

Environment Care

To: All Parish Presidents, Communications Chairpersons

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If you can't fly, then run, if you can't run, then walk, if you can't walk, then crawl, but whatever you do you have to keep moving forward. —Martin Luther King Jr.

Educate: Why not work together with another committee chair on your council towards a common cause? Perhaps you can find a way to tackle the problem of Loneliness? Perhaps you can be in charge of the communications for your council's loneliness projects?

Strategic Planning- Planning moves us into the future of the League. For more information, updates and how to become involved, please go to the following link to the National site: https://cwl.ca/implementation-of-the-strategic-plan/ https://cwl.ca/implementation-of-the-strategic-plan/. You will also find a CWL Prayer for Renewal program here.

Chain of Responsibility- Was given out at the Fall Regionals and in mailings in the fall. I am currently working on a linear version which will be posted on the website to increase ease of understanding.

Are you interested in current events? Do you like to take action? If the answer is yes to either of these questions, please go to our website and discover the many links and resources on our "Events" page or click on our "Take Action" button on the "Home" page. Perhaps you will find something here you believe in and want to educate others about? Perhaps you may want to learn more about conventions? The pages website is updated frequently. Why not visit www.cwllondon.ca today?

Engage: I am putting together a *focus group* to collect data regarding our League Lingo editions, to provide feedback on surveys going out in the near future and other aspects. I would love to have at least one person from each region participate. If you are interested, please contact your Regional Chairperson with your email and a brief bit about why you are interested in this project by February 14th, 2020. I look forward to working with you on this exciting endeavour!

Laudato Si- How can you live out *Caring for Our Common Home?* Why not start by taking a pledge and encouraging others and organizations you are associated with to do the same? Visit: http://livelaudatosi.org/pledge-forms/ Need help with ways to live the pledge? Visit: http://livelaudatosi.org/ways-live-pledge/.

Go Green! The Canadian League magazine can be received online rather than a mail out. If you prefer this option, contact your membership chairperson to mark down this option on your renewal form.

Empower: Environmental groups in our area need your help! Why not help then compile a list of organizations complete with contacts in your area? Please forward the names of any organization connected to the environment in your area so others can find ways to *Care for Our Common Home*.

Loneliness project ideas- If you have great ideas you would like to share, please email them to me or to your Regional Chair who can pass the ideas along to me. I will be posting a list of ideas on our website. My email address is below.

Contact/Suggestions/Guidance:

Any suggestions regarding communications? I am always looking at how I can serve you better, or I am here to help you with communications for your council. Please email me at: cwllondoncommunications@gmail.com.

Please continue to contribute to the ONline newsletter and the League Lingo! Being a part of sharing the Good News of God's works through our ladies in the League is an honour and a blessing! I look forward to your submissions and hope to hear from you soon.

I would also like to thank everyone for the prayers for my husband as well as the support and understanding during what was a busy and stressful time as we had surgeries booked, moved and rebooked. God is good and Todd is healing. I am truly grateful.

Blessings

Denise

"To effectively communicate, we must realize that we are all different in the way we perceive the world and use this understanding as a guide to our communication with others." -Anthony Robbins