on the original motion. If the amendment is defeated, another amendment may be proposed, and the same process continues.

Blessings during this Holy Season of Christ's coming into our lives, past, present and future, for all time!

Mary Bannon

Recording Secretary

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