

## Lourdes Birthdays

Brandon Barnett	June 3	Adelee Legrand-Smith	June 5	Maya Judge	June 7
Bria Richardson	June 3	Christopher Dean	June 5	Nicholas Haydel	June 7
Benjamin Bartholomai	June 3	Christopher Slaughter	June 5	Adam Rose	June 8
Christopher Wood	June 3	Edward McDonnell	June 5	Ava Williams	June 8
Elena Vosburg-Case	June 3	Sherwin Lynch	June 5	Betty Davis	June 8
Guillaume Porquet	June 3	Steven Simmons	June 5	Blake Daniels	June 8
Jaxon Walters	June 3	Thomas Cook	June 5	Brigid Bartholomai	June 8
Jean McDonnell	June 3	Thomas Painter	June 5	Jill Pemberton	June 8
JonMarie Penda	June 3	Tristan Wood	June 5	Joseph Newman	June 8
Lloyd Hylton	June 3	Vivian Walker	June 5	Kimberli Neeson	June 8
Beverly Glover	June 4	Chantel Chandonia	June 6	Latanya Renfoe	June 8
Bryce Charles	June 4	Clima White	June 6	Robert Carlson	June 8
Donovan Mikula	June 4	Daniel Boutte	June 6	Sean Williams	June 8
Emerence Poiraud	June 4	Frederick Cannon	June 6	Sheila Schulte	June 8
Joseph Williams	June 4	Lisa Joe	June 6	Angela Russell	June 9
Kelly Wheeler	June 4	Maceo Boyce	June 6	Angela Winchester	June 9
Madeline Cooper	June 4	Obioma Eke	June 6	Anne Italiano	June 9
Rod Whittle	June 4	Sherwin James	June 6	Caleb Eichner	June 9
Shane Williams	June 4	Adrienne Francois	June 7	Chelsy Webb	June 9
Spencer Brooks	June 4	London Zeigler	June 7	Jack Leslie	June 9
				Madison Huefner	June 9

## 1st Sunday of the Month (06/03/12)

Thanks to the **Health Ministry** (5:00 PM), **St. Vincent de Paul** (8:00 AM), **Religious Education** (10:00 AM), for providing the bread for our guests at this weekend's Masses. As a reminder, the **Health Ministry** (5:00 PM), **Women's Ministry** (8:00 AM), **Liturgy Committee** (10:00 AM) will provide this services next week.

### Blessed Marie Clementine Anuarite Nengapeta Virgin and Martyr

Courage and commitment are the best words to describe the life of Blessed Anuarite. Her short life was marked with struggle to maintain her virginity while living in a country torn by warfare and immorality. Because of her courage, Anuarite is remembered as a hero of the universal church.

Anuarite was born in what is now the Democratic Republic of the Congo to christian parents who were very devoted to their children. Shortly after her baptism, she expressed a desire to become a Sister of the Holy Family. Her dream became a reality when she received her religious habit and the name Sister Marie Clementine Anuarite. Her only desire was to be a good sister, since this would certainly please God.

**African Saints ~ 40 Holy Men and Women ~ African Stories.....Camille L. Brown, Ph.D.**

To report abuse by church personnel:  
888.437.0764 Archdiocese of Atlanta 24 Hour Reporting Hotline  
Free Pregnancy Test ~ Advice & Aid - 404.763.4357 or Optionline.org  
Lourdes Advocates ~ Ministry for Pregnancy (LAMP) - 404.969-LAMP or 404.969.5267



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June 3, 2012

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### Parish Staff

Father Jeffery Ott, O.P., Pastor  
Father Bruce Schultz, O.P., Associate Pastor  
Deacon Chester Griffin  
Ms. Lisa Berkeley, Business Manager/Bookkeeper  
Ms. Carolyn Bell, Secretary  
Dr. Kevin Johnson, Music Ministry  
Mrs. Theresa Bowen, Director Religious Education  
Ms. Paula Scotman, Teen Ministry  
Mr. Cong Dinh, Maintenance Supervisor

### Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, and 12:00 PM

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 4:30 PM and by appointment

### RCIA - Inquiry Classes

Every Sunday after the 8:00 AM Mass

KDCC - 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor

### Rosary

Saturday: 4:30 PM

### Organizations/Meeting Dates/Contacts

- \* (OLLS) Alumni Association  
Benjamin Gibson, Calvin Washington
- \* Amazing Grace Liturgical Dancers, Kenya Griffin, Director  
Sunday 1:00 pm and Wednesday 7:00 pm
- \* Baby Boomers  
For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776
- \* Bible Study: Every Wednesday 7:00 pm  
Ishola Gaba, Facilitator - 404.456.3365
- \* Book Store: 4th weekend after each Mass  
Quita Barton, Coord. qbarton@aol.com or call the Church Ofc.
- \* (OLL) Centennial Committee - ollcc100@gmail.com  
Patrice Barton Smith, Co-Chair - psbarton901@gmail.com  
Louis Hubbard, Co-Chair - dipdab80@sbcglobal.net
- \* Cursillo Movement / Ultreya: 3rd Sat. 7:30 pm  
Kwame Nyaku, Coordinator - 404.543.0068
- \* Finance Council: Quarterly Meetings  
Norm Richie, Chairperson
- \* Haiti Ministry  
Renee Schattman - 404.557.3330
- \* Health Ministry  
For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776
- \* History Committee: 3rd Sat. 10:30 am  
Geraldine Jackson-White, Facilitator - 404.767.1005
- \* Knights of Peter Claver (KPC): 2nd Sun. 1:30 pm  
Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight - 404.427.1039  
Junior Knights: Quentin Hutchins
- \* KPC Ladies Auxiliary: 2nd Sun. 1:30 pm  
Carmen Jenkins, Grand Lady - 404. 229.9263  
Junior Daughters: Brandi Collins
- \* LAPS (Life After Pink Slips): 1st Monday only at 7:00 pm  
Charles Bowen, Coordinator - 770.981.3663
- \* Life Issues: 3rd Saturday 4:00 pm  
Ron Chandonia, Coordinator - 770.631.0060
- \* Liturgy Committee: 1st Mon. 7:00 pm  
For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776
- \* Lourdes Athletic Ministry  
Kevin Rogers, Co-Coordinator - 404.704.7327  
Kwame Nyaku, Co-Coordinator - 404.543.0068
- \* Lourdes Book Club  
Carole Lacour, Coordinator - 404.629.0878
- \* Men's Ministry  
Patrick Turner, Facilitator - 770.469.4624
- \* Parenting Ministry: Every Sunday 10:30 am  
P. J. Lemuel, Facilitator - 770.981.7226
- \* Prayer Shawl Ministry: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. 3:00 pm (no mtg. Nov. & Dec.)  
Kathy Merritt - 770.986.2907
- \* RCIA (Interested in becoming Catholic)  
Kim Parrish Coordinator 404.522.6776
- \* Simon's Call (AIDS Ministry): 4th Sun. 12 noon  
For info, call the Church office - 404.522.6776
- \* Social Action Committee: 1st Sun After 8:00 am  
Beatrice Soublet, Coordinator - 404.629.9654
- \* St. Vincent de Paul Society: 1st & 3rd Sun. 11:30 am  
Joel Maxwell, Coordinator - 888.246.7155
- \* Women's Council: 1st Sunday after the 10:00 Mass  
Denise Hood, President
- \* Young Adult Group: 2nd Sun. 9:30 am  
Chrystal Akor, Co-Coordinator - 404.955.2195  
Alicia Cobb, Co-Coordinator - 619.846.2002
- \* Young at Heart (Seniors)  
For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776



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**Today's Scripture readings are:**

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40; Romans 8:14-17

GOSPEL: Matthew 28:16-20

**Next Sunday's readings are:**

Exodus 24:3-8; Hebrews 9:11-15

GOSPEL: Mark 14:12-16, 2-26

**MASS INTENTIONS: 5pm** – Repose soul of †Keller Zibilich

**12pm** – Repose soul of †Arthur Scott

**What Sisters Mean to Me: Celebrating the Witness of Women Religious** A prayer service at Our Lady of Lourdes on Friday, June 22, 2012 at 7pm – 8:30pm. All are welcome! For more information email [womenreligious@gmail.com](mailto:womenreligious@gmail.com).

