



**THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF CANADA  
SAULT STE. MARIE DIOCESAN COUNCIL  
Organization Standing Committee**



**Directive # 5**

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**To:** Organization Chairpersons

**From:** Lisa Henry, Diocesan President Elect / Organization Chairperson

**Cc.** Diocesan Spiritual Advisor, Diocesan Executive, Parish Presidents, Provincial Organization Chairperson

My dear sisters in the League,

Happy Spring! The air has a smell of freshness, and the trees are beginning to form new buds. Flowers start to bloom, and we begin to remember how extraordinary nature is. It is a time of new beginnings, hope and possibilities!

My thoughts are drawn to the hope that with vaccinations beginning to roll out, we may someday soon be able to gather in person again. What a joyful time that will be! In the meantime, how can we stay connected with one another and continue with membership drives? I would love to hear from you and how you are doing these two things.

**Invitation to Presidents & Organization Chairpersons  
Shining the Spotlight on Councils!!**

I would like to invite you to email me photos and even videos (if you've taken any with your smart phone) with a brief description of the ways you have connected with each other during this time of COVID so I may share this in our next Diocesan Newsletter and on our Diocesan Facebook page. ***The deadline for submissions is August 30, 2021.*** You can email me at: [lidahenry11@gmail.com](mailto:lidahenry11@gmail.com) (*please note: the "d" in my email is not a typo*)

Perhaps, you haven't done anything yet this year? No problem! There's still lots of time to get those creative juices flowing and come up with something!

When submitting, please include the following information:

1. Name and location of CWL Council
2. Date and brief description of membership drive or initiative of how you are staying connected or promoting engagement with members.
3. Photo(s) with a little caption of who is in the photo

**IMPORTANT:** Please ensure you have permission from members to share any photos they are a part of in the Diocesan Newsletter and/or Diocesan Facebook page.

Finally, I wish you a beautiful spring! Attached is a little reflection on the ways we may take in the beauty of spring all around us.

Peace and Blessings,

*Lisa*

Lisa Henry

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