

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



COMMUNITY LIFE

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

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To: Diocesan Chairpersons of Community Life
CC: Parish Council Chairpersons of Community Life, Provincial Executive,
National Chairperson of Community Life
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Catholic Climate Covenant is offering a program as an opportunity to celebrate Earth Day April 22nd or any other convenient day. The focus is "Know the Creator Through Creation". There are three different programs and they are all free. This is one way to share with your parish, school and religious community in answer to Laudato Si'. Information is available by accessing: info@catholicclimatecovenant.org

Development and Peace

The Calgary Diocesan Council (D & P) will host the Regional Assembly and Retreat at the FCJ Retreat and Conference Centre, April 28-30, 2017. The theme is "In Solidarity for an Ecological Conversion". This will be an examination on how we can better answer Pope Francis' call in Laudato Si' to recognize in "loving awareness that we are not disconnected from the rest of creatures, but joined in a splendid universal communion". (Laudato Si', 220).

The opening address will be given by Bishop William McGrattan . Dr. Peter Baltutis will also be speaking. Dr. Baltutis, is one of the contributing authors of a special commemorative book highlighting the organization's work since its inception. This book will be launched at this celebration of Development & Peace's 50th Anniversary.

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Looking forward to seeing you at the AB/Mackenzie Provincial Convention in Edmonton,

Peace be with You