# St. Elizabeth Roman Gatholic 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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"Here I am, Lord; I come to do your will."

Psalm 40



### Tuesday, January 19: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Soul of Pasquale Zito by the Family

### Wednesday, January 20: Saint Fabian/ Saint Sebastian

9:00 a.m., Souls of Joseph Fausto & George Almeida by Cecilia Pinto

### Thursday, January 21: Saint Agnes

9:00 a.m., Healing for Bob Artelle by Terry Normoyle

### Friday, January 22: Saint Vincent

9:00 a.m., Souls in Purgatory by Sr. Alice Johnson

### Saturday, January 23: Saturday Vigil

4:30 p.m., Soul of Stewart Manley by Beth Manley

# Sunday, January 24: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m., Blessings on Archbishop Marcel & the Priests of Ottawa 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 Patacairk, Myra Anne Powell,
Emily Rozsa, Pat Redmond, Margaret Scissons,
David Simpson, 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 Ogbondu 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."

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.



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Website:

www.stelizabethottawa.ca

## In the Archdiocese



Archbishop's Message: A New Year Tinged with Frustration: Here we are in 2021. Happy New Year! Everyone was relieved to see the end of 2020 marked by a pandemic that disrupted much of the

normal life we had. But as we enter the New Year, we unfortunately realize that the devastation caused by the infamous corona virus is growing. Without a doubt, this reality frustrates us and shortens our patience.

Clergy and faithful have many questions. Some question the seriousness of the Coronavirus and think the precautions put in place are disproportionate, such as the current lock down containment. Some criticize the civil and religious authorities for the restrictions imposed on the Church, decrying the loss of our religious freedom. There are also questions about liturgical life, such as why it is not permitted to receive communion on the tongue at this time. Many are concerned about the safety of new vaccines and whether it is morally acceptable to receive a vaccine developed using stem cells from an aborted fetus.

Since opinions on these topics are very divided, both among the faithful and among clergy, you can imagine how easy it is to be divided and to criticize each other. Anxiety, fatigue, discouragement and loss of autonomy increase the amount of frustration and can create an untenable situation.

In light of this reality, I know it is important to support you during these difficult times and to encourage you in your pastoral efforts. We must not lose our raison d'être as disciples of Jesus Christ. We must manage this time of crisis in a serene and balanced way. God has never abandoned his people throughout the history of salvation. It is important, therefore, to be attentive to his presence and to tell ourselves that God has something to teach us.

I believe that it would be profitable as a diocesan Church to communicate a clear and common message to all. There is strength in unity. Dissension weakens us and sows the seeds of uncertainty and mistrust. I invite us all, therefore, to reflect on our interior disposition, our attitude and the message that we convey. Are we ready to unite with our sisters

and brothers, our parish family and our pastor to foster peace, respect and charity? Next week, I will propose some guidelines to help you with certain questions that, at this time, deserve some clarification.

Please continue to pray for me, as I do for you.

**▼** Marcel Damphousse Archbishop of Ottawa-Cornwall

### In the Parish

<u>Faith Calendars for 2021:</u> Are available at the entrance doors of the church. The cost of the calendars is \$5.00.

Thursday Church Opening for Private Prayer: On Thursdays from 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Deacon Fred will be available in the church. This is an opportunity for personal prayer or to receive Holy Communion. As per guidelines we are limited to 10 people inside the church.



Take Home a Poinsettia:
We have many poinsettias left from our Christmas celebrations. Parishioners are welcome to take a poinsettia home and enjoy the vibrant red flowers for some time to come. If you are interested in

a poinsettia please call the parish office to request one.

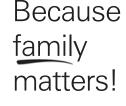
<u>Update</u> for New Provincial Guidelines in <u>Lockdown:</u> We continue to be in lockdown and are following the latest guidelines from the province released on January 12, 2021. Celebration of the mass will be on Live stream via Facebook. There is a change in the schedule of Sunday masses. For the 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 per our normal schedule. The parish office will be closed to the public and working on a curbside model of service.



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