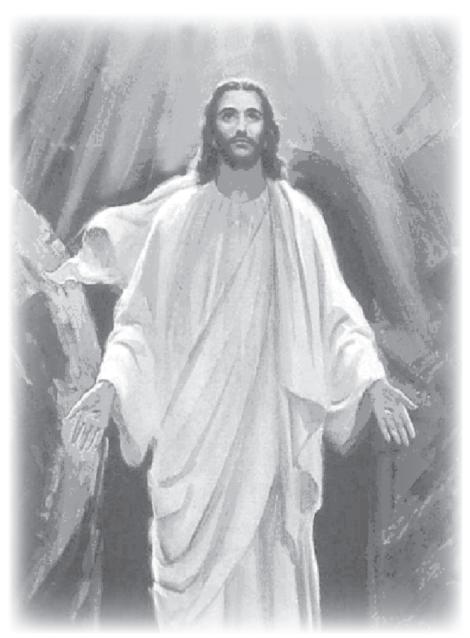
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Christ is Risen!

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"They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." John 20:2



#### **Tuesday, April 2: Solemnity**

9:00 a.m., Blessings on Fr. Martin & Priests of the Ottawa/Cornwall Archdiocese by Terry Normoyle

### Wednesday, April 3: Solemnity

9:00 a.m., Soul of Howard Campbell by the Normoyle Family

### Thursday, April 4: Solemnity

9:00 a.m., Blessings on Joy Wolfenden by Terry Normoyle

### Friday, April 5: Solemnity

9:00 a.m., Soul of Bill Fitzpatrick by Carole Clark & Bob Fitzpatrick

#### Saturday, April 6: Solemnity

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

### Sunday, April 7: 2nd Sunday of Easter Sunday

### **Divine Mercy Sunday**

9:00 a.m., Soul of Ghyslain Laramée by Marthe Boivin & Bassili Assabgui 10:30 a.m., Soul of Eduardo Nera by Nena & Family For All Parishioners

### 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:

Tereza Adam, Elina Anker, Gerti Chapman,
Emiliana Cabuga, Howard Campbell, Jeff Carroll,
Rosa Delascio, Tristan Denis, Lynn Dobson,
Margaret Doherty, Johanne Gagnon, Brian Galacio,
Jane, Raymond Joly Sr., Allan Kelly, Rick Lachance,
Marlyn McAndrew, Monique, Gerald Normoyle,
Greg Patacairk, Pat Redmond, Lorna Ryan,
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 10:30 a.m. Joseph Uwayezu, Rodrigue Uwumukiza, Jyuan Almario, Mary Chukwu, Imena Ame, Emmanuella Chukwu, Stephanie Chukwu

### **Canadian Tire Money Count: \$9.40**

Thank you for supporting St. Elizabeth Parish.

Reg. Sunday Collection - March 17, 24: \$ 2,495.35

Maintenance Fund: \$10.00

Poor Fund: \$43.00

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

Wednesday: Prayer Shawl Ministry, 12:15 p.m. Thursday: Ladies Auxiliary Meeting, 1:30 p.m. Thursday: Seniors Euchre Social, 12:00 p.m. Sunday: Live stream of mass at 10:30 a.m. Sunday: Ladies Aux. Bake Sale, after masses

### \*\*Upcoming Events\*\*

Rummage Sale: Saturday April 27, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Watch for a Paint Night! Coming in the Fall - Chili Cook-Off

#### **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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### In the Parish



### Fr. Martin's Easter Message:

Dear brothers and sisters, Happy Resurrection Sunday!! Jesus has risen from the dead. This announcement resounds in the Church throughout the world along

with the song of Hallelujah, He is alive forever in our midst. This Good News has lit up like a new flame in the Holy Night of the Vigil, in the night of a world facing crucial challenges, because of wars, and because of all the tests that hinder the life of humanity.

We must be grateful for the grace of celebrating this day as a family to celebrate his resurrection. It is a Sunday full of joy, a joy that becomes contagious, because it has to make us lose fear. It is a "contagion, which is transmitted from heart to heart, because every human heart awaits this Good News. It is the contagion of hope: "My love and my hope have truly risen!", tells us the Paschal sequence that we read before the Gospel.

It is not a magic formula that makes problems disappear. We must understand that the resurrection of Christ is the victory of love over the root of evil, a victory that does not "go over" suffering and death, but goes beyond them, opening a path in the abyss, transforming evil. in good, distinctive sign of God's power ". (Pope Francis, Easter message 2020).

As a parish, in the midst of this Easter joy, I want to invite you to see this Easter celebration reflected in our commitment to faith, and in the increase of our love for the Risen One, for the Church and materialized in love for the parish.

Sadly, we have had many parishioners that have died and some are unwell and cannot celebrate this Easter with us. To them we send the good news of Easter. The Lord is Risen! He has defeated death. He dies no more.

Finally, I want to thank all the volunteers of our parish. Ushers, Lectors, Extraordinary Ministers, Sacristans, Altar Servers and Musicians, who in communion with the parish staff have made a great effort so that the liturgy on these special days of Holy Week was very beautiful, organized and done with great dignity. Know that behind each liturgical act there is a lot of work and organization.

Many have worked hard for this to be carried out with order and decorum. Deacon Fred in a special way has done an amazing job behind the scenes. I want all the volunteers to know that you are very important to me and have a very important place in my heart.

Happy Easter,

Fr. Martin



<u>Ladies Auxiliary Coffee</u> <u>Sunday/Bake Sale:</u> On <u>Sunday, April 7th after the</u> **9:00 and 10:30 a.m. masses,** please join fellow parishioners

downstairs in the parish hall for coffee/tea or juice and delicious home baked goods. Donations of baked goods would be greatly appreciated.

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\*\*Reminder of Ladies Auxiliary Meeting April 4, 1:30 p.m.



**Ladies Auxiliary Rummage Sale:** Saturday April 27, 9 a.m. - Noon. Donations of Clean, Gently Used clothing and shoes will be accepted until Wednesday, April 24. Please, no household items or furniture. Fill a garbage bag with clothing for \$5 or fill a grocery bag for \$3.

### In the Archdiocese

**Divine Mercy Sunday:** April 7, 2024, 2-4 p.m. at Holy Redeemer Parish, 44 Rothesay Dr., Kanata with Fr. Francis Donnelly, CC giving the reflection. There will be Confession, Chaplet, other short prayers ending with Consecration to the Divine Mercy for the whole world. The Lord told St. Faustina: "You will prepare the world for My final coming." (Diary 429) More info: 613. 254.7220.



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