**Prayer Shawl** gathering for June the 16<sup>th</sup> is cancelled.

**Honor Thy Father** It's time for the annual initiative sponsored by Simon's Call, the AIDS Ministry at Lourdes. We will be collecting items for persons who were formerly homeless and have new housing through our partners at Living Room. Please make a donation in honor of your father or the father-figure in your life by bringing items which will be used to make Welcome Baskets. We are in need of mops, brooms, kitchen and bathroom items, cleaning products, towels, etc. We will be collecting on June 10 & 17. Baskets will be at each door.

**Looking for a Temporary Bookstore Coordinator** duties include ordering supplies and price the items, prepare deposits for Church Office after the weekend sales, coordinate volunteers- by setting up schedules, notifying them of bookstore dates etc., and keep inventory of items on hand. Skills that are needed are; must be dependable, flexible, detailed oriented and work well under pressure. Cash handling and record keeping experience will be helpful, work well with other people and willingness to fill-in when the other volunteers are unavailable to cover a Mass. Currently the bookstore is open in the cafeteria on the 4th weekend of each month. If interested please email Lisa Berkley at [bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org).

**Lourdes Book Club** Please join us for our second quarterly meeting on Saturday, July 28, 2012 after the 5 p.m. mass. Our book selection is *“Strength in What Remains by Tracy Kidder”*. The author gives us the story of one man's inspiring American journey and of the ordinary people who helped him, providing brilliant testament to the power of second chances. We will discuss the book at Marlee's Coffee and Tea House located at 349 Decatur Street, Atlanta, GA 30312. For more information, please call Carole Lacour at (404) 629-0878.

**Lourdes Celebrates Its 2012 Graduates!** All graduates are invited to share your graduation with your Our Lady of Lourdes family during masses on June 30 and July 1, 2012. All graduates, K-12, Undergraduate and Graduate levels should complete a registration card and submit it by June 17, 2012. Registration cards may be found at the front entrance of the church. Place the completed cards in the box provided. Direct questions to Melonie Alexander at 404 519 6128.

**Our Lady of Lourdes Centennial T-shirts** Centennial T-shirts will be available for sale after each Mass the weekends of May 26th/27th and June 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> and June 23rd/June 24th. Adult and children shirts are \$10 (XXL and XXXL are \$12). Get into the Centennial spirit and be ready to wear your shirts the weekend of June 30th/July 1st!

**LOURDES STEWARDSHIP**

Weekly Church Budget: \$17,835

Church Support 05/27/12: \$20,527

Total Church Budget (07/03/11 – 05/27/12): \$855,720

Actual Church Support (07/03/11 – 05/27/12): \$857,281

**LOURDES LUNCH** Our parish volunteers served **321** people this Tuesday and **329** on Thursday. We are grateful for these women and men who share the charity of Christ with those who are hungry. Volunteers are most welcome. Just come to the cafeteria after 9:30 AM and concludes around 1:00 PM.

**ARCHBISHOPS' ANNUAL APPEAL 2012**

Lourdes Share \$66,146

Outstanding Pledges \$83,656

Amount Paid To Date (02/26/12 – 05/25/12): \$29,180

(410 Lourdes Households)

**Hello Choir Family!** As we approach the summer season, it is time to review the summer choir attire and dress code. This summer we will be wearing the gold Music Ministry polo for summer masses, unless otherwise determined by Dr. Johnson. If you do not have the gold polo, you can purchase one for \$18 for small, medium, large and extra larges. 2XL sizes and above can be purchased for \$20. Please contact Donald if you need shirt. Additional dress code reminders as requested by our Pastors and Liturgy Committee: These are the guidelines initially: 1. Cover sleeveless tops/shirts with a jacket or sweater; 2. No halter tops; 3. No exposed midriff; 4. No shorts; 5. No mini-skirts; 6. No flip flops; If you have any questions, please direct them to Donald Johnson or Dr. Kevin Johnson. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

**GRACE SCHOLARS** The Georgia Dept. of Revenue is approving education expense tax credits at a rapid pace. As of May 11, the DOR had approved \$20.9 million in tax credits. (For the latest figure on tax credit approvals, visit the GRACE home page at [www.gracescholars.org](http://www.gracescholars.org).) In 2011, the tax credit cap was met in November. This year, the cap is likely to be met in June—if not sooner. In 2011, 2,700 Georgia taxpayers were denied participation in the education expense tax credit program. Included in this number were more than 500 GRACE-affiliated taxpayers. Don't let this happen to you in 2012! Apply today for your tax credit approval. For information and forms, contact: 404-920-7900 or [gracescholars@archatl.com](mailto:gracescholars@archatl.com).

