



The Catholic Women's League of Canada

London Diocesan Council

To: All Parish Presidents, Parish Community Life Chairpersons
CC: London Diocesan Council, Mary Capobianco, OPC Community Life Chairperson.
From: Pat Sloan, Community Life Chairperson
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Directive # 1

Hello, my name is Pat Sloan. I have been a member of CWL for 40 years and have been Regional Chairwoman for Sarnia/Lambton for the last 5 years. I have been married to my husband, Paul, for 50 years this coming August. We have two sons, Christopher and James, and three grandsons, Spencer, Sebastian, and Sullivan.

I am looking forward to being Community Life Chairwoman for the London Diocesan Council. Under my directives, we will be tackling the effects of this Pandemic vigorously. Some of the major issues we are facing are Right to Life, Euthanasia, Human Trafficking and over all Mental Wellness.

Are we connecting with our communities? Are we supporting organizations that help the homeless, feed the poor, and clothe the naked? Are we ambassadors in our parishes?

How do we, as Council members, stay connected?

Would you consider joining a 3-in-1 club with no membership fees, no minimum purchase required? To belong, you only need to commit to calling three people outside your circle of friends across a week's time. They could be neighbours, people in long term care facilities, etc. This idea came from our Provincial Community Life Chair, Mary Capobianco.

I believe this is just one of many possible ways that we can stay connected to our communities during this latest stay-at-home order, lockdown, shut down or whichever provincial policies we are being asked to follow.

Perhaps just something to think about!

God Bless,

Pat Sloan