



## September CWL Newsletter 2025

**"HERE I AM Lord, Send Me"**

Welcome back to all our ladies. We have survived the long, humid hot summer and I hope you are enjoying our cooler temperatures. I am busy weeding flower beds, which always seem to successfully grow bountiful weeds, even though they were ignored during the summer! We have many CWL activities planned for the next four months and we hope you will be able to join us for the following event.

### **CWL FALL DINNER**

Roast Beef with Peppercorn Sauce  
Baby Potatoes, Pierogies with Sour Cream  
Garden Salad with Vinaigrette Dressing  
California Style Mixed vegetables  
Dinner Rolls and Butter  
Dessert- Fruit Platter / Mixed Berry Fruit Cake with Whipped Cream  
Tea, Coffee, Water, Juice

**\$30** per person available at all masses  
(Tickets on sale Sept. 13 , with dead-line for purchase of Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup>) in order to notify caterer of the total number of meals to prepare.

Etransfer Payment : [stpcwl@gmail.com](mailto:stpcwl@gmail.com) (Dinner ticket can be picked up on arrival)

**ALL LADIES, HUSBANDS, FRIENDS, CAREGIVERS ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US!**

Thursday, Sept. 25, 2025  
Fr. Bennett Hall  
Doors open at 5:30 p.m. – Dinner at 6:00 p.m.  
Service Pins will be presented  
Entertainment - Story Reader Darlene Manley

For additional information please contact Carla Beckett at  
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### **CWL Northern Meeting**

It will be held at Holy Martyr's of Japan Church in Bradford, September 22<sup>nd</sup>. Rosary will be recited at 6:30 p.m. followed by Mass at 7:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served, followed by the business meeting. We hope you can plan to attend and support our Northern President Martha Whelton.

### **Ministry Fair**

It will be held on Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, September 28<sup>th</sup> after all weekend masses at only St Paul's Church, with the exception of the Sunday 6:00 p.m. mass. The Ministry Fair will showcase all our parish ministries and provide opportunities to see the various ways in which the church and others need your participation. This is an event you don't want to miss. Please stop by and view our CWL display.

### **CWL 2026 Membership Drive**

Our membership drive has begun! Please find the appropriate blue envelope in your offertory box inserted in the month of November. We look forward to many exciting events with our newest members!

Payments by cheque of **\$40** can be made out to the Catholic Women's League. Please fill out the front of the envelope with your name, current address, postal code, phone number and email address if applicable. The envelope can be placed in the church collection plate or you can bring it to the Fall dinner.

**Also.....** We now have the opportunity to pay membership dues by e-transfer. Funds can thus be transferred to: [\*\*stpcwl@gmail.com\*\*](mailto:stpcwl@gmail.com).

We thank you for being a part of the CWL! There will be a draw for a free **2026** membership for those who pay their dues **by December 31, 2025**.

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### **Life Chain Sunday**

It will be held on Sunday, October 5, 2025 from 2:00-3:00 p.m. at the corner of Church and Victoria Streets. Life Chain is an annual pro-life event demanding an end to the killing of the preborn in Canada. More information can be found in future church bulletins.

### **SAVE THE DATE**

CWL Annual Christmas Bazaar

When- Sat. Nov. 8, 2025

Time: 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Where: Fr. Bennett Hall

Bazaar Convener- Carla Beckett

**Bazaar Raffle Tickets-** Linda Beckstead 705-434-9814

Please pick up a book of tickets to sell. They will be available at all the weekend masses in October. Raffle tickets will be available at our Fall Dinner as well. Linda Beckstead is the convener. More information will be coming in the next newsletter as well as future church bulletins.

### **Archdiocese Jubilee Pilgrimage to Martyr's Shrine**

Loretta Gismondi organized a bus trip for the Jubilee Year-Pilgrims of Hope on Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup>. Eleven passengers enjoyed a beautiful, peaceful, faith-filled inspiring day! There were many buses and cars at the Shrine as close to 4,000 people were in attendance. Throughout the day, dozens of priests heard confessions with hundreds of pilgrims lining up to experience the powerful sacrament of reconciliation. The afternoon included a Rosary Procession throughout the Shrine grounds followed by Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction by His Eminence Francis Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto. It was most satisfying to see 19 clergy from the different areas of Toronto and beyond. Our bus driver, Mark, made our day extra-special with his kindness.

President Donna Jebb provided the following pictures of the day! Of particular interest is the picture showing a priest hearing confessions outdoors beside a dumpster. After a confession was heard, perhaps all his sins went in the dumpster!



1. Line-up of cars entering the grounds

2. People are lined up to have their confession heard – note dumpster
3. CWL members Anne Maher and Judy Adams
4. People waiting patiently in a line-up

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