



The Catholic Women's League of Canada
London Diocesan Council

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and **LIVING IT!**

To: All London Diocesan Presidents, and Resolution Chairpersons
CC: London Diocesan Council; Mary Capobianco, OPC Resolutions Chairperson
From: Wilhelmina Kole, 1st Vice, Resolutions Chair
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Directive # 8

"As generous distributors of God's manifold grace, put your gifts at the service of one another. The one who serves is to do so with the strength provided by God."

1 Peter 4:8-11

Did you know that two resolutions were passed at the Provincial Catholic Women's League of Canada convention. They are as follows:

ON 22.01 Improve Care in Long-term Care Homes

ON 22.02 National Strategy to Address Loneliness

To view, go to www.cwl.on.ca and click on resolutions. You will see them under the heading 2021-2025. Just click on the resolution you wish to view.

As well, a resolution was passed at the National Catholic Women's League of Canada convention. It is 2022.01 Enact Federal Legislation to Reduce Food loss and Waste

To access this resolution, use the following:

<https://cwl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/Resolution-2022.01-Enact-Federal-Legislation-to-Reduce-Food-Loss-Waste-Final.pdf>

Part of every resolution is an *Action Plan*. We need to follow through on the action plan by learning more about the issue, writing letters to the government and seeing what we can do as parish councils advocate for changes in our parishes, communities and provinces and beyond.

Our provincial resolutions chair, Mary Capobianco has a project that she would like the parish councils to take part in. it is called **FAITH into ACTION – Making a Difference**.

Here are Mary's Instructions:

1. Choose a resolution listed on the national or provincial websites. These are resolutions that have been adopted at the national or provincial levels.

For copies of past resolutions:

- ❖ www.cwl.ca
click on tab **To Act On**
scroll down to **Resolutions**
select **Resolutions By Year**
choose a resolution that would be of interest for your council to work on
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2. Review the **ACTION PLANS** – share with your council to select one for your project.
3. Once a resolution action plan has been selected, brainstorm with your council/committee to decide your next steps.
4. Once activities have been completed – fill in the Action Project Form(attached)
5. Submit the completed form to the OPC Resolutions chairperson: Mary Capobianco mt.cap@sympatico.ca
6. Some resolution topics may deal with same or similar topics. Feel free to combine your activities to include more than one resolution &/or action plan.
7. Projects can be ongoing over the next two years. Feel free to work on as many **Action Plans** as you like.
8. Please see attached for **ACTION PLAN REPORT FORM.**

There are so many resolutions and action plans to choose from and so much we can do as members. Together we are stronger and what better way to put our **Faith into Action** and demonstrate how we **Can Make a Difference!**

I am attaching a copy of Action Plan Report form. This form goes directly to Mary Capobianco.

May Our Lady of Good Counsel be with you and guide you in this endeavour.

Yours in Christ,

Wilhelmina (Willi) Kole – Resolutions

Faith into Action – Making a Difference

Action Report Form

Name of Council:
Name of Diocese:
Contact person and position:
Contact number or email:
Resolution Name:
Action Taken: (a brief explanation in point form)
How do you feel this activity <i>made a difference</i> ?
Submit completed forms to: Mary Capobianco Ontario Resolutions Chair by email to mt.cap@sympatico.ca