**Marriage Relationship** Summertime is a great time to spend time on your marriage. Marriage can be a major part of the beauty in the world around you! Spend some time with us on a romantic and educational weekend at the Atlanta Marriott in Norcross. It's not too late for our next weekend, June 15 – 17 or to commit to the August 17 – 19 weekend. To apply or learn other dates, go to [www.wmmeatlanta.org](http://www.wmmeatlanta.org) or call us at 678-435-3791.

**KINDRED SPIRITS** is a singles group based at the CATHEDRAL OF CHRIST THE KING but SERVING ALL SINGLES, 50 plus, single, divorced, or widowed, in the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Our mission is to foster a Christ-centered community through social activities, spiritual enrichment, and outreach service programs. Our next monthly gathering is on Sunday, June 10 at 6:30 pm (meet at 5:15 pm for 5:30 Mass) in Conference Room 1. Come and enjoy a fun filled, active evening while enjoying mouthwatering southern BBQ. If you have any traditional southern BBQ side dishes you would like to share with Kindred Spirits friends, bring 'em along ya'll. Visit [www/kindredspiritsatlanta.org](http://www/kindredspiritsatlanta.org), e-mail [info@kindredspiritsatlanta.org](mailto:info@kindredspiritsatlanta.org) or call Colin Campbell at (678) 468-7582 or Susan Taquechel, Lourdes parishioner, (404) 321- 6752 for more information

**Please pray for our sick & shut-in members:** Joseph Allen, Marilyn Archer, Heather Ausman, Mark Azzarello, Addie Bailey, LaQueeta Banks, Ruby Bolden, Charles Bowen, Kevin Bowman, Aaron Brewington, Irvin Brown, John Brown, Johnna Carlson, Michael Vosburg-Casey, Jay Coleman, N'Dira Collier, Ed Jude Costello, Fred Crimi, Clara Cruz, Diane Daniels, Wilford Deese, Holloway Egan, Jim Finn, Charlene Flournoy, Winston Fouche, Helen Franklin, Princella Frazier, Karin Garcia, Alamrew Gaines, Beverly Glover, Jessica Goff, DeLeur Gordon, Miriam Gotay, Scofield Grant, Jeanne Gray, Dorothy and Melvin Griffin, Geton Harper, Susan Harris, Nathan Hearn, Vicki Lynn Hogan, William Jackson, Barbara James, Nancy Jamison, Blanche Johnson, Hazel Johnson, Marvin Johnson, Sonia Johnson, Minnie Jones, Jessica Jordan, Raeburn Josey, Sis. Anna Kearns, Angeline Kissun, Brenda Lee, Joni Lefter, Hilary Lobban, Bernice Malcolm, Pierce McCarthy, Dorothy McClean, Rose Melville, Elias Mustafa, Miriam Norton, Gloria Oakley, Lethia Odom, Idalia O'Neal, Mazie Parker, Daniel Penick, Lorraine Powell, Katie Price, Eisenhower and Rosario Raines, Phyllis Randolph, LaTanya Renfroe, Janet Nixon Reynolds, Eleanor Roak, Charles Robertson, Freddie Robinson, Joi Robinson, Joe Robinson, Christopher Rutherford, Michelle Ryans, Brenda Sewell, Barbara Schenk, Karla Schmidt, Jollette Shannon, Austin Smith, Ernestine Smith, Jhamal Smith, Malcolm Smith, Regina Smith, Lori Sneed, Delia Spencer, Eugene Sturgis, Nicholas Tabb, Lillie Thomas, Denise Tyson, Andrew Vassil, Denny Vavro, Barbara Waller, Wesley & Sophie Waring, Andre White, Sophia L. White, Lerone Bennett III.