

The Catholic Women's League of Canada
Alberta Mackenzie Provincial Council

Christian Family Life REPORT for Fall Meeting (September 2010)

Since Bill C-384 is defeated, I suggest and recommend that we concentrate on Palliative care. We need to support the sick and elderly financially and through prayer. Another way to assist this group of people is through Hospice. They also need our support.

I viewed a few videos that Fran passed on to me. One was called "Turning the Tide" about Euthanasia, Dignity and Compassion. I have it and would recommend each Diocese order one and pass around to their Parishes.

I urge each Diocese and Parish to register to receive the newsletter from the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition <www.epcc.ca> by e-mailing <[euthanasiaprevention\[at\]on.aibn.com](mailto:euthanasiaprevention[at]on.aibn.com)>.

I have viewed videos by Father Mark Miller and have them for other Dioceses to borrow. They are on "Healing Ministry of Christ."

Agnes B. approached Fran L. to see if we could possibly have the CGLs participate in praying for poor countries and perhaps the girls would like to write to girls in these countries. I think this would be a great extension of their faith and fulfillment.

A great idea that was brought forward from Agnes B. is to involve the CGLs in a project with a developing country. I suggested that through Chalice <www.chalice.ca> or WUCWO <www.wucwo.org>, the girls could acquire a penpal with a girl in another country. What growth we could have for both girls.

World Youth Day is in Madrid, Spain in 2011 and I encourage every Parish to help the Youth in our Parishes in their fundraising efforts to be able to attend.

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