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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Dear sisters,

First, may I wish all of you the love and warmth of family and friends as Valentine's Day is just around the corner. May I also wish for all of you a very spiritual and prayerful Lenten season as Ash Wednesday is also just days away and we begin the preparation for Easter.

With all of that in mind, there are several important dates I wish to bring to your attention.

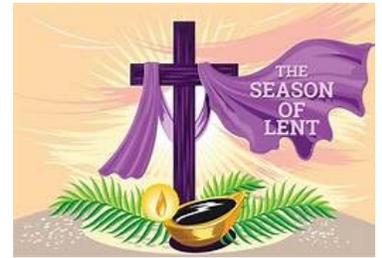
February 15, 2026 – We will be hosting a PARISH POTLUCK SUPPER – 5pm in the Church Hall. Sign-up sheets will be posted on the bulletin board at the entrance of the church. Remember to bring your own cutlery & plates. We will provide coffee, tea & juice. No alcohol permitted. Hope to see many of you there. Our last potluck supper was very well attended. Come and enjoy a feast before Lent!

February 19, 2026 – Our monthly CWL gathering – 1:30pm in the Msgr. Flynn Rm. We are having a special guest speaker, Delores Brisbois from the Desert Valley Hospice Society to speak on their research program – Nav CARE. Which stands for Navigation, Connecting, Accessing, Resources, Engaging. A very important topic for all of us. Get the word out and invite all who could benefit from this presentation. Bring your significant other and/or friends.

One more thing, we are preparing for a LENTEN RETREAT on Monday, March 16. More information to come.

Blessings to you all,

Cindy



CWL General Meeting

February 19, 2026

1:30 pm

Msgr. Flynn Rm.

Guest speaker:

Nav CARE



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Parish Potluck Supper
Sunday, Feb. 15, 2026- 5pm
Church Hall

- ◆ Signup sheets are on the bulletin board in the main entrance to the church.
- ◆ Bring your own plates and silverware.
- ◆ Coffee, tea and juice will be served. No alcohol permitted.

LENTEN RETREAT

Monday, March 16, 2026

More information to come.





LEAGUE PRAYER

We humbly pray You,
O God our Father, to bless
The Catholic Women's League of
Canada.

Bless our beloved country,
our homes and families.

Send Your Holy Spirit upon us
to give light to our minds
and strength to our wills
that we may know and fulfil
Your great law of charity.

Teach us to share with others
at home and abroad,
the good things You have given us.

This we ask through our

Lord Jesus Christ

and the intercession of our
patroness,

Our Lady of Good Counsel.

Amen

**PRAYER
CORNER**

God of goodness and mercy,

Hear my prayer as I begin this Lenten journey with you.

*Let me be honest with myself as I look into my heart and soul,
noticing the times I turn away from you.*

Guide me as I humbly seek to repent and return to your love.

*May humility guide my efforts to be reconciled with you
and live forever in your abundant grace.*

Transform me this Lent, heavenly Father.

*Give me the strength to make myself 100% available to you
every day as I prepare for Easter.*

Amen.



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The Vatican recently released two documents that matter not only to The B.C. Catholic but to our fractured world.

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Prayer for Passion on the Mission

*Jesus, our Lord, we come to You with open hearts
seeking passion for Your mission.*

*Your deepest desire was to draw all peoples into
the embrace of the Heavenly Father's Kingdom.*

*Send Your Holy Spirit to ignite our hearts with
the fire of Your passionate love, to empower us
with enthusiasm for Your mission.*

*May we be instruments of Your love to
our sisters in the League, our families, parishes,
and communities.*

*As we journey together, may the flame in our hearts
illuminate others to know Your eternal love.*

*May we hold Your people in our hearts as
we place all our trust in You.*

*Sweet Jesus, each day as we lift up our
hearts to You, we offer You our prayers,
works, joys, and sufferings.*

*We humbly ask that our offerings increase
our faith, hope, and charity.*

*O Most Sacred and Passionate Heart of Jesus,
may our hearts and Yours beat together as one.*

*We make this prayer to You, Jesus,
in the power of the Father and in the union
of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.*

Amen.

— Betty Colaneri



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