

Why belong?

- The CWL is the voice of Catholic women expressing their values and promoting dignity and justice for all.
- The CWL is a gift of faith, friendship and support, offering leadership development and affirmation.
- The CWL gives members the opportunity to serve God and Canada. Through standing committees, members can feel the pulse of what is happening in church and society.
- The CWL invites all Catholic women to share their gifts and make a difference.

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 fulfill
Your great law of charity.*

*Teach us to share with others,
at home and abroad,*

the good things You have given us.

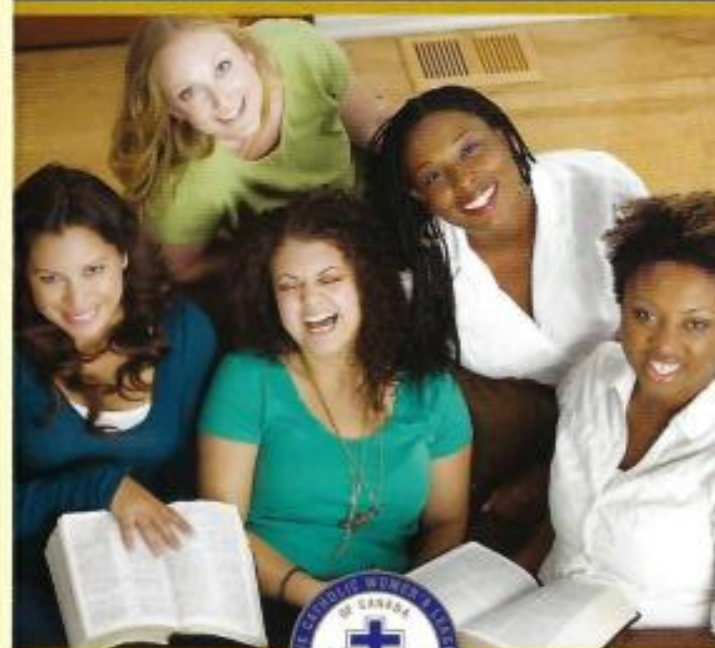
*This we ask through Our Lord Jesus Christ
and the intercession of our patroness,
Our Lady of Good Counsel.*

Amen

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Why am I a member?



Faith

Fun

Fulfillment

If I...

- Want to develop a deeper spiritual life
- Believe in the power of prayer
- Strive to set a Christian example in my home and workplace
- Believe in the sanctity of life
- Believe women play an important role in church and society

- Seek to uphold the dignity of all human beings
- Believe in the value of Catholic education and affordable health services
- Understand the importance of religious freedom, social justice, peace and harmony.

Then I belong in the CWL!



Where do I fit?

- I belong to a grassroots parish-based organization that is part of the largest national organization of Catholic women in Canada.
- My membership offers me opportunities to become involved on the regional, diocesan, provincial, national and even international scene.
- 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.

- Whether as mothers in families, as a vital presence in the work force and the institutions of society, or in the particular vocation of following our Lord... women have an indispensable role...

This feels right for me...



Members say...

"to belong means to walk in friendship and faith"

"We are a family and the 'heart' of our faith community."

"a dynamic, wholesome, healthy, and supportive sisterhood"

"The CWL has taught me self confidence and enhanced my leadership skills."

"the beauty of the League... a place for women of all ages and heritages"

Come and journey...