

Organization

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The Primate of Canada His Eminence Gerald Cardinal Lacroix (Quebec) recently stated the League, "Works to build, not destruct. To heal and not harm, to love and serve, to eliminate selfishness and isolation." He also praised us for who we are, our vivid faith and our love in action.

Introduction

I am excited to be your new provincial president elect because the League is very important to me. I am married to Art and we have 5 children and 16 grandchildren. I graduated from UBC, Vancouver with a Bachelor of Arts and have my Toastmasters gold level in both leadership and public speaking. My faith means a great deal to me. I am here to serve you!

Organization Chairpersons

I would like to introduce our diocesan Organization Chairpersons. They are:
Kamloops: Lynn Langley; Nelson: Donna Trenaman; Prince George: Maria Tejero;
Vancouver: Sherray Durran; Victoria: Bertha Landrie; Whitehorse: vacant please send to: Carol Vanderbyl. Our new national organization chair is Shari Guinta.
I look forward to working with you and remind you to please send your communiques to your diocesan counterparts and myself. Thank you!

The Importance of the Organization Chair.

This chair involves recruiting members and maintaining membership, leadership development, League resource material, annual reports and life membership.

There are many wonderful reasons to encourage women to join the League. Reasons include our spiritual lives are enriched, we serve with like-minded people, the sisterhood, leadership opportunities, programs to preserve the family, reverence for life, great information on our changing world and how it affects Christians, helping people at home and aboard, having fun working together, membership prevents loneliness and isolation, and resolutions that are presented to our politicians, Our past national president Agnes Bedard said, "That every women finds within this blest sisterhood acceptance, encouragement, love and support."

League Resource Material - Executive Orientation Program

Each council's executive should take the time to watch this program. Go to cwl.ca then to Organize, then to the 800 series and finally to 828. It is well done and a very good resource.

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