# 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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"So then the Lord Jesus, after he had spoken to them, was taken up into heaven and sat down at the right hand of God." Mark 16:19

# Mass Gor the Intentions Week

### Tuesday, May 18: Saint John I

9:00 a.m., Soul of Christine Singh by Cecilia Pinto Soul of Jean Maurice Chouloute by the Family

# Wednesday, May 19: Weekday

9:00 a.m., Departed Souls of the Zito Family by the Family

Blessings on Patrick & Joel by Cecilia Pinto

## Thursday, May 20: Saint Bernardine of Siena

9:00 a.m., Soul of Rinaldo Bierti by Lidia & Yolanda Soul of Barbara Cullen by Sr. Alice Johnson

## Friday, May 21: Saint Eugène de Mazenod

9:00 a.m., Soul of Alphonses Rodrigues by Cecilia Pinto

Healing for Terry Tobin by Terry Normoyle

# Saturday, May 22: Saturday Vigil

4:30 p.m., Healing for Margaret Scissons by Marie Cyr

Soul of John Mellor by Mike Redmond Blessings on Christopher & Bride by Cecilia Pinto

### Sunday, May 23: Pentecost Sunday

9:00 a.m., In Thanksgiving for the Conversion & Healing of Erla, Elma Lind & baby Amato Blessings on Brother Jeffery Sullivan by Susan Boyce & Family

Soul of Celso Bambo by Amy & Ringo Morella

# 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, Cecilia Bowie,
Sarah Bowie, Gerti Chapman, Emiliana Cabuga,
Jeff Carroll, Tony Dean, Rosa Delascio,
Tristan Denis, Lynn Dobson, Margaret Doherty,
Elza Feher, Johanne Gagnon, Jodi Graham,
Theresa Hoffman, Raymond Joly Sr.,
Allan Kelly, Norina Lachance, Rick Lachance,
Marlyn McAndrew, Monique, Gerald Normoyle,
Greg Patacairk, Myra Anne Powell, Pat Redmond,
Angie Retty, Victoria Salameh, 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: \$271.73

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 Parish



A Message from the Archbishop
You Are Not Alone: It is obvious that many people are suffering with profound feelings of isolation and loneliness. Our seniors and single adults have been particularly affected in this last year with the

shutdowns and stay at home orders. Our culture, despite all our digital resources and social media apps, is facing a crisis of loneliness. The theme for this year's National March for Life is particularly relevant: "You Are Not Alone."

Behind many of the prolife issues lies the spectre of abandonment. Some think, for example, abortion is their only choice because they have no-one to turn to for help facing a life changing event. We know some contemplate euthanasia and assisted suicide out of fear of facing the end of their lives in pain and isolation. Feeling alone and unloved is a crisis in our time.

As Christians, we know the value of each human life because regardless of its circumstances, every human being reflects the image of God. In September 2019, Pope Francis said in a meeting with Italian surgeons and dentists: "a man or a woman should be accompanied with conscience, intelligence and heart, especially in the most serious situations." What Canadians need is more assistance in living with compassion and adequate support with chronic conditions, disabilities, mental health illnesses or a terminal diagnosis. Instead, there is mounting pressure to coerce our trusted medical practitioners to be the means of ending human life. We must avoid this devastating outcome and instead offer a compassionate, caring and competent palliative care.

Please pray for our country, for our doctors and medical professionals who wish to heal not harm, for those who are afraid and suffering, contemplating abortion or euthanasia in fear of facing these challenges alone. Let us lobby our politicians so all Canadians have access to pregnancy support at the beginning of life and palliative care in the last stage of life. May our Lady of Guadalupe intercede for us and may God bless you and all who seek to witness to the Gospel of Life.

*Msgr. Marcel Damphousse*, Archbishop of Ottawa-Cornwall

# Parish Schedule for Masses

Weekday Masses - Tuesday to Friday at 9:00 a.m. Weekend Masses - Saturday at 4:30 p.m. Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

# **Exposition, Vespers & Benediction**

Wednesdays 4:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. (on hold for now)

Adoration

Friday 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. (on hold for now)

## **Directive from the Province for our Churches:**

The new shutdown ordered by the province allows religious gatherings to continue but with restricted numbers. To date we are only allowed 10 parishioners in our church. Our hope is for an expanded capacity when this current provincial lockdown ends on May 20th. If you would like to attend mass in person please call the parish office to book a time slot. Please see the above notice for the times of masses.

# In the Archdiocese

Let Us Implore the Protection of Mary: Pope Francis has asked the entire Church to offer up the Daily Rosary in this month of May dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary for an end to the pandemic. Throughout the month, 30 shrines worldwide have been designed to help us pray, saying the Rosary in their language, with intentions related to the pandemic. On May 23 the Rosary will be recited at Notre Dame du Cap in Trois-Rivières. Full list of the Shrines and the intentions at Pontifical Council for **Promoting** the New Evangelization: http://www.pcpne.va/content/pcpne/en/news/2021-04-23.html. Recordings available on the Vatican You Tube link: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC7E-LYc1wivk33iyt5bR5zQ.

Archbishop Damphousse: I therefore invite the parishes, movements and Catholic associations of our diocese to encourage their faithful to a Marian devotion during the month of May.

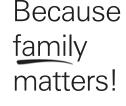
Have questions about becoming a missionary? Interested in applying to serve with NET Canada but don't know where to start? Come to our info session to find all the answers to your questions and more! Email today to reserve your spot. Virtual, May 18, 6:30-7:30 p.m. Info: recruit@netcanada.ca.



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