

St. Elizabeth Roman Catholic Church

REV. FR. MARTIN NDYANABO, PASTOR

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St. Elizabeth Parish is a faith-filled community, built on the example of hospitality shown by St. Elizabeth herself. We welcome and celebrate people from all walks of life, and we strive to learn from Sacred Scripture, our Catholic tradition, the Sacraments, and one another.

We are committed to nurturing the spiritual, physical, and emotional well-being of all we encounter. Above all, we spread the joy and love of Christ's Gospel of life in our Parish, neighborhood, and to all nations.



SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday including Children's Liturgy: 10:30 a.m.

Hungarian Mass: 12:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 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

Tuesday to Thursday, 8:15 a.m.

Friday, 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Holy Rosary - 8:15 a.m.

First Fridays: Anointing of the Sick at Daily Mass

WEDDINGS

To be arranged 6 months in advance.

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*"Among you stands one whom you do not know,
the one who is coming after me; I am not worthy to
untie the thong of his sandal."*

John 1.26

Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday, December 19: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Healing for Thomas Keith
by his mom Patricia

Wednesday, December 20: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Soul of Monica Pinto by Cecilia Pinto
Soul of Nicole Campbell by the Normoyle Family

Thursday, December 21: Saint Peter Canisius

9:00 a.m., Blessings on Sarah and Deacon Fred
by Terry Normoyle

Friday, December 22: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Healing for Zoe Keith
by her mom Patricia

Saturday, December 23: Solemnity

4:30 p.m., Blessings on Sr. Olga Rakai
by Gladys & Glennys

Sunday, December 24: 4th Sunday of Advent

9:00 a.m., Souls in Purgatory by Terry Normoyle
10:30 a.m., Blessings on Marie Cyr
by Margaret Scissons

Sunday, December 24th: Christmas Eve Mass

4:30 p.m. For Intentions of Fr. Martin
by the Keith Family
For All Parishioners
10:00 p.m., Hungarian Community Mass

Sick in Our Parish

We pray for all those who have died,
and those who mourn them,

**We pray for the sick of our Parish and for all
those who care for them, especially for:**

Ashleen Anunobi, Tereza Adam, Elina Anker,
Gerti Chapman, Emiliana Cabuga,
Howard Campbell, Jeff Carroll, Rosa Delascio,
Tristan Denis, Lynn Dobson, Margaret Doherty,
Pat Dooley, Johanne Gagnon, Brian Galacio, Jane,
Raymond Joly Sr., Allan Kelly, Rick Lachance,
Marlyn McAndrew, Monique,
Gerald Normoyle, Greg Patacairk,
Pat Redmond, David Simpson, Bob Tait,
Lamomba Tito, Johanna Tobin, Susan White,
Jan Wright, Sylvia Zito

St. Elizabeth Parish Altar Servers



4:30 p.m. Paul Obinna,
Treasure Agazuma, Emmanuel Agazuma

9:00 a.m. Brigid Ogbundu,
Claire Ogbundu, Odilia Ogbundu

10:30 a.m. Joseph Uwayezu,
Rodrigue Uwumukiza, Jyuan Almario,
Mary Chukwu, Imena Ame,

Emmanuella Chukwu, Stephanie Chukwu

Canadian Tire Money Count:\$7.20

**Thank you for supporting St. Elizabeth Parish.
PAD for December 1: \$3,888.00**

Parish Events This Week

Thursday: Seniors Euchre Social, 12:00 p.m.

Sunday: Live stream of mass at 10:30 a.m.

Sign Up For Pre-Authorized Debit: We are now
able to offer our parishioners the chance to sign up
for pre-authorized debit payments to donate during
these difficult times for individual churches. If you
would like to know more about this service please
contact the parish office.

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."*

2024 Faith Calendars: 2024 Faith Calendars are
available at the entrance doors of the church. The
cost of the calendars are \$5.00 each.



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In the Parish



Christmas Season Schedule

Christmas Eve Masses

December 24: Regular Sunday Schedule

*** 4:30 p.m., Family Mass**

*** 10:00 p.m., Hungarian Community (Bilingual)**

Christmas Day Mass

***9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m., Family Mass**

*** 12:00 p.m., Hungarian Community (Bilingual)**

Dec. 26, Dec. 27, Dec. 28, Dec. 29 No Daily Mass

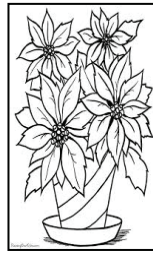
Dec. 30, 31, - Regular Sunday Schedule

New Year's Masses

Dec. 31 4:30 p.m., Eve of the Solemnity of Mary

Jan. 1, 2024: 10:30 a.m., Solemnity of Mary Mass

Tuesday, Jan. 2, 3, 4, 5, 2024 - No Daily Mass



Flowers for Christmas: It is not too late to make a donation to 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.

In the Archdiocese

Prayers for More: Needing to hear what God the Father thinks of you? Join us for Prayers for More – An evening of prayer ministry! Be filled up this Advent with the Lord's personal word for you. Friday, December 22nd, 2023 at 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. Over zoom, we will gather together, praise the Lord, and receive individual prayer ministry in breakout rooms by trained prayer ministers. Come receive the Lord's heart for you! Let us know if you can make it: <https://servantsofthecross.ca/engage/i-am-more/>

CCO's Rise Up Conference - December 28 2023 -

January 1 2024: CCO is one of Canada's largest gatherings of young adults. Join us for 5 days of fun, worship, dynamic talks, and practical workshops. Rise Up is a conference for young adults hosted by Catholic Christian Outreach, a Canadian university student movement. But Rise Up is more than a conference; it exists to inspire and build leaders for the renewal of the world.

Listening to Indigenous Voices: Now in its third season, this study group uses the Jesuit Forum guidebook "Listening to Indigenous Voices – A Dialogue Guide on Justice and Right Relationships", compiled by many authors, most of whom are Indigenous, to deepen our understanding of our settler relationship with Indigenous peoples and to explore Indigenous cultures and histories. The study group will meet on Zoom every second Wednesday from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. starting on October 4 and ending on February 28. (No session on December 27). The guidebook can be purchased online from Novalis.ca or the JesuitForum.ca. The parish also has limited copies for purchase at the parish office for \$25. The facilitators from Canadian Martyrs parish are settlers engaging in efforts for truth and reconciliation. To register, please email maureen.cerroni@gmail.com.

The Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Hamper Appeal:

Thank you to all who donated to the Ladies Auxiliary Christmas hampers. It is through your generosity that Christmas will be a little brighter for some families needing help at this time of year.



The 28th Hungarian Scout Troup Bake & Craft Sale:

This Sunday, December 17th from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

in the parish hall. This is a good time to stock up on delicious homemade Hungarian pastries. All are welcome to attend.

St. Elizabeth 2024 Church Envelopes: Are ready for pick up at the entrance doors of the church. If you are new to the church and would like to have a set of envelopes, please call the parish office at 613.725.2242. The church also has the option of doing a Pre-Authorized Payment plan which can be initiated by the parish office.

Make Christmas Special for Someone In Need:

Consider a donation to the Chalice Christmas fund. Many families living in poverty can't afford to celebrate Christmas. Your loving donation will allow children and families to experience the love and joy of celebrating the birth of Christ. See the bulletin board display for details on how to donate.



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