

Lourdes Birthdays

Antumn Faulkner	Nov 3	Eileen Hickey	Nov 5	Susan Combre	Nov 7
Emmari Lancaster	Nov 3	Fredrick Hamilton	Nov 5	Tiffany Keys	Nov 7
George Kennedy	Nov 3	Gregory Hood	Nov 5	Trevon Hayes	Nov 7
Kathryn Elmore	Nov 3	Jason Butler-Coleman	Nov 5	Betty Londergan	Nov 8
Robert Greene	Nov 3	Julie Siler	Nov 5	Gwendolyn Young	Nov 8
Stephanie Corbitt	Nov 3	Lori Thomas-Gray	Nov 5	Haley Harris	Nov 8
Tineka Cromartie	Nov 3	Alessia Stewart	Nov 6	James Josey	Nov 8
Ava Strong	Nov 4	Jake Perez	Nov 6	Jennae Alexander	Nov 8
Christopher Bridges	Nov 4	Jordan Tomoksky	Nov 6	Preciou Okonokhua	Nov 8
Christopher Conley	Nov 4	Marguerite Ellison	Nov 6	Rose Caldwell	Nov 8
Jayson Johnston	Nov 4	Mary Crayton	Nov 6	Shawn Gobert	Nov 8
Mason DeGrammont	Nov 4	Moya Minns	Nov 6	Sybron Jones	Nov 8
Michael Mikula	Nov 4	Susan Szuchan	Nov 6	Thomas Rogers	Nov 8
Mizette Coakley	Nov 4	Willie Kidd	Nov 6	Amelia Reedick	Nov 9
Quanesha Perkins	Nov 4	Arianna Deglel	Nov 7	Barbara Johnson	Nov 9
Ralph Meyers	Nov 4	Gail Dunwell	Nov 7	Galen Johnson	Nov 9
Simona Vickers	Nov 4	Grant Benjamin	Nov 7	Lauren Morton	Nov 9
Taji Johnson	Nov 4	Kathy Jones	Nov 7	Mattie Peck	Nov 9
Walker Land	Nov 4	Kenneth English	Nov 7	Michael Filisky	Nov 9
Cecilia Baker	Nov 5	Michael Carpenter	Nov 7		

4th Sunday of October (11/03/13)

Thanks to the **Health Ministry** (5:00 PM), **SVdP** (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 Council** (8:00 AM), **Liturgy Committee** (10:00 AM) will provided this service next week.

Lourdes Primary Parish Leaders

Expansion Steering Committee ~ advises and assists the pastor with the expansion and growth of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish by communicating with parishioners to ensure the ideas and desires of all involved are inclusive and representative of our church.

Dr. Belinda Skelton, Co-Chair
DOCBJS@aol.com

Terrence Charles, Co-Chair
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Pastoral Council ~ advises the pastor on important matters concerning the life of the parish.

Ellie Daniels, Chair
elvandaniels@bellsouth.net

PJ Lemuel, Vice-Chair
pj.lemuel@gmail.com

Finance Council ~ advises the pastor on those issues and matters related to the parish budget

Mary Ellen Macke, Chair
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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

Centennial Note

About the Centennial Logo: The centennial logo was designed by Robert Evans (parishioner), Principal, Times³ Graphic Design. The logo uses Our Lady of Lourdes blue and gold colors, traditionally associated with the Virgin Mary. The dates of the founding year and centennial year are overlaid on the squares.



