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# **ONE**MISSION St Patrick's, Cobalt, Ontario

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St Patrick's is one our smallest councils and one of the busiest as well. They continue to support their community as well as their church, and church members. Throughout the year, they are busy doing funeral lunches, visiting the sick and supporting the Haileybury and New Liskeard church activities.



## Our Mother of Perpetual Help, New Liskeard, Ontario



This group keeps their community up to date with ongoing changes in health care and faith. They offer days of reflection, join in the Sisters of Saint Joseph in North Bay and inform the other parishes of what is being offered to grow in faith. They also brought information and speakers forward to make us aware of the Mental Illness presumption and how we as a whole diocese need to keep our hearts, minds and arms open to be present to these individuals. We must stay away from being judgmental and attempt

to see through their eyes and mind and fears. We are to meet the needs physically and psychologically Matthew 25: 37



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#### Sacred Heart of Jesus, Timmins, Ontario

The CWL of Sacred Heart of Jesus have always maintained a close and vigorous watch over their community and the words of God. The ladies crochet, knit, sew and cook to meet the needs of the people of God near and far as well. They participated in fund raisers such as the Terry Fox Run, Breast Cancer Walk, and given financially to the Heart& Stroke Fund, Breast Cancer Research, Cancer Society.

They promoted members to reduce, reuse and re-cycle and to shop locally. They have made themselves available to attend learning sessions and supported

others to join them via the media, bulletin and word of mouth.

As well, they strongly supported the Catholic School System in whatever way that was effective.





## St Anthony of Padua, Timmins, Ontario

This parish has been busy setting the flames and ensuring the leagues mission and believes are passed on to their members and members of their church. Their outreach to community is well noted in the news and by word of mouth. Their generosity is profound for the mentally ill and poverty stricken young and old alike. Visiting, cooking meals and dressing the destitute for the long cold winter. Along with their outreach to others in foreign lands



### Mary Queen of the World, Matheson, Ontario

As we all have become aware that our organization members are now seasoned and we must work within our limited resources, this CWL sure makes the best of it. The make things happen, keep their spirits inflamed and those in their community through their group coordinated activities.

In the fall the gathering as one is successful and so well appreciated by those near and far of Matheson.

This group of women will be responsible for the main refreshments for our diocesan 81<sup>st</sup> annual convention.





## Our Lady of the Lake, Larder Lake, Ontario

These women keep busy being involved with the church functions, and community events and community organizations such as the Legion. They cook, bake and serve at various functions. They continue to put on their main fund raiser to enable the CWL in Larder Lake to remain active and visible, and enables Our Lady of the Lake church to remain open; this being their main driving force to remain a functioning unit.



## Holy Name of Jesus, Kirkland Lake, Ontario

Where there is one purpose their truly is one focus and thank you to our sister parishes, Mary, Queen of the World, Matheson and Our Lady of the Lake, Larder Lake, we are able to host the 81<sup>st</sup> Annual Timmins Diocesan Convention. This has allowed us to fulfill our mandate and mission of the League to reach out to the needs of our Church, our community , our province , our country and those in need in the world passed our borders. We have had a number of successful fund raisers; reached our goals to bring back the candles in our church, support our local Pro Life Association and Palliative Care.

## 81<sup>st</sup> Annual Timmins Diocesan Convention





This is also another busy Catholic Women's League in our diocese. These women have begun to attend workshops with the First Nations in Matachewan learning their crafts and sharing their cuisine.

They continue to have the soup kitchens for the community and knit, crotchet, sew and fill school bags for those at home and abroad. One of the members brings Fai Share to our areas in order for us to be able to reach out to the women in other countries who are less fortunate than us.

They also support students who wish to go on work missions in other countries which truly is an effective way to reach our youth.

