

Timmins Diocesan Education and Health Standing Committee Report to 2021 AGMs

The theme "Through service to the people of God" was evident in 1997 in resolutions passed that year. Resolution 1997.06: Genetically Engineered Foods was an Education and Health Resolution.

Service to the people of God is visible by the resolutions that were worked on and passed in the CWL's 100 years. A few of the many resolutions that were passed by Education and Health over the years:

- 1990- Environmental Concerns
- 1991- Over Medication of the Elderly
- 1996- Human Reproductive Technologies
 - Gambling Addiction
- 1998.03 National Pharmacare
- 1998.04 Increase in Funding for Health Research
- 1998.06 Chronic Fatigue Syndrome
- 1998.09 Ethyl Alcohol in Mouthwash
- 1999 - Macular Degeneration and Education Awareness
 - Unrelated Bone Marrow Donor Register Registry Program
 - Bulk Fresh Water Resources
- 2001- Quality End of Life Care
 - Water Quality in Canada
 - National Strategy for Arthritis
- 2002- Biopatenting
- 2003- Health Danger from Exposure to Lead in Consumer Products
- 2004 - Water Use in Canada
 - Treatment of Autistic Persons
- 2006.04 Renewable Energy

A few of the many archived Education and Health Resolutions

- Christian Response to AIDS- 1989
- Daytime Running Lights as Mandatory and also Crib Safety- 1986
- Bicycle Safety Standards- 1974
- Prevention of Drug Abuse -1972
- High Phosphate Detergents and Pollution-1970
- Seat Belts- 1963
- Fetal Alcohol Syndrome

"Service to the People of God" was the CWL theme for 1997 but remains a silent and present theme for the Catholic Women's League of Canada. It is amazing the number of resolutions presented by Standing Committees over the CWL'S 100 years.

Respectfully submitted, Bernice Duncan, Chairperson