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CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

# THE CWL VOICE



CWL  
General Meeting  
Thursday  
February 20 - 7pm  
Msgr. Flynn Rm.  
Information Session

## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Greetings Sisters,

Welcome our new executive: Past President – Cindy Kennedy, Secretary – Tish Ecker, Treasurer – Sharon Kwong Wah, Organization/Membership – Lori Stodola, and Spiritual – Maria Gonzalez. Thanks to Judi Whitehouse and Marilyn Murphy who are both continuing in their roles as Sunshine and Receipt Tallying.

Thanks to Chris Leibel for all her dedication over the many years as Organization/Membership Chairperson and Vi Kovacs for her years as Spiritual Chairperson. Also, thanks to Elaine Smuland for her years as Past President. We hope that you will continue to work on projects with us!

The January potluck was a hit, with approximately 70 in attendance. Our next potluck will be February 23 and we hope you can all attend. We always need helping hands.

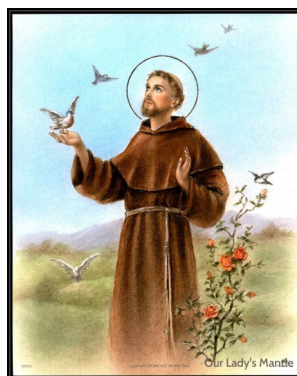
Please take note, if you have any photographs of CWL events over the years and wouldn't mind lending them to the *2020 Centenary Project*, please see the information in this newsletter.

Following the business meeting February 16, there will be an information session regarding the Holy Father's *Laudato Si - care for our common home - climate change* inspired by the teachings of Saint Francis Assisi.

I look forward to my term as President, working together with you all for God and Canada.

**Our Lady of Good Counsel**  
**Pray for us**

Cheryl



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## Special points of interest

- New CWL Executive
- Parish Potluck—February 23
- February general meeting - Climate Change

**Catholic Mountain Star**  
Roman Catholic Diocese of  
Nelson

<https://22.files.edl.io/5bfc/12/04/19/195507-1d024abc-ba1d-450e-9387-d7d6ad3d5ef5.pdf>





### 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

## The Messiah's most interesting aspect is its ambiguity

BY DAVID BAIRD

THE B.C. CATHOLIC

The 10-part Netflix drama *The Messiah* centres on a beguiling religious figure in the contemporary Middle East who claims to speak for God and appears to work miracles.

With the action alternating between the marvellous acts of "Al-Masih" and efforts by various world governmental intelligence agencies to "contain" or explain away his work, the obvious question arises: is Al-Masih the real deal? Is he God's anointed returned in the flesh? Is he only – or, more complicatedly, *also* – a political subversive, psychiatric patient, and former street hustler?

continue reading.....<https://bccatholic.ca/voices/david-baird/the-messiahs-most-interesting-aspect-is-its-ambiguity>



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### WITNESSING TO THE TRUTH



### salt + light media

Pray the Rosary  
<https://saltandlighttv.org/rosary/>

## 2020 Centenary Project

100<sup>th</sup> National Convention, August 9-12, 2020 Montreal

### Wanted! Photographic History of your Council

A wall of memorabilia will be posted at the convention hall in Montreal, so we need photographs of notable events at your council dating back as far as your very first president and executive and general meeting to more current events.

During the next few months, select your photographs, 2 maximum, and give them to your council president who will make sure that they are passed on to your Diocesan President and Provincial President who will take them to the National Convention

Make sure your council name, event, date and members names are on a label that is taped to the back of the photograph.

**This is a valuable and interesting effort by all councils in Canada. Let us make sure that we make it to the "Wall of Fame!"**

The National office is planning to publish a coffee table book to Commemorate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Catholic Women's League of Canada

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