



**CATHOLIC
and LIVING IT!**



**Parkland Holy Trinity CWL
February 13, 2023**

1. President, Mariette Huot welcomed members to our regular meeting held in St. Martin de Porres Room. In the absence of Marian Walshe, Spiritual Development leader, Pat Heatherington was to have presented the prayer. Due to the President's fault, it was missed and apologize profusely.
2. Secretary, Judy Cruise, proclaimed the *Traditional Land Acknowledgement*.
3. Correspondence included two thank you cards.
4. The President and Sr. Susan Scott shared information about the **Strategic Plan** and the **Year 5 Working Groups**. Volunteers will work in groups for two to four hours per week in these one-year positions. All information is available on the National website and will be sent together with the Minutes for members to consider.

Upcoming dates and events:

- i) **February 19th - 11:30 a.m.** - Service to celebrate the reactivation of Sacred Heart Church CWL Council. This Council was one of the first to come into existence in Edmonton.
- ii) **February 20th - 7:00 p.m.** - Online Provincial Lenten Retreat hosted by Sr. Susan. This session, entitled "Lent and Social Justice: Fasting to Do More" will last approximately one and a half hours.
- iii) **February 25th - 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** - Lenten Retreat hosted by Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Sherwood Park
- iv) **February 27th - 7:00 p.m.** - CWL Executive Meeting via Zoom.
- v) **March 3rd - 7:00 p.m.** - United Church in Spruce Grove – World Day of Prayer
- vi) **March 18th - "Our Cup Runneth Over" Retreat - 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.** at Holy Trinity with **Mass at 5:00 p.m.** Sandra Prather will be our Facilitator. The meal will be catered by PK Catering. The cost of \$25.00 for participants will cover the cost of food and items required. The retreat is open to all ladies in our parish. There will be no tickets. Further plans for this special day are currently being formulated.
- vii) **September 30th** - Our Council has been requested to host the Diocesan Executive Fall Meeting.

A majority of members present were in agreement that we should host the meeting.***Confirmed that we will be hosting the meeting on September 30th****

5. **Request from parents from St. Peter the Apostle High School**- They wish to raise money for the Graduation Committee in order to fund students who can't afford to attend the ceremonies. Mariette offered them the option of holding a bake sale at our Church on March 11th and 12th. Prospective graduates and their families would be responsible for providing and selling the baked goods. Parishioners can contribute baked goods to help their cause if they wish to do so.
6. **Next Regular Meeting** - March 13, 2023
Next Executive Meeting - March 27, 2023

MOVIE AND POPCORN TIME
"The Upside"