

The Catholic Women's League of Canada
96th ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE VANCOUVER DIOCESAN
COUNCIL

St. Ann's Parish, 33333 Mayfair Avenue, Abbotsford BC

Tentative Agenda

Thursday, April 25th, 2019

1:30 – Registration Opens

2:30 – 3:30 – Resolution Dialogue-presentation by individuals who have written resolutions in our Diocese

4:00 – Pre-Convention Meeting – (Rev. Thomas Smith, Parish Council Presidents, Diocesan Officers and Chairpersons-Life Members Welcome)

4:00 – Speaker for those not attending the Pre-Convention Meeting – Parish Hall-for those not attending the Pre-Convention Meeting

5:00 – Dinner – ticketed event

6:15 – Assemble in church foyer – Provincial Representatives, President's with Banners, Life Members, Diocesan Elected Officers, Chairpersons and Flag Bearers

6:30 – Opening Eucharistic Celebration with Father Tom Smith followed by welcome from dignitaries

8:00 – Wine and Cheese Reception hosted by Knights of Columbus

Friday April 26th, 2019

8:30 – Enthronement of Bible

Business sessions begin

9:30: – **Update on Strategic Plan Implementation Committee- Sharon Ciebin**

10:00 – Break

10:15 –**Domestic Abuse Services Our Lady of Good Counsel Society Presentation and Report**

11:00 – **Diocese of Vancouver Anti-Human Trafficking Committee update – Barbara Renaud and Sister Nancy Brown**

11:30- Eucharistic Celebration with Father Tom Smith and priests attending Spiritual Advisors' Lunch (Deceased Roll, Special Collection)

12:30 – 1:30 Lunch (Spiritual Advisors welcome with ticket-eat with their councils)

1:30 – Region 6 Goals and Highlights

1:45 President, Past President and Secretary Reports

2:00 – 2:45 **-L'Arche Presentation**

2:50: **Columbus Charities**

3:00 – Break

3:15 – 3:45 **Circles of Support and Accountability – Prison Ministry Support**

3:45 – Region 3 and 4 Goals and Highlights

Treasurer's Report

President-Elect/Organization

Spiritual Development

Legislation

4:45 – Social Announcements

5:30 – Dinner and Casual Night – ticket required – Entertainment-Live Band

Saturday, April 27th, 2019

8:30 – Morning Prayer, Opening of the Bible, Spiritual Presentation

Business sessions begin

9:00 – Region 1 Goals and Highlights

9:45 – Break

10:00 –10:55: **Screening -Fatal Flaws-shorter version**

Region 5 & 2 Goals and Highlights

Education and Health Report

Community Life Report

11:30 – 11:50: **Sparkly and Smart-Sofie Roux-African Well Project**

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch

1:00 – **Catholic Cemeteries – Terry Whitely**

1:15 – 2:15 **Provincial Workshop – Sharon Geiger**

2:15 – Break

Resolutions

Christian Family Life

Communications

Life Member Liaison Report

Adjournment

3:00 – **Elections Roxanne McDonald**

Roll Call

Elections

Introduction of Officers and new Chairpersons

Registration Report

Adjournment

Social Announcements

4:00 Post Convention Meeting - Diocesan Elected Officers & Committee Chairpersons (new and past) Fr. Smith and Parish Council Presidents-life members welcome

5:00 – Closing Mass – Main Celebrant Vicar General Fr. Gary Franken

7:00 – Banquet – Ticketed Event