



The Catholic Women's League of Canada

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KELOWNA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, MAY 23rd, 2022 — Five hundred Catholic women of faith will gather at the Delta Hotel by Marriott Grand Okanagan Resort, Kelowna, August 14-17, 2022, for the 102nd annual national convention of The Catholic Women's League of Canada with the theme, *Catholic and Living It!*

Keynote speaker author and General Counsel for the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA Elizabeth Tomlin of Okemos, Wisconsin, will give two presentations Tuesday, August 16th on "Joyful Momentum" and "You are the Now of God." Chancellor for the Archdiocese of Vancouver and Honorary Life Member Barbara Dowding will speak Tuesday, August 16th on "The Art of Accompaniment."

Delegates, members, and guests look forward to gathering in national convention for the first time since the beginning of the global COVID-19 pandemic. There will be ample time to reflect on the League's theme *Catholic and Living It!* through the celebration of daily mass, prayer services and encounters with sister delegates.

Updates throughout the convention will be available on the League's national website (cwl.ca), Facebook page, Instagram, and Twitter (@CWLNational).

The Catholic Women's League of Canada is one of the largest organizations of women in Canada, with more than 60,000 members represented in every province and in the military. With a membership representing a wide cross-section of Canadian society, the League has received the commendation and keen appreciation of federal, provincial, territorial, and municipal authorities for the voluntary services ably performed by its nationwide membership.

National President Fran Lucas of Edmonton, Alberta, will be available for interviews prior to and during the convention.

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