## News at Lourdes (Cont)

MARIST SCHOOL On Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup> after the 10am and 12pm masses representatives from Marist School will host an admission informational table at Lourdes. Marist is an independent Catholic School serving grades  $7^{th} - 12^{th}$ whose mission is to form the whole person in the image of Christ. Stop at the table to meet Marist students, parents, and teachers and to gather information about the academic, spiritual, and extra-curricular programs. For information, contact Helen Vance 770-766-5856 or <a href="https://www.nce118@hotmail.com">hvance118@hotmail.com</a> or call Marist School 770-936-2214.

**SOUTH CAROLINA FLOODING** Parts of South Carolina, including Charleston and Columbia, continue to recover from historic flooding. As the flood waters recede, the scope of the devastation can only now be assessed. The people of our Archdiocese are always extraordinarily generous in these moments, and as always I hope each of you will respond to this urgent appeal. While traditional second collections may still be taken and forwarded directly to Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Charleston (the address is below) or the chancery, many may now prefer to donate online so their aid arrives in moments rather than days or weeks. The important thing is not the way people participate, but rather that they do. Please respond by either: Online: charitiessc.org/donate-now; or Mail: Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Charleston 1427 Pickens Street, Columbia, SC 29201 (Please mark your check: "October 2015 Storm"); or Phone: 855-377-1357. Please join me and people of faith everywhere in praying for all those affected by this disaster. ~ Archbishop Wilton D. Gregory

### CATHOLIC FAITH IN MOTION

**POPE FRANCIS OCTOBER PRAYER INTENTIONS: Human trafficking.** That human trafficking, the modern form of slavery, may be eradicated. Mission in Asia. That with a missionary spirit the Christian communities of Asia may announce the Gospel to those who are still awaiting it.

CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC SCHOOL, a K-8 Archdiocesan parish school, located in the Buckhead community of Atlanta, is seeking to build a pool of **Nurse** to substitute in our school clinic. Responsibilities include administering first-aid and approved medications to students, parent communications as needed, maintaining student immunization and attendance records, and adhering to school and Archdiocesan policies. Applicants should possess a current Georgia nursing license, CPR certification and enjoy working with elementary age children. Resumes may be emailed to mbryan@christking.org or faxed to 404-266-0608.

A NORTHEAST GEORGIA PARISH has an immediate opening for a Pastoral Associate. This is a part-time (28 hours a week) position responsible for assisting the Director of Religious Education and the Pastor in coordinating all faith formation activities, including sacramental preparation such as Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation, weddings and funerals. Requirements include a minimum two to three years' experience in an office environment with working knowledge in Microsoft Office; and strong organizational and communication skills, especially when dealing with parents, parishioners, and ministries. Candidate should be a practicing Catholic who is courteous and interacts with people in a professional manner. Hours include evenings and weekends as necessary. Written and oral communication in Spanish is a plus. Interested candidates should submit resume with cover letter including salary requirements to The Archdiocese of Atlanta, Office of Human Resources at catholiciobs@archatl.com. No phone calls please.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC SCHOOL invites you to join us for a "Meet the Principal" coffee event. Hear a brief presentation from our principal, take a personal tour of the campus, and experience the faith filled community at St. John the Evangelist Catholic School on October 22nd, November 5th, December 3rd at 8:30 a.m.

**NOSTRA AETATE** The Archdiocese of Atlanta and American Jewish Committee Atlanta (AJC) are celebrating the 50th anniversary of Nostra Aetate, the unifying Vatican II document declaring the relation of the Catholic Church to Non-Christian Religions. This event will be Wednesday, October 28th at the Ferst Center for the Arts at Georgia Tech, located at 349 Ferst Drive NW, Atlanta. An art reception begins at 6PM followed by the program from 7PM—9PM. For more information and to purchase tickets, please visit <a href="www.archatl.com/events/nostra-aetate">www.archatl.com/events/nostra-aetate</a>.

> To report abuse by church personnel: 888.437.0764 Archdiocese of Atlanta 24 Hour Reporting Hotline Free Pregnancy Test—Advice & Aids—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

### TWENTY-EIGHT SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME





#### **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* 

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

## Saturday: 5:00 PM Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM

**Celebration of the Eucharist** 

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 10:00 AM Mass in KDCC—3rd Floor Contact: Kim Parrish 770-981-5977

### **Sunday School Classes**

K - 7: Sunday: 10:30 AM—11:30 AM

Teens: 10:30 AM—11:45 AM Contact: Samantha Smith lourdesteen1912@gmail.com

#### **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 talent, 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
Psbarton901@gmail.com
Louis Hubbard, Co-Chair
dipdab80@sbcqlobal.net

#### Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

3rd Saturday, 7:30PM Darren Gustafson, gustafson2954@comcast.net

#### Finance Council

Quarterly Meetings Dawn Leaner-Hall, Chairperson

#### **Haiti Ministry**

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

#### **Health Ministry**

B. Singleton, pocomo.singleton5@gmail.com S. Griffith, scgriff1@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



## **Today's Scripture Readings**

Wisdom 7:7-11; Hebrews 4:12-13 Gospel: Mark 10:17-30

## Next Sunday's Readings

Isaiah 53:10-11; Hebrews 4:14-16 Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

#### **Lourdes Stewardship**

Weekly Church Budget:	\$26,197
Church Support (10/04/15):	\$20,868
Fotal Church Budget (7/05/15— 10/04/15):	\$392,955
Actual Church Support (7/05/15- 10/04/15):	\$332,531

## **Archbishop's Annual Appeal**

Lourdes Share:	\$78 <b>,</b> 600
Outstanding Pledges:	\$25,078
Amount Paid to Date: (As of Oct 9)	\$53,522

#### **Lourdes Lunch**

Tuesday, Oct 6	287
Thursday, Oct 8	305

We are grateful for these men and women who share the charity of Christ with those who are hungry. All new volunteers (those who are 12 years of age or older are most welcome but will need to call the church office to be scheduled for volunteering.

