<u>Send a brief</u> (even a very short one) to the Special Joint Committee on Physician-Assisted Dying. Email it to this address: pdam@parl.gc.ca

Let people know your position through traditional and social media. http://www.colf.ca

Year of Mercy Event for our diocese

Embracing Mercy: A journey to Martyr's Shrine

A diocesan wide pilgrimage to the National Canadian Shrine built to houour eight Jesuit saints in Midland is scheduled for **SatJune 4th**. Mass, reconciliation, devotional prayers at designated shrines, a race to St. Ignace, a visit to St. Marie Among the Huron's, and much more! Further details including cost, options & transportation can be found at:

www.embracingmercy.peterboroughdiocese.org Contact: Robyn Hennighan 705~745~5461 familyministeries@peterboroughdiocese.org

Lunchtime Alpha

"Is there more to life than this?" "Does God exist?" Have questions? Want to learn more? Ask anything about life, faith and God. Alpha is for everyone whether you grew up a Christian or never set foot in Church, whether you are eighteen or eighty. Join us for Lunchtime Alpha beginning Thurs., Feb. 25th from noon to 2pm for 13 weeks at St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish Hall.

Each session begins with a meal, followed by a short talk/video and time for discussion. No questions asked whether you come to some or all sessions.

Check <u>www.peterboroughalpha.com</u> for info or call 705-745-8623 or <u>alpha@stalphonsus.net</u> with questions.

A Thank you

The parish of Assumption collected a total of \$740.00 for Camp Northern Lights. The campers, counsellors, staff and board of directors thank you for your generosity. If you were not able to donate you can mail your donation to

Fr. Bill Moloney 386 Rogers St. Peterborough, ON K9H 1W7

All cheques should be made payable to Camp Northern Lights.

If you have any questions, please call Fr. Bill at 705 742 5466.

Once again thank you for your support. Please keep the camp in your prayers.

P.S. The camp is also looking for new members for the Board of Directors as well as some volunteers for computer work.

Lift Jesus Higher Rally

Adult theme: "The Unshakable Kingdom"

Youth theme: "Mercy"

Saturday, March 5 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Metro Convention Centre

Tickets Adults - \$20, Youth (13-18 yrs.) - \$15

Contact: To order tickets or for further info, phone

416-251-4255 or 905-833-0360

Web: www.lift- jesus- higher- rally.org

Email: ljhr@lift- jesus- higher- rally.org

CWL 95th Anniversary

We are excited to announce that this is the **95th Anniversary year of our Cathedral Parish CWL!**We are one of the oldest CWLs in Canada. The first meeting of our CWL took place on Jan. 31st, 1921.
We will be formally celebrating the 95th Anniversary on the Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel in April 2016. Please stay tuned for more details on this exciting year of celebration!

READINGS:

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time February 7

1st Reading: Isaiah 6: 1 - 2a, 3 - 8 2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15: 1 - 11

Gospel: Luke 5: 1 - 11

Diocesan Prayer Corner

Let us pray for the people and clergy of St. Anne Parish in Peterborough, that as members of the Holy Body of Christ, they may give an ever more powerful witness to the salvation Christ came to bring.

Serviam Ministries - Men's Conference

On March 19th, join Cardinal Thomas Collins, Matt Fradd and Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers for Serviam Ministries' 1st annual Band of Christian Brothers Men's Conference at Canada Christian College in Toronto. The day will strengthen and challenge men to grow in faith and virtue while also addressing the struggles that men face.

Special Father/Son rates available. All info and tickets: www.BandofChristianBrothers.com/events/iron/, info@ServiamMinistries.com or 1-888-522-2070.

The theme of the event is: "Iron sharpeneth iron, so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend" (Proverbs 27:17).

Topics for the day:

God, the Universe and Everything

Clothed and in His Right Mind: Reclaiming the Heart of the Spiritual Man

Taking Down Goliath (Porn)

Putting on the Armor of God: Preparing for Spiritual Combat

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR JANUARY

Universal: Interreligious Dialogue

That sincere dialogue among men and women of different faiths may produce the fruits of peace and justice.

Evangelization: Christian Unity