

Manitoba Provincial Council
Catholic Women's League of Canada
Annual Members Meeting

Oral Report

June 26, 2021

Madam President, Fr. Paul, Sisters in the League,

From January 1 to May 2021, under the presidency of Lucille Rossington, all councils in our Diocese could not meet in person due to Covid 19 restrictions.

Some councils were able to conduct meetings virtually; some met by phone. In some areas, due to high Covid 19 cases, none were held due to members not having internet.

President Lucille continued to attend to emails received and acted upon them as directed.

A teleconference meeting was held January 9; a Zoom license was purchased to continue meetings virtually. Three zoom meetings were held, including the 69th Annual Members Meeting.

The annual booklet was sent to Provincial to include on their website.

Election of Officers for 2021-2023 took place at the Annual Members Meeting on May 29, 2021.

The new Executive was installed, with only a few chairs remaining to be filled.

For myself personally, I attended the following: an Orientation for incoming Presidents of Diocesans in February; the Provincial Day of Celebration zoom presentation on February 24; the Provincial Council Lenten Retreat on March 13; all meetings of our Diocese

I thank you for the warm welcome at the pre-convention meeting on June 16 as well as the good wishes messages that I have received since being elected President of our Diocesan Council.

I know this will be a great learning experience and I look forward to working with each and every one of you.

This concludes my report.

Bernadette Benson, President

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