

St. Elizabeth Roman Catholic Church

REV. FR. MARTIN NDYANABO, PASTOR

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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*"It is written, 'Worship the Lord your God,
and serve only him.'"*

Luke 4:8

Mass for the Intentions *Week*

Tuesday, March 8: St. John of God

9:00 a.m., Soul of Stewart Manley by Beth Manley

Wednesday, March 9: St. Frances of Rome

9:00 a.m., Departed Souls of the Londero
& Marchetti Families by Yolanda & Lidia

Thursday, March 10: Weekday

9:00 a.m., For All Parishioners

Friday, March 11: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Birthday Blessings on Eileen Steil
by Dana Branda

Saturday, March 12: Saturday Vigil

4:30 p.m., For All Parishioners

Sunday, March 13: 2nd Sunday of Lent

9:00 a.m., Blessings on Terry Normoyle

(In Thanksgiving & Friendship)

by Fred & Sarah Jardine

10:30 a.m., Soul of Carol Anne Copeland

by Sharon Murphy

Soul of Ada Dinardo

by Edda & Joe Mariani & Family

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, Sarah Bowie,
Gerti Chapman, Emiliana Cabuga, Jeff Carroll,
Rosa Delascio, Tristan Denis, Lynn Dobson,
Margaret Doherty, Pat Dooley, Elza Feher,
Johanne Gagnon, Jodi Graham, Raymond Joly Sr.,
Allan Kelly, Norina Lachance, Rick Lachance,
Marlyn McAndrew, Monique, Gerald Normoyle,
Greg Patacairk, Pat Redmond, Margaret Scissons,
David Simpson, Mary Sullivan, Bob Tait,
Lamomba Tito, Gemma Webb, Susan White,
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: \$278.03

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

PAP for March 1: \$4,974.00

Regular Collection Feb. 13, 20, 27: \$3, 489.00

Maintenance Fund: \$134.00

Poor Fund: \$575.00

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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In the Archdiocese



A Lent of great importance

Peace be with you.

The Church will begin the forty holy days of Lent on March 2, a day when we will not only be marked with ashes but invited to seriously enter into an attitude of

conversion. How will we live the next few weeks leading up to Christ's ultimate sacrifice on the cross and his glorious victory over death and evil?

We will accomplish this only if we keep our focus on the Lord who will guide us. Through prayer, fasting and almsgiving, Christians around the world will be empowered to be more attentive to God and to the needs of their neighbors. Is this important to us?

The climate in which we find ourselves these days is troubling. In the midst of the complexities of our world, it is easy to become distracted, to lose patience, to become gripped by fear, and to undermine the dignity of the human being next to us or at a distance. We have just experienced an intense time in the nation's capital following a long pandemic that has tested us in many ways. This experience has been felt in many ways in our families, our parishes and our workplaces. The accumulated frustrations have manifested themselves in different ways, leaving us with people who are wounded, misunderstood, vulnerable and in search of profound peace.

What can we say about our brothers and sisters in Ukraine who are shaken these days by the unjustified Russian invasion of their country? I count myself among those who are concerned about the serious consequences of a war that could take on global dimensions. Let us pray for peace and a just resolution to this international crisis.

To establish peace around us and in our world, we first must have divine peace in our hearts. True peace can only take shape and transform our actions through an intentional and lasting communion with our Lord Jesus Christ. It is in Him that we will find the Way, the Truth and the Life. In Him alone will we discover the merciful love that heals, forgives and transforms even the most wounded of hearts. Our hope rests in Him alone who remains faithful to His Father and who promises us eternal life. It will therefore be essential to make this Lenten season a

sincere time of conversion in the footsteps of Jesus Christ. As our churches reopen to full capacity for the liturgies and devotions of our rich tradition, thanks to changes in the restrictions imposed by the pandemic, let us take advantage of this grace to renew our faith and our religious practice. Let us pray intentionally for peace in our personal and community devotions.

Let us adopt the daily practice of listening to the Holy Spirit who dwells in our hearts and who unites us to the Father and the Son. This is the spirit in which we are invited to live the synodal process launched by Pope Francis. It is an invitation to all members of the Church to listen to the Holy Spirit in order to be more united in our efforts to build the Kingdom of God. This learning to listen to one another throughout this synodal process is the way in which the Holy Father wishes to unite the diversity within our Church that tends to divide our great family. This is one of 5 key principles of our diocesan synodal process (this document will soon be posted on Synod 2021-2023 - Catholic Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall - Cornwall, Ontario (archoc.ca)). While giving everyone a chance to freely express their thoughts and desires for our Church, this spiritual exercise should seek to unite and revitalize our Church, not divide it.

Let us support one another in prayer and charity throughout this Lenten season.

✠Marcel Damphousse

In the Parish

Ladies Auxiliary Coffee Sunday/Bake Sale: The Ladies Auxiliary are hosting a Coffee Sunday/Bake Sale this **Sunday, March 6th after the 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. masses.** Join in with the Ladies for some long awaited fellowship in the parish hall.

Second Collection This Weekend: There will be a second collection for Diocesan and Missionary Works after communion this weekend. The purpose of this collection is to support Catholic missionary work in Canada and work within our Archdiocese.

Prayer Shawl Ministry to Resume: As the province has removed most restrictions, except for masks, Prayer Shawl Ministry will resume on March 9, 2022 12:00-2:00, then every second week from that time on until mid-June as long as the health situation remains stable.



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