NEWS AT LOURDES (CONT)

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND Walking in the footsteps of Jesus for 11 days, February 2—12, 2016. Under the direction of Monsignor Edward B. Branch. We will be guided by our Catholic Travel Centre and will accompany us throughout the journey on a motor coach. A brief boat ride on the Sea of Galilee, lunch at Peter's Fish and many more sites where Jesus walked. For air travel and holy land packages download a brochure at www.GoCatholicTravel.com/ Branch or contact Msgr. Branch at 404.788-9394 or email at Msgr.Branch@gmail.com/Branch

MEN'S MINISTRY at Our Lady of Lourdes has graciously accepted the assigned task of painting the church's sanctuary and vestibule on Friday, August 14th and Saturday, August 15th. All men of the parish are encouraged to participate in this important undertaking by signing up to give of their time and talent to this project. A minimum of thirty (30) volunteers per day are needed to successfully complete this project in an timely and orderly manner. Volunteers are needed for taping, painting (brush and/or roller), cleanup, etc. Sign-up sheets for both days are located on the bulletin boards at the front and back entrance of the church. Volunteer hours for Friday 12PM to 9:00PM and Saturday 7AM – 12PM. Thanks you in advance for your enthusiastic support!

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS AUGUST PRAYER INTENTIONS: Volunteers. That volunteers may give themselves generously to the service of the needy. Outreach to the marginalized. That setting aside our very selves we may learn to be neighbors to those who find themselves on the margins of human life and society.

CATHOLIC SINGLE CONFERENCE Join hundreds of single Catholics of all ages in Atlanta, GA at the National Catholic Singles Conference, October 23-25, 2015, held at the Hilton Atlanta Northeast. The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers, music, social events, prayer, food, fellowship, Mass with Archbishop Gregory and more! Earlybird registration through August 25th. Please do not wait long to register as space is limited. For more information and to register visit www.NationalCatholicSingles.com or call 888.267.8885x4.

THE FINANCE OFFICE OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ATLANTA has an immediate opening for a full-time Parish Technical Support Specialist. The Parish Technical Support Specialist assists parishes with questions regarding operations of the accounting software and family database software, and assists in diagnosing hardware problems. Requirements include: Bachelor's Degree and three to five years of accounting work experience; must be computer literate with strong knowledge of Windows 7, experienced with Microsoft Office Suite and automated accounting software, knowledge of ConnectNow Accounting and ParishSOFT Church Management software; must have strong organizational, interpersonal and problem solving skills. Qualified candidates should submit a resume and cover letter (with salary requirements) to: Office of Human Resources atcatholicjobs@archatl.com. No phone calls please.

CRISTO REY ATLANTA JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL seeks qualified, experienced candidates for a full-time School Counselor. Masters and credentialed candidates are preferred. For more information please contact Ms. Diane Bush (dbush@cristoreyatlanta.org or 404-637-2808).

OLA PRESCHOOL is seeking a part-time **Pre-Kindergarten teacher**. The position is Monday thru Friday from 8:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Applicants should hold a degree in Early Childhood/Elementary Education and have experience in the field. Please send cover letters and resumes to dkehoe@olachurch.org.

ARCHDIOCESAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL is seeking a full-time Maintenance Supervisor beginning August, 2015. Responsibilities include supporting the mission of the school, coordinating all facility projects, event set-ups, routine building repairs, maintaining a clean and safe environment, and complying with state and archdiocesan regulations. Experience in building maintenance required and candidates must be flexible with working hours. Please submit cover letter and resume to lschell@hrcatholicschool.org.

> 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

A CENTURY OF WITNESS - A FUTURE OF COMMITMENT

OUR LADY of LOURDES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

25 Boulevard, N.E. Atlanta, GA 30312 404.522.6776 www.lourdesatlanta.org

NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

August 9, 2015

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

Rosary

Saturday: 4:30 PM

RCIA Inquiry Classes

Sunday after the 8:00 AM Mass in KDCC—3rd Floor Contact: Kim Parrish 770-981-5977

Sunday School Classes

K - 7: Sunday: 8:45 AM—9:45 AM

Teens: 10:15 AM—11:45 AM Contact: Samantha Smith lourdesteen1912@gmail.com

Parish Staff

Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P., Pastor

Rev. Bruce Schultz, O.P., Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. Chester Griffin, Deacon

Ms. Lisa Berkley, Business Manager/Bookkeeper

Ms. Carolyn Bell, Secretary

Mr. Kenneth Louis, Director of Liturgy and Music (September 2015)

Mrs. Theresa Bowen, Director of Religious Education

Ms. Samantha Smith, Teen Ministry

Mr. Cong Dinh, Maintenance Supervisor

Mr. Pierre Monette, Jr., Youth/Young Adult Coordinator

Mr. Luis Perez, Housekeeping

Pastoral Care Team

678.235.5469 lourdespct@gmail.com Lourdes Prayer Line

We are active We are committed We are LOURDES Be active. Your time, your Church.

