



Hamilton Diocesan Council  
of  
The Catholic Women's League of Canada

*Centred on Faith & Justice – Focused on Love*

October 2, 2011

Dear Sisters in The League:

It was wonderful to see so many of you at the recent Fall Regional Meeting Days. I hope that you enjoyed your experience, from the beautiful Eucharistic Celebration with Fr. Dave Wilhelm, the hospitality of the host councils, the fellowship of one another, hearing the reports from your sister League presidents and Diocesan Elected Officers and Chairwomen, the Workshop on Annual Reports and having the support and commitment of the new Regional Chairwomen and Secretaries.

At the time of the Regional Meetings I had hoped to have secured a date and speakers for a Day of Spirituality – but it was not possible.

Our faith is the most important aspect of the League as is stated in the Mission Statement:

*The Catholic Women's League of Canada is a national organization rooted in gospel values calling its members to holiness through service to the people of God.*

It is with great pleasure that I inform you that the Hamilton Diocesan Council will indeed be hosting a very faith-filled day for you to attend!

**On Saturday, November 26, 2011 from 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. we will be hosting a Day of Spirituality at St. Anthony Daniel Parish, 29 Midland Dr., Kitchener.**

Fr. Rico Passero, a recently ordained priest, will be speaking on “Journey to His Call.” Fr. Rico speaks with joy, enthusiasm and passion. Fr. Ted Hughes will speak on “Poverty of the Spirit.” Fr. Ted, as many of you will remember, was our Spiritual Advisor back in the early 1990's. He is a wealth of knowledge and full of spiritual wisdom and humour.

We ask that you **register by November 20<sup>th</sup> with a \$10 registration fee being submitted by November 21<sup>st</sup>**. Morning refreshments and lunch will be provided! Please contact Pat Wilkins or Ana Sousa to register you and your parish members.

National President Velma Harasen is encouraging each diocese to look into how Spiritual Poverty affects us and I know that Fr. Ted will give us all great insight to this.

On behalf of the entire Diocesan Elected Officers and Chairwomen, we look forward to seeing you on Saturday November 26. We know you won't be disappointed!

May Our Lady of Good Counsel guide us in all we do for God and Canada.

Sincerely,  
*Rosanne Sogan, President*

The Hamilton Diocesan Council of  
The Catholic Women's League  
Invite you to

# *A Day of Spirituality*

**Saturday, November 26, 2011**

**9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

at

**St Anthony Daniel Parish  
29 Midland Dr., Kitchener**

**Facilitators**

***Fr. Rico Passero***

***"Journey to His Call"***

and

***Fr. Ted Hughes***

***"Poverty of the Spirit"***

**Registration deadline - November 20<sup>th</sup>  
with payment received by November 21<sup>st</sup>**

**RSVP: Ana [amsousa@rogers.com](mailto:amsousa@rogers.com) or**

**Pat [patwilkins@rogers.com](mailto:patwilkins@rogers.com)**

**\$10.00 includes lunch**

The Hamilton Diocesan Council of  
The Catholic Women's League

# *A Day of Spirituality*

Saturday, November 26, 2011

St Anthony Daniel Parish  
29 Midland Dr., Kitchener

## *Agenda*

<b>9:30 - 10:00</b>	<b>Registration, refreshments and fellowship</b>
<b>10:00</b>	<b>Introduction of <i>Father Rico Passero</i></b>
<b>10:00 - 11:15</b>	<b><i>Father Rico</i> speaks on 'Journey to His Call'</b>
<b>11:15 - 11:30</b>	<b>Questions for <i>Father Rico Passero</i></b>
<b>11:30 - 11:45</b>	<b>Angelus and Grace</b>
<b>11:45 - 12:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>12:30</b>	<b>Introduction of <i>Father Ted Hughes</i></b>
<b>12:30 - 1:45</b>	<b><i>Father Ted</i> speaks on 'Poverty of the Spirit'</b>
<b>1:45 - 2:00</b>	<b>Questions for <i>Father Ted Hughes</i></b>
<b>2:00</b>	<b>Concluding comments</b>

*Centred on Faith & Justice – Focused on Love*