



The Catholic Women's League of Canada

London Diocesan Council

To: All Parish Presidents, Spiritual Development Chairperson

CC: London Diocesan Council, Emma Rose Rayburn, OPC Chairperson

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May Mary's pure and simple smile be a source of joy for each one of us as we face life's difficulties

Pope Francis

Have you checked out the wonderful prayer resources available on both national and provincial websites? The Litany of Our Lady of Good Counsel and the Crowning of Mary service used at our AMM came from the provincial website, https://cwl.on.ca/prayers/. Among National's 700 series: prayers and hymns is a prayer service for deceased members. I encourage your council to lead prayers in the funeral home, https://cwl.ca/resources/700-series-prayers-and-hymns/

Thank you to all the councils that submitted a spiritual bouquet for Father Yvan Mathieu, S.M. appointed Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall and Titular Bishop of Vazari and/or for Pope Francis.

SAVE-THE-DATE!

I am so happy to announce that we are once again able to gather for the CWL Day at the Shrine. Wednesday July 27th is our Day at the Shrine at St. Patrick's Church in Merlin, ON. The day will begin at 10:00 a.m. and end at approximately 2:30 p.m.

Upcoming Feast Days and Events:

May 29th – The Ascension of the Lord

May 31st – The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

June 5th - Pentecost Sunday

June 6th – Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

June 25th – The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

July 27th – CWL Day at the Shrine in Merlin

"Catholic and Living It!"

Yours in Christ,

Joan