

# *St. Elizabeth Roman Catholic Church*

**REV. FR. MARTIN NDYANABO, PAROCHIAL ADMINISTRATOR**

**REV. MR. FRED JARDINE, PERMANENT DEACON**

*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 - 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.

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*"You are my Son, the Beloved;  
with you I am well pleased."*

Mark 1:11

## Mass for the Intentions *Week*

### Tuesday, January 12: Saint Marguerite Bourgeois

9:00 a.m., In Thanksgiving for the conversion  
and healing for Erla, Elma Lind & baby Amato  
Departed Souls of the Londero Family  
by the Londero Sisters

### Wednesday, January 13: Saint Hilary

9:00 a.m., Deceased Family Members  
by Sr. Alice Johnson

### Thursday, January 14 : Weekday

9:00 a.m., Souls of Max & Doris Almeida  
by Cecilia Pinto

### Friday, January 15: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Birthday Blessings on Mike Normoyle  
by Terry Normoyle

### Saturday, January 16: Saturday Vigil

4:30 p.m., For All Parishioners

### Sunday, January 17: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m., Healing for Eileen Steil  
by Terry Normoyle

## *Sick in Our Parish*

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

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

Tereza Adam, Elina Anker, Joan Aubrey,  
Sarah Bowie, Gerti Chapman, Emiliana Cabuga,  
Jeff Carroll, Tony Dean, Rosa Delascio,  
Tristan Denis, Lynn Dobson, Margaret Doherty,  
Elza Feher, Eileen Frattini, Johanne Gagnon,  
Jodi Graham, Raymond Joly Sr., Gordon Kane,  
Allan Kelly, Norina Lachance, Rick Lachance,  
Marlyn McAndrew, Baby Miles, Gerald Normoyle,  
Stella Normoyle, Greg Patacark, Myra Anne Powell,  
Emily Rozsa, Pat Redmond, Margaret Scissons,  
David Simpson, Eileen Steil, Mary Sullivan,  
Flo Sully, Bob Tait, Lamomba Tito,  
Susan White, Sylvia Zito

## St. Elizabeth Parish Altar Servers



4:30 p.m. Paul Obinna, Treasure

Agazuma, Emmanuel Agazuma

9:00 a.m. Bridgid Oghenetano,

Claire Omamuzo, Odilia Ogbundu

10:30 a.m. Joseph Uwayezu,

Rodrigue Uwumukiza,

Jyuan Almario, Mary Chukwu,

Imena Ame, Emmanuella Chukwu,

Stephanie Chukwu

**Canadian Tire Money Count: \$271.08**

**Thank you for supporting the work  
and ministry of St. Elizabeth Parish.**

### Parish Events This Week

Check Facebook for live feed of weekday and  
weekend masses.

### 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."*

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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.



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**Website:**

***www.stelizabethottawa.ca***

## In the Parish



### **Fr Martin's New Year Message:**

As we begin a New Year I pray that all of us will be built up in a spirit of Joy and Hope. We set off into the New Year not alone but in the companionship of the Holy Spirit.

The Spirit gives us eyes to see things from a different perspective. This perspective is our being sisters and brothers of Jesus Christ.

Let us make each day of 2021 a day of giving thanks for the many blessings that surrounds us, and which we so easily take for granted. Pope Francis in his first letter to us all, proposes that the gospel of Jesus Christ is the source of Joy. As we seek to build a world where all relationships are based on respect, justice and kindness we need joy and hope. Hope is that unquenchable pilot light that burns steadily no matter how stormy the conditions.

Victor Frankl, famous Psychiatrist and therapist who spent years in a Nazi Concentration camp noted that the hope inmates held that they would be liberated, gave them courage and increased their chance of survival. Hope helps us to envision a different future for ourselves and our community and is the spark that empowers all efforts for change. This hope has never been more needed than at this time of uncertainty due to the pandemic and the panic that has been caused by it. As from time of Old, Jesus looks at our current storms and says to us: *"Take courage! It is I. Do not be afraid."* (Mk. 6:50)

As we look forward to the challenges of the New Year we are comforted by the fact that the Lord will never abandon us. Let us continue to trust in the Lord. I thank you for your support. St. Elizabeth has been known for its generosity of heart and unity of purpose. I ask you to continue supporting us so we can serve you better. I ask for your prayers.

May each of us share hope with all whom we encounter, striking a match rather than cursing the darkness. May 2021 be a time of hope, love and peace for all of us.

***Fr. Martin Ndyababo***



**St. Elizabeth Parishioners:** For your very generous support to the flower fund which beautifies the church for the Christmas season. A special

thank you to Nancy Wilkinson for her untiring work decorating the altar and our sacred space.

**Envelopes for 2021:** The new envelopes for regular contributors to the parish are available for pickup. They are located at the entrance doors to the church. Anyone wishing to sign up to receive envelopes can call the parish office at 613.725.2242.

**Update for New Provincial Guidelines in Lockdown:** On December 26th St. Elizabeth Church went into lockdown following the new guidelines from the province. Celebration of the mass will be on Live stream via Facebook. There is a change in the schedule of Sunday masses. For the duration of the lockdown there will be one mass on Sunday at 9:00 a.m. There will be no celebration of the mass at 10:30 a.m. All other Live streamed mass times will remain the same as our normal schedule.

## In the Archdiocese

### **"I Believe in Love" - Personal Retreat based on**

**Teaching of St. Therese of Lisieux:** Deepen your spiritual life and help you on the way to the Father by learning how to focus on Him amid your troubles. Online via Zoom, Biweekly Tuesday's 7:00-8:30 p.m. starting January 12 for 10 sessions. Registrants must purchase book and study guide (approx \$35) before 1st session (available at <https://sisterhood.live/product/>). Hosted by Sister+Hood. Info: Karen (livesisterhood@gmail.com); 613.806.0377; <https://sisterhood.live/workshops/support-groups/>.

**The Ottawa Pastoral Care Training Program:** For information on the winter & spring sessions of the 10-week Basic Training Course, the 4-week Advanced Course in October 2021, and the April 2021 Continuing Education Event, please visit [www.ottawapastoralcare.com](http://www.ottawapastoralcare.com) or email [ottawapastoralcare@gmail.com](mailto:ottawapastoralcare@gmail.com).



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