

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The Minneapolis League of Catholic Women was founded in 1911; and

WHEREAS: Early League volunteers answered the housing, social and spiritual needs of immigrant families and young working women with the Margaret Barry Settlement House and St. Mary's Hall in the 1920's and 1930's; and

WHEREAS: Subsequent generations of MLCW members established group homes for teenagers, housing for the temporarity homeless, a club for lonely senior citizens and a program of support and growth for women; and

WHEREAS: Funds raised by the League have helped care for the children of ADC mothers, supported a home for mentally retarded adults, provided food for Emergency Food shelters and contributed to volunteer metro area social services;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ruay Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the sixteenth day of August to be

MINNEAPOLIS LEAGUE OF CATHOLIC WUMEN DAY

in Minnesota.

SECRETARY OF STATE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capital this nineteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine, and of the State the one hundred thirty-first.

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Secretary of State

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