## Thoughts on Stewardship

If I am to work to be an effective Christian steward, with the help of God's grace, what will it cost me in terms of personal sacrifice and hardship?

#### Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Bernice Malcom,	Darlene Perkins	Alana Sheppard,	Lillie Thomas,
Yovan Marinkovic	Lucy Piquant,	Belinda Skelton,	Terry Thompson,
Pierce McCarthy,	Lorraine Powell,	Lois Smith,	Merlin Todd
Dorothy McClean,	Charles Prejean,	Renise Smith,	Andrew Vassil,
Beverly McEwan,	Katie Price,	Ernestine Smith,	Denny Vavro,
James McMullan,	Lisa Price-Alexander,	Malcom Smith,	Marjorie Vieira,
Angelo Mejia,	Willie Price	Regina Smith,	Alan Vieira,
Axel Mejia,	Eisenhower &	Terry Smith,	Barbara Waller,
Chloe Miller,	Rosario Raines,	Michelle Skrmetta	Bobbie Ware
Beverly Mims,	Kevin Rogers	Lori Sneed,	Sophia L. White,
Ashton Montgomery,	Janey Reynolds,	John Soto,	Dawn Williams,
John Moore,	Rosalind Reynolds,	Delia Spencer,	Gwendolyn Williams
Jerelyn Morton	Joi Robinson,	Janet Stewart,	Sherran Winchester
Elias Mustafa,	Shayla Robinson,	Ashley Stone,	Juliana Yang
Peggy Neeson	Chris Rutherford,	Eugene Sturgis,	-
Nevels Family,	Michelle Ryans,	Jean-Luc Tahou,	
Cheryl Odom	Barbara Schenk,	Mary Tarrott,	
Idalia O'Neal,	Karla Schmidt,	Brian Terrell,	
Mazie Parker,	Jolette Shannon,	Leonard Thomas, Jr.,	

## 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

**THE SOCIAL ACTION COMMITTEE** invites you to a screening of "Out of Cordoba" and pot luck dinner, on October 24<sup>th</sup> after the 5 pm Mass. This is a powerful movie about interfaith relations and the struggle against religious extremism.

WisEUP! Please join the National Council of Negro Women for the first webinar in a series on financial literacy. WiseUp is an eight module curriculum on financial literacy that will help you learn about money...how to manage, save and grow your money (no matter how meager) with a goal of having Money for Life. The first webinar, Money for Life, is scheduled for Thursday, October 22, 2015 at 6:30PM -8:00PM. Register at <a href="https://www.ncnwwiseup1.eventbrite.com">www.ncnwwiseup1.eventbrite.com</a>

**LOURDES BOOK CLUB** Join us for a book discussion on Saturday, October 24, 2015 at Panera at Emory Village at 7 p.m. Our book selection is *In The Time of the Butterflies* by Julia Alvarez. It is tale of courage and sisterhood set in the Dominican Republic during the rise of the Trujillo dictatorship. A skillful blend of fact and fiction, it is inspired by the true story of the three Mirabal sisters who, in 1960, were murdered for their part in an underground plot to overthrow the government. Alvarez breathes life into these historical figures. Read this book for the place it takes you. Read this book and take courage." —*The Denver Post.* For more information, please contact Carole Lacour at Lared111@aol.com or (770) 951-3417.

**LOURDES NURSERY** is accepting children from age 6 months—4 years old. Also, if you are interested in volunteering please contact the Church Office at 404-522-6776.

**OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH** This year in America, more than 212,000 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer. In addition, 2,000 men are also diagnosed. Early stages of breast cancer generally have no symptoms. Detected early, survival rate exceeds 95%. The Health Promotions Ministry reminds everyone mammograms are among the best early detection methods. We recommend annual screenings, by the age of 40 and monthly self breast examinations.

## LOURDES' BIRTHDAYS

#### October 11

Angela Goddard-Davis Arionne Coleman Ebonie Crawford Elise Vandermeer Jadyn Gibbs-Harrington Kacy Caldwell Karen McEwan Malik Ali Yolanda Ferman

#### October 12

Brandy Tatum-Brock Melissa Moloney Minka Marsh Nadine Etienne

## October 13

Adair White-Johnson Arthur Jones Evelyne Fortin Jeffrey Rock Jeffrey Toney Raven Hutchinson Rita Madden Yvette Hubbard

## October 14

Devon Allowitz
Ebele Onyeabor
Jerome Gizani
JoJo Kyei-Frimpong
Kaleb Bodman
Margaret Brooks
Marlon Rainey
Mildred Harper
Robert Campbell
Tiffany Wright

#### October 15

<sup>1</sup> Clio Grand Pierre Henry Reed Lawanna Shepard Lawrence Mannah Mariah Jacks Marisa Nihiser PJ Lemuel

# Ubol Ware October 16

Amira Parson
Austin Smith
Emily Tillery
Emma Butler-Coleman
Gloria Sebastian
Jackson Roach
John Miller
Judy Alexander
Leonard Hope
Marty Fashina
Patricia Paulino
Regina Hardin
Theresa Johnson

Virginia Penn

## October 17

Alessandro Francoso

Alyce Yorde
Brie Murray
Darren Connor
Errol Mague
Emilia Francoso
Jennifer Macke
Judith Vissman
Kelli Sogar
Khadeja Johnson
Nathaniel Kiser
Shawon Golightly

### **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

Sunday at 10:00AM 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, SVDP Hotline – 678-892-6163

## 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