

***"The CWL has been around since the 1920's
and has met annually with all levels of government
since the 1970's so I know my voice will be heard."***

(Welcome brochure – Why am I a member www.cwl.ca)

I have heard women say that membership in the Catholic Women's League is a gift they give themselves.

We should celebrate being members of this wonderful organization and *joyfully* welcome other women to join us.

As we flip the calendar into November, we have this opportunity as parish councils are holding membership drives ... recruiting new (and lapsed) members and retaining existing members.

I was recently asked by a member where to find promotional League material.

The CWL national website has wonderful resources ... **ctrl & click** the links below.

To Inspire:

Why Become a Member? <https://www.cwl.ca/why-become-a-member/> (6 videos)

What's Your CWL? <https://www.cwl.ca/whats-your-cwl/> (11 videos + 1 poster)

Powerful Stories from the First 100 Years <https://www.cwl.ca/powerful-stories/>
(9 videos)

Share the Words – 52 Reasons to Talk About the CWL

https://www.cwl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/ShareTheWords_FINAL_Dec1.pdf

To Promote: Use this link <https://www.cwl.ca/promotional-material/> for:

For God and Canada (DVD) (#301) – I still enjoy watching this!

Invitation Cards (#303A & #303B)

CWL Testimonial Video (#307) – click and watch online

Welcome (Why Am I a Member) Brochure (#308)

Woman on a Mission (video) (#309) – click and watch online

Use this link <https://www.cwl.ca/promotional-material/> for:

Welcome Program brochure (#313)

Be a Bridge Through Generations (postcard and poster) (#314 & #315)

Many Cultures in Faith (postcard and poster) (#316 & #317)

Embracing Diversity graphic (#318)

Membership Gift Certificate (#206) – give the gift of the League to a friend using this link <https://www.cwl.ca/certificates-and-pins/>

The national website also has wonderful tools to celebrate members and councils.

Certificate of Merit

<https://www.cwl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/202-Certificate-of-Merit-2023.pdf>

Council Anniversary Certificate – to mark special anniversaries

<https://www.cwl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/203-Council-Anniversary-Certificate-2023.pdf>

Increase in Membership Certificate

<https://www.cwl.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/09/204-Increase-in-Membership-Certificate-2023.pdf>

The Gratitude Project postcard (#324)

<https://www.cwl.ca/promotional-material/>

As I write this newsletter, we are nearing the end of October – Month of the Holy Rosary of the Virgin Mary. Let us continue to pray for all League members and spiritual advisors and also pray to Our Lady of Good Counsel for guidance and wisdom in our service to the League.

Submitted by Karen McDonald, Vice-President