

MEN'S DAY OF REFLECTION: Our Lady of Lourdes Men's Ministry will host their 2018 Men's Day of Reflection on Saturday, June 9 from 8:30AM - 3PM at Lyke House - The Catholic Student Center Atlanta University, 809 Beckwith Street, Atlanta, GA 30314. Join us for Scripture, Faith Sharing, Preaching, Fellowship, Prayer and Meditation. Admission is \$15 per person and includes Continental Breakfast and Lunch. Men of all ages and faiths are welcome!

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR LOURDES' 2018 GRADUATES! We will recognize all of the 2018 graduates at all Masses the weekend of June 9 /June 10. This year we are doing something different. There will be Graduate's Information cards located at each entrance of the church at all masses on June 9/10. Graduates will take and complete the card when they attend mass and the cards will be collected by the ushers. The cards will be used to recognize the graduates during mass.

2018 EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS will take place Friday, June 1, and Saturday, June 2, at the **Georgia International Convention Center, 2000 Convention Center Concourse, College Park, GA.** We will gather as a community from all over Georgia and the South East in Eucharistic Adoration of our Lord. Dynamic speakers and musicians will speak to the empowering message of the Gospel, "That they may all be one" (Jn 17:21). For more information visit: <https://congress.archatl.com/>.

AFRICAN AMERICAN SPIRITUALITY: Lourdes own, Dr. Diana Hayes, STD will be presenting a college level course on African American Spirituality in conjunction with Spring Hill College at Ignatius House Retreat Center, June 22 - 24. For more information or questions, visit www.shc.edu/sics or email theology@shc.edu or call 877-857-6742.

GUN VIOLENCE AWARENESS DAY: Friday, June 1 from Noon – 2PM at Liberty Plaza, Atlanta. Please lend your voice to the chorus of Georgians remembering victims of gun violence in our state and calling for our community to rethink its gun laws. Join us in this vigil as we all continue to work to discern a way forward in reducing the number of senseless deaths from guns. **Please Wear Orange.** For more information contact: The Rev. Elizabeth Shows Caffