# Catholic Women's League of Canada

## 96th Annual London Diocesan Convention

# Holiday Inn Resort and Conference Centre, Point Edward, (Sarnia) Ontario Tentative Agenda

## April 18th, 19th and 20th 2016

## "One Heart, One Voice, One Mission"

### Monday, April 18th, 2016

10:00 – 3:30 PM Tour of Twin Pines Estate Winery and Fashion Show at Marcanda Tea

House

11:00 – 4:00 PM Registration Opens

12:00 – 1:30 PM Finance Meeting (Finance Committee) Lunch served

1:30 PM – 3:30 PM Pre-Convention Meeting (Executive) 3:30 – 4:00 PM Prepare for dinner/Mass (Executive)

4:00 PM – 5:00 PM Dinner-arrangements (Pre-arranged for executive) 5:15 – 5:45 PM Bus Transportation to Our Lady of Mercy Church

6:00 PM Opening Mass - Our Lady of Mercy Church, Father Matt Kucharski

**Convention Opening Ceremonies** 

7:30 PM – 9:00 PM Resolution Dialogue 7:30 – 8:00 PM Registration resumes

9:30 PM Evening Prayer in Prayer Room

## Tuesday April 19th, 2016

7:00 AM Registration opens

8:30 AM Mass

Break

10:15 AM Business Session Begins – Greetings from Diocesan President

Greetings from Interfaith Church Women, Introduction of Head Table,

Roll Call, Standing Rules of Order Introduction of Parliamentarian

Diocesan Spiritual Advisor Motion to accept Agenda

Approval of 2015 Annual Convention Minutes

(Recording Secretary's Presentation)

Approval of Treasurer's Report

(Treasurer's Presentation)

11:15 AM Business Session Resumes

**Credential Report** 

**Announcements** 

11:55 AM Angelus, Grace & Lunch12:00 Noon Life Members' Lunch

1:15 PM Celebration of Blessed Oscar Romero and Crowning of Mary

2:00 PM Speaker: Fr. Paul Baillargeon - Parish Family Grouping and Impact on

**CWL** 

3:00 PM Coffee Break 3:30 PM Resolutions

4:15 PM Business Resumes

**Announcements** 

4:30 PM Closing Prayer

6:00 – 10:00 PM Country Style Dinner and Country Hoedown - Fun Night

#### Wednesday April 20th, 2016

7:30 AM Registration opens 8:30 AM Morning Prayer

8:45 AM Michelle O'Rourke – Palliative Care and Dying with Dignity

9:45 AM Life Member's Report

9:50 AM Break

10:20 AM Elections/Parallel Program

11:30 AM Social Justice Award11:45 AM Special Presentation11:50 AM Final credentials report

**Announcements** 

12:00 Noon Angelus, Grace & Lunch

1:00 PM Luncheon Speaker Angela Pellerin – Incoming Diocesan President

1:15 PM Afternoon Prayer

1:30 PM Speaker – Aux. Bishop Joseph Dabrowski – "One Heart, One Voice, One

Mission"

2:00 PM National President's Report

Provincial President Report - Pauline Krupa

2:30 PM Business Session Resumes

Outgoing Past President's report

Diocesan President's Report

2:50 PM Invitation to the 2017 Convention in Stratford

3:00 PM Closing remarks

Questions

Motion to adjourn
Closing prayer

3:00 PM Spiritual Advisor's Gathering/Social (Sacred Heart Church)

4:00 PM – 4:45 PM Bus Transportation to Closing Mass

5:00 PM Closing Mass – Sacred Heart Church

Celebrant - Most Rev. Ronald P. Fabbro

Installation of New Executive

Bus transportation back to Holiday Inn

7:00 PM Closing banquet – Holiday Inn Resort and Conference Centre