A CENTURY OF WITNESS – A FUTURE OF COMMITMENT
OUR LADY of LOURDES
CATHOLIC CHURCH



November 3, 2013

25 Boulevard, N.E.

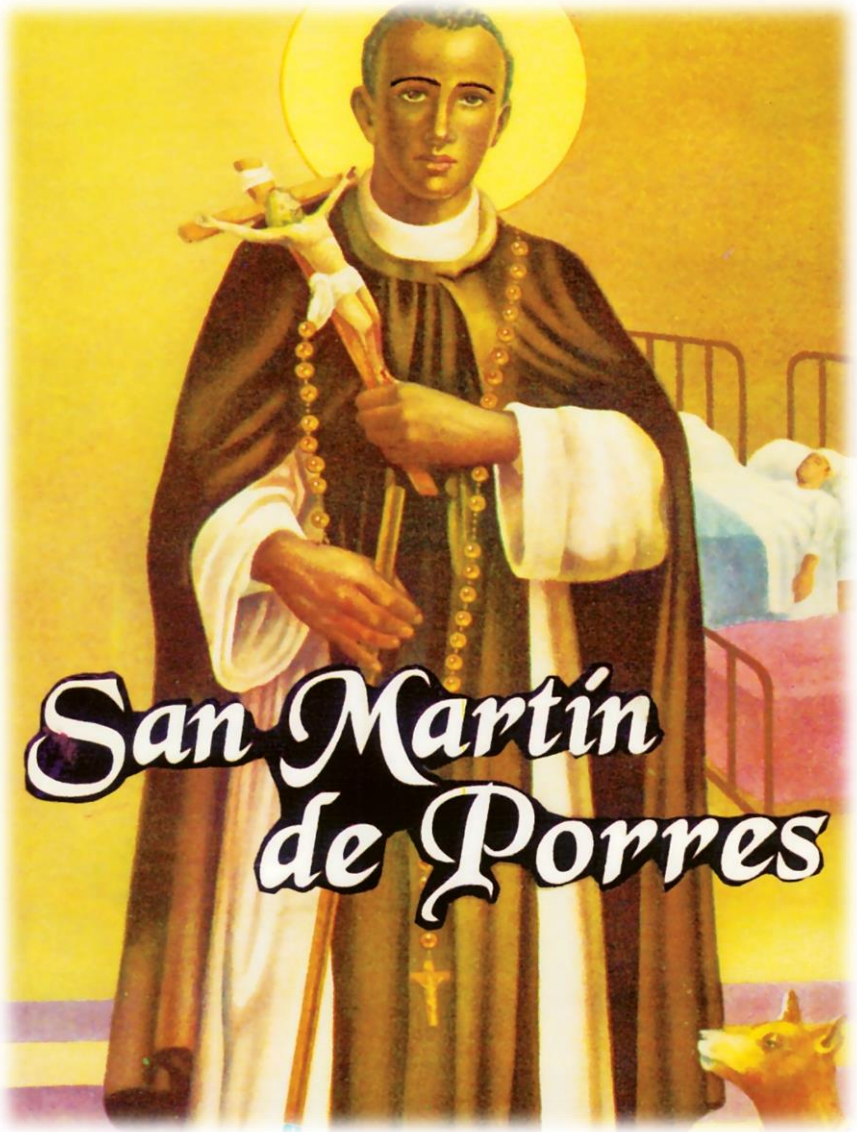
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Church Office: 404.522.6776

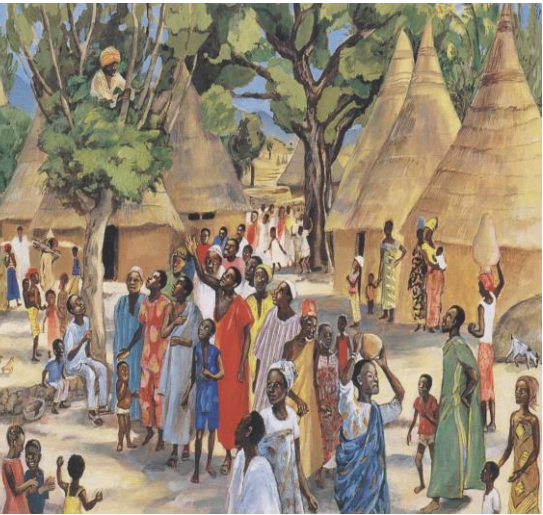
Fax: 404.222.0202

Web site: www.lourdesatlanta.org

E-mail: cbell@lourdesatlanta.org



*Celebrate St. Martín de Porres
Patron Saint of Social Injustice
Feast Day, November 3rd*