Ministries & Organizations

(OLLS) Alumni Association Janis Griffin, Coordinator

Amazing Grace Liturgical Dancers

Kenya Griffin, Director Wednesdays, 7PM-9PM; Sundays 1:30PM

Open Rehearsals every 2nd Sunday thru April @ 2:30PM

Baby Boomers

Janine Brown: (301)651-5956 jeanettajacobsmom@hotmail.com

Bible Study

Every Wednesday, 7PM Marcus Stewart, Facilitator: (770)491-9319

Book Store

4th weekend after each Mass Quita Barton, Coordinator qbarton@aol.com Contact the church office

(OLL) Centennial Committee

ollcc100@gmail.com Patrice Barton Smith, Co Chair Psbartongo1@gmail.com Louis Hubbard, Co-Chair dipdab8o@sbcglobal.net

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

3rd Saturday, 7:30PM Darren Gustafson, qustafson2954@comcast.net

Finance Council

Quarterly Meetings Mary Ellen Macke, Chairperson

Haiti Ministry

3rd Sunday after the 10AM Mass Mary Jane Cooper, (404)375-1686 Jackie Wales, (770)378-2705

Health Ministry

B. Singleton, pocomo.singleton5@gmail.com S. Griffith, scgriffith1@hotmail.com

History Committee

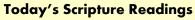
3rd Saturday at 10:30a (TBA)

Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)

2nd Sunday at 1:30PM Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight (404)427-1039 Quentin Hutchins, Jr. Knights (404)438-1249

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

2nd Sunday at 1:30p Carmen Jenkins, Grand Lady (404)229-9263



I Kings 19:4-8; Ephesians 4:30-5:2 GOSPEL: John 6:41-51

Next Sunday's Readings

Proverbs 9:1-6; Ephesians 5:15-20 GOSPEL: John 6:51-58

Habitat for Humanity

Pledged:	\$6,000
Church Support:	\$4,583
Balance:	\$1,417

Lourdes Stewardship

Weekly Church Budget:	\$26 , 197
Church Support (08/02/15):	\$27,367
Total Church Budget (7/05/15– 08/02/15):	\$130,985
Actual Church Support (7/05/15– 08/02/15):	\$136,754

Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Lourdes Share:	\$78 , 600
Outstanding Pledges:	\$34,264
Amount Paid to Date: (As of Aug 7)	\$44,336

Thoughts on Stewardship

The promotion of the practice of stewardship is important for the mission I of the Church and for the spiritual well-being of each individual Christian. Everyone benefits from the sacrificial gift one makes of his time, talent, and treasure. – Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen,	Yolanda Corbett,	Albert French,	Vicki Lynn Hogan,
Jean Alli,	Ed Jude Costello,	Karin Garcia,	William Jackson,
Audrianna Anderson,	Leah Cox,	Alamrew Gaines,	Grace Johnson,
Heather Ausman,	Clara Cruz,	Jessica Goff,	Hazel Johnson,
Christian Bailey,	Diane Daniels,	Mike Goffinet	Marvin Johnson,
LaQueeta Banks,	Sallie Davenport,	Janet Goffinet,	Sonia Johnson,
Edith Barham,	Gary Davila,	Aldwyn Gomez,	Minnie Jones,
Cailin Blount,	Wilford Deese,	DeLeur Gordon,	Jessica Jordan,
Kevin Bowman,	Sofia Desantos,	Peter Gosch,	Linda Jordan,
Aaron Brewington,	Sonia Diaz,	Jeanne Gray,	James Josey,
John Brown,	Toni Douglas,	Johnny Gray, Jr.,	Nelia Kimbrough,
Alexander Burdette,	Temaya Eatmon,	Donna Gregory,	Jane Lawrence,
Tamiko Burgess,	Dierdra Edwards,	Tryphena Gregory,	Brenda Lee,
Leroy Burrows	Holloway Egan,	Dorothy Griffin	Joni Lefter,
Cheryl Cianfrocco,	Yvonne Fears,	Melvin Griffin,	Freda Lipscomb,
Betty Chambers,	Jim Finn,	Cliff Gunthel,	Hillary Lobban
N'Dira Collier,	Evelyn Fortin,	Geton Harper,	
Elizabeth Cook,	Winston Fouche,	Mary Harrison,	

The deadline for bulletin content is Wednesday at 12:00 noon.

