



The Catholic Women's League of Canada Military Ordinariate Provincial Council



TO: Base Councils Presidents, Base Council Education & Health Chairs, Military Ordinariate Administrative Committee

FROM: Military Ordinariate Provincial Education & Health Chair

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SUBJECT: Palliative Care

Greetings, to you as we entered Lent. Today, I am sending you important information regarding Palliative Care. We all know how crucial some decisions can be made. Human life is a precious gift from God.

Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association (CHPCA)

On May 4th, 2017, or during the week of May 7th -13th, we are invited to participate in the 12 hours of Prayer for Palliative Care.

As members of the Catholic Women's League, we defend human life and dignity. Everyone is entitled to be treated lovingly, with respect at their end-of-life stages. We all know how human can be frail, weak and vulnerable in those moments.

We encouraged you to share and invite your friends, community to join you on that special day. To help us understand and be properly prepared, a Care Kit is attached to this memo. You will find important information, resources, prayers, reflections and meditations. We recommend you to print, and to distribute the Prayer Card to everyone. Envision the power of prayers when done in solidarity. A sample 12 hours of prayer day is also attached.

May you become:

"Inspired by the Spirit, Women Respond to God's Call"

Your Sister in the League,

Lise Bélanger