WWW.LOURDESATLANTA.ORG

Bulletin is always available on the Lourdes website

***Deadline for bulletin notices is Wednesdays at 12pm**

EMAIL: cbell@lourdesatlanta.org

Today's Scripture readings are:

Wisdom 11:22, 12:2; II Thessalonians 1:11, 2:2

GOSPEL: Luke 19:1-10

Next Sunday's readings are:

2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14; 2 Thessalonians 2:16-35

GOSPEL: Luke 20:27-38

Lourdes Prayer Line

678.235.5469

lourdespct@gmail.com

Home Sick College/Military Students are in need of hearing from their Lourdes' family. Let's send birthday greetings, words of encouragement and "Thinking of You" cards to our young people who are away at school or in the military, etc. Please put their name, address, phone number, and birthday in the drop box located on both church bulletin boards. Information will be gathered and put into binder and placed in the usher room. If you have any questions, please contact the Rita Lee at 678-620-7759.

Cristo Rey Atlanta Jesuit High School On the weekend of November 23/24 Cristo Rey Atlanta Jesuit High School will be delivering the homily and answering questions after all masses. If you not familiar with Cristo Rey you might want to look at a short segment 60 Minutes did on the first Cristo Rey School in 2004 - <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6Ev8kmPnzaY>. Please also visit the website www.cristoreyatlanta.org.

Baby Boomer's Potluck Dinner after Mass on Saturday, Novembers 16, 2013.

Lourdes Nursery We are in need of volunteers support to keep the Nursery open for children to come during Mass times. If you or family members are interested in becoming a volunteer, please call Apria Brown at 770-899-9141. Your dedication and support is the key to our success! ~ *Lourdes Nursery Committee*.

ABLE Join us at Issues and Action Training Strategy Session on Tuesday, November 12th from 7pm – 9pm at North Decatur Presbyterian Church, 611 Medlock Road, Decatur, GA 30033. For more information, contact Barbara at barbburn2@aol.com or 404-375-7342.

Lector Prep second session for the month of December is Tuesday, Nov 5th at 7pm in the church. All lectors are required to attend one session per month to remain active.

Liturgy Committee Meeting is scheduled for Monday, Nov 4th at 7pm in the St. Augustine Room.

Baptismal Prep class will be held on Tuesday, Nov 5th at 7pm in the St. Augustine Room.

November is National Lung Cancer Awareness Month Lung Cancer is a tragic disease that takes a terrible toll on those with the disease, as well as their loved ones. Lung cancer is the leading cancer killer in both men and women in the United States. In fact, more people die from lung cancer than any other type of cancer. The American Lung Association has long been the leader in the fight against lung cancer and is taking new steps to help both patients and their families. Quitting smoking is the single most important step a smoker can take to reduce their risk for lung cancer. Quitting can be tough but smokers don't have to quit alone. Smoking cessation programs have helped smokers quit for nearly 30 years. Freedom From Smoking & Not-On-Tobacco are two programs available to help adult and teen smokers quit for good. The Quitter in You program is designed to help people who have tried to quit before see each attempt as a step to success, not a failure. Speak with your Primary care Physician regarding your risks for lung cancer and lung disease.

LOURDES STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Church Budget: **\$18,345**

Church Support: 10/27/13: **\$18,090**

Total Church Budget (07/07/13 – 10/27/13): **\$311,865**

Actual Church Support (07/07/13 – 10/27/13): **\$311,706**

ARCHBISHOPS ANNUAL APPEAL

LOURDES SHARE **\$70,049**

OUTSTANDING PLEDGES **\$39,493**

AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (02/15/13 – 10/25/13): **\$54,393**

(374 LOURDES HOUSEHOLD)

Lourdes Lunch Our parish volunteers served **313** people this Tuesday and **294** on Thursday. We are grateful for these women and men who share the charity of Christ with those who are hungry. **All new volunteers 12 years old (8th graders) or older are most welcome but will need to call the church office to be scheduled for volunteering.** Volunteers are scheduled from 9:30am and until 1:00pm.

St. Peter Claver Regional Catholic School seeks additional members to serve on its Advisory Council – specifically those with hearts and minds for Catholic education mission. Please send resume and letter of interest to Susanne Greenwood, Principal at sgreenwood@spc-school.org or St. Peter Claver Regional Catholic School, 2560 Tilson Rd., Decatur, GA 30032.

You are invited to the **2013 SOMOS DREAMERS BENEFIT CONCERT**. Event to be held on Saturday, November 9, 2013 from 7:30pm to 10:30(EST) at Marist High School, Centennial Center, 3790 Ashford Dunwoody Rd NE, Atlanta, GA 30319. Centro Hispani Marista will host a Latin salsa concert. The proceeds will go toward defraying the costs associated with the GED program for the hard working immigrant laborers who were brought to the US as children. The concert will feature the exciting Latin band E.M.A. More information, visit the website link: <http://centrohispanomarista.org/>.

Mass of Healing for anyone impacted by Addiction; Every 2nd Saturday, 10:00AM Mass is celebrated in Our Lady of the Assumption's main church for all those struggling with any addiction, as well as anyone who is impacted by the addiction of someone else. Coffee social after Mass, all are welcome! Upcoming Masses: Nov. 9, Dec. 14, 10:00AM. For more information, contact mdannenfelser@olachurch.org.

Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Catholicism But Were Afraid to Ask at Faith on Tap! Atlanta Catholic Singles (ACS) is proud to have "Ask A Priest" night, the chance for you, and everyone you'd like to BRING, to ask the BIG questions on Wednesday, November 6th, 6:30-7:30pm Fellowship, 7:30-8:30pm Presentation, at Manuel's Tavern, 602 N Highland Avenue Northeast, Atlanta, GA 30307. \$5 suggested donation. FREE with college ID. Spread the word! Bring a friend! More details at AtlantaCatholicSingles.org.

Fortunate Families Invites you to a gathering for Catholic parents of LGBT daughters and sons, November 10, 2013, Atlanta, GA. This will be a day of learning, praying together, getting to know one another and anticipating a more welcoming church and world. Register on line at www.fortunatefamilies.com where you will also find more information about the "Gathering." If you cannot register on-line, please email: office@fortunatefamilies.com, and we'll email you a form, or call us at 585-698-6100, and we will take your registration by phone or mail you a registration form. You will receive a confirmation letter with more details.

Immaculate Heart of Mary School (IHM) invites all prospective K-8 students and their parents to attend Open House on Sunday, November 10, from 3:00-5:00 pm. A special presentation at 3:15 pm will provide an overview of IHM from both the administrative and student perspective. Come enjoy this opportunity to meet teachers and administrators, tour the campus, and learn why IHM is a National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence. Please contact Melinda Martin, Admissions Director, at 404-636-4488 or visit our web site at www.ihmschool.org.

Please pray for our sick & shut-in including: Bernice Malcolm, Pierce McCarthy, Dorothy McClean, James McMullan, Ashton Montgomery, John Moore, Elias Mustafa, Chloe Miller, Miriam Norton, Gloria Oakley, Idalia O'Neal, Mazie Parker, Lucy Piquant, Lorraine Powell, Katie Price, Juliet Pilgrim, Eisenhower and Rosario Raines, Janet Nixon Reynolds, Rosalind Reynolds, Fred Robinson, Joi Robinson, Joe Robinson, Shayla Robinson, Christopher Rutherford, Michelle Ryans, Barbara Schenk, Karla Schmidt, Adrienne Sellers, Jolette Shannon, Alana Sheppard, Lois Smith & Renise Smith, Ernestine Smith, Malcolm Smith, Regina Smith, Terry Smith, Lori Sneed, John Soto, Delia Spencer, Eugene Sturgis, Jean-Luc Tahou, Brian Terrell, Lillie Thomas, Terry Thompson, Andrew Vassil, Denny Vavro, Marjorie Vieire, Barbara Waller, Bobbie Ware, Wesley & Sophie Waring, Sophia L. White, Dawn Williams, Gwendolyn Williams, Sherran Winchester.