Please email cbell@lourdesatlanta.org.

Bulletins are always available on our website: www.lourdesatlanta.org.

NEWS AT LOURDES

LOURDES MENTORING PROGRAM 2015-16 The men in the mentoring program at Hope-Hill Elementary, showed up and showed out. Last year was a great success. We are looking for more mentors, male and female for the 2015-2016 school year. Mentors must be at least 25 years of age or older, and must pass a church and school background check. For more information, contact Louis Hubbard @ 512.426.7888, email: dipdab8o@sbcqlobal.net.

LOURDES BOOK CLUB Join us for a book discussion on Saturday, August 22, 2015 at Panera at Emory Village at 7 p.m. Our book selection is Kinder Than Solitude: A Novel by Yiyun Li. Moving back and forth in time, between America today and China in the 1990s, Kinder Than Solitude is the story of three people whose lives are changed by a murder one of them may have committed. When they were young back in China, they were involved in a mysterious incident in which a friend of theirs was poisoned. For more information, please contact Carole Lacour at Lared111(a) aol.com or (404) 629-0878.

NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION AWARENESS MONTH is the perfect time to promote immunizations and remind family, friends, and coworkers to get caught up on their shots. Immunizations (or vaccinations) aren't just for babies and young kids. We all need shots to help protect us from serious diseases and illness. Everyone age 6 months and older needs a seasonal flu shot every year. Here are some other shots people need at different ages: Young children: • Children under age 6 get a series of shots to protect against measles, polio, chicken pox, and hepatitis. Pre-teens and teens: • Pre-teens need shots at age 11 or 12 to help protect them from tetanus, diphtheria, whooping cough, meningitis, and HPV (human papillomavirus). • Teens need a booster shot at age 16 to help protect them from meningitis. Adults: • All adults need a booster shot every 10 years to protect against tetanus and diphtheria. • People age 65 or older need a one-time pneumonia shot. • Talk to your doctor or nurse about which shots you and your family need.

LOURDES' BIRTHDAYS

August 9

Ambra Hannah Cameron Brown Dana Richie Elizabeth Mensa-Shebra Griffin Richie Iise Moon

August 10

Braedon Belfast Christopher Hanna Dimon Burnam Gabrielle Verre Gregory Berre Heather McClain Jordan Washington Nathaniel Jones Shanny Burge

August 11

Amber Crawford Farrah Coleman Iullian Nash Michelle Turner Randy Abbott Zeke Saviello

August 12

Mary Bahati Michele Hlavsa Samlara Baah

Charlie Hickey Danny Brown Dominic Fernandez Gloria Manson JaLa Dillard **Janet Stewart** Kieran Ferguson Lekeisha Johnson

Tasgola Bruner Tiffany Yarn August 13

Lucas Lopez

George Simpson

Julian Dure

Rwanda Holmes August 14 Aba Rogers Artiane Saintil Bryce Honore Donar Thomas

Kamari Young Maddox Williams Muriel Coles

August 15

Derek Baudy Matthew Clauss Michele Hudgins Mikhaela Singleton Tanjia Jackson

Ministries & Organizations

Lisa Bufford, Junior Daughters (678)362-6952

Lourdes Lunch

Tuesday & Thursday, September-June Thayes Sturgis, Coordinator (404)375-0838

LAPS (Life After Pink Slips)

Charles Bowen, Coordinator Info at www.lourdesatlanta.org

Life Issues

3rd Saturday at 4PM Ron Chandonia, Coordinator (770)631-0060

Liturgy Committee

1st Monday at 7PM Contact the Church Office

Lourdes Athletic Ministry

Kevin Rogers, Co-Coordinator (404)704-7327

Lourdes Book Club

Carole Lacour, Coordinator (404)629-0878

Men's Ministry

Lenny Alexander, Facilitator 404-644-7554

Parenting Ministry

2nd & 4th Sunday at 9AM P.J. Lemuel, Facilitator (770)981-7226

Simon's Call (AIDS Ministry) 4th Sunday at 12 noon Contact the Church Office

Social Action Committee 1st Sunday after the 10AM Douglas Collins, 404 317 4057 doug1234@me.com

Stephen Ministry Chester Griffin, 404-522-6776

St. Vincent de Paul Society 1st & 3rd Sunday at 11:30AM Joanne Breaugh, (770)402-7481

Women's Council

1st Sunday @ 10AM Theresa Wilson, President 404-659-6433

Young Adult Group Fridays at 7:30p

ollyagatl@gmail.com

Young at Heart (Seniors)

Contact the Church Office