

#### SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Sunday including Children's Liturgy: 10:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Hungarian Mass: 12:00 p.m.

> **CONFESSIONS** Saturdays: 3:30 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. or by appointment.

#### BAPTISMS

Please call parish office at 613-725-2242.

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - 8:30 a.m. Holy Rosary - 8:30 a.m. First Fridays: Anointing of the Sick at Daily Mass

#### WEDDINGS

To be arranged 6 months in advance.

1303 LEASIDE AVE., OTTAWA, ONTARIO K1Z 7R2 TEL 613-725-2242 st.elizabethparish@rogers.com www.stelizabethottawa.org "I am the voice of one crying out in the wilderness, "Make straight the way of the Lord, as the Prophet Isaiah said.""





**Tuesday, Dec. 16: Weekday** 9:00 a.m., Ronald McAndrew by Marlyn, Katherine & Family

Wednesday, Dec. 17: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Evelyn Madore by the Estate

Thursday, Dec. 18 Weekday 9:00 a.m., For All Parishioners

Friday, Dec. 19: Weekday 9:00 a.m., Blessings on the Pastors of St. Elizabeth Church Past & Present by Terry Normoyle

Saturday, Dec. 20: Vigil Mass 4:30 p.m., Ron Lyons & Brian Powell by Michael & Ada Kolesar

#### Sunday, Dec. 21: 4th Sunday of Advent

9:00 a.m., Christmas Blessings on Sr. Olga Rakai
& Sr. Ethel Rakai by Gladys & Glennys
10:30 a.m., Nicholas Dupuis
by Paul & Marlene Pignat
For All Parishioners

# Sick in Our Parish

We pray for all those who have died, especially John O'Reilly, son of Phil & Judy O'Reilly, and for all those who mourn them. We pray for the sick of our Parish and for all those who care for them, especially for: Janet Bradley, Gerald Borutski, Gerti Chapman, Ed Daudlin, Jim Farrell, Elza Feher, Joanne Ferraro, Francis Fleury, Jodi Graham, Raymond Joly Sr., Lah Kyo, Norina Lachance, Ted and Gene Lachance, Elizabeth McDonell, Greg Patacairk, Leona Phelan, Andrée McKenzie, Stella Normoyle, Margaret O'Doherty, Myra Anne Powell, Emily Rozsa, Pat Redmond, Susan White, Sylvia Zito,

# Ministers of the Liturgy

Dec. 20	4:30 p.m.
Commentator	Gerry Sullivan
Lector	Micheline Lane
Ciborium	Diane O'Gorman
Dec. 21	9:00 a.m.
Commentator	Pat Murphy
Lector	Tracy MacAulay
Ciborium	Lourdes Villena
Dec. 21	10:30 a.m.
Commentator	Anthony Adu
Lector	Lyanne Fuller
Ciborium	John Plunkett



### St. Elizabeth Parish Altar Servers:



4:30 p.m. Reilly Lafreniere, Victor Dell'acqua, Caterina Dell'acqua,
9:00 a.m. Vacant
10:30 a.m. Guilor Fernandez,

Bella Fernandez, Angel O'Reilly, Joseph Uwayezu, Rodrigue Uwumukiza, Imena Ame, Tristan Kymaka, Omoregbomwan Eke, Krishia De Carvalho

Canadian Tire Money Count: \$ 367.23

#### <u>Thank you for supporting the work and ministry</u> <u>of St. Elizabeth Parish.</u>

Sunday General Collection Dec. 7 : \$ 2,665.60 Offerings for Maintenance Fund: \$ 533.00 Offerings for Poor Fund: \$ 250.00

#### **Bequests and Wills**

In your kindness, please remember St. Elizabeth Parish in your bequests and wills. If anyone wishes to make such a bequest in their will, the following clause may be included or added to a will or added by codicil: "I give, devise and bequeath the sum of \$.... to St. Elizabeth Church, Ottawa, to be used in the administration of the pastoral activities of the parish."

#### **Parish Events This Week**

Tuesday: RCIA Meeting, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Scripture Study/Reflection, 1:30 p.m. Thursday: Seniors' Gathering, 12 – 4 p.m. Friday: Embassy West Seniors Mass, 11:00 p.m. Friday: Park Place Seniors Mass, 2:30 p.m. Friday: Advent Vespers, 7:00 p.m. Saturday: Ultreya, 9:00 a.m.

### In Our Parísh

### Advent Vespers "Come to Us, Lord"

The season of Advent is a time of preparation and prayer for Christmas. Join us this Friday evening during Advent for Vespers (evening prayer). Each evening will include a spiritual reflection from a member of our parish. Friday, Dec. 19, 7:00 p.m. with Paul Pignat

### **Christmas Schedule**

### **Christmas Eve Masses**

\* 4:00 p.m. (with Kateri Native Ministry)
\* 7:00 p.m., Family Mass
\* 10:00 p.m., Hungarian Community

<u>Christmas Day Mass</u> \* 10:30 a.m., Family Mass \* 12:00 p.m., Hungarian Community

> Dec. 26: No Daily Mass Dec. 30: No Daily Mass

New Year's Masses Dec. 31: Eve of the Solemnity of Mary, 4:30 p.m. Jan. 1, 2015: Solemnity of Mary Mass, 10:30 a.m. Jan. 2: No Daily Mass.



# Children's Sacramental Preparation Schedule:

Saturday, January 14 Saturday, January 30 Saturday, February 14 Saturday, March 21 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



#### Flowers for Christmas Offering: There will be envelopes available in the church pews for our Flower Fund. Your donation can be made in

remembrance of deceased loved ones. The offerings collected will go to decorating the altar for Christmas masses.

<u>New Envelopes for 2015</u>: The new envelopes for regular contributors to the parish are available for pickup. They are located at the back of the church. If you would like to start using envelopes please call the parish office.

### Best Wishes to John & Leida Branje:



John and Leida have been at St. Elizabeth's since the beginning of the parish. John and Leida were committed to the parish by giving their time and talents to the church. Among

many other projects, you can see John's work every Sunday in the stained glass windows. We would like to wish them the best as they relocate to Calgary.



**"50th Anniversary" St. Elizabeth Christmas Season Party:** Come and join the fun! Date: Sunday December 28, 2014 Time: 2-6 p.m. Place: St. Elizabeth Parish

Hall. Admission: \$5. Entertainment - Beans & Chili - 50/50 Draw - Silent Auction - Cash Bar

**Bottle Drive for Special Olympics:** Join the Knights of Columbus in support of this great cause! Saturday, January 10 at 9:00 a.m. till 2:00 p.m. in the St. Elizabeth parking lot. For more information contact Guy Bowie at 613.729.3305.

### In The Archdiocese

**Diocesan Celebration of Consecrated Life:** We have been blessed by the ministry and witness of dedicated religious here in the Archdiocese of Ottawa for many years. There will be a diocesan celebration of Consecrated Life on the morning of Saturday, January 31, 2015. Plan to join in celebrating the *Year of Consecrated Life*. More details will follow in the coming weeks.

Annual Homelands Mass: The annual Homelands Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral will take place on Sunday, January 25, 2015 at 2:30 p.m.

**World Youth Day 2016:** The Archdiocese of Ottawa is bringing a group of Young Adults (18-35) to World Youth Day in Krakow, Poland, July 19 – August 2, 2016. Approximate cost: \$3400. Limited spots available. To register please contact Ted 613.738.5025 x 231; thurley@archottawa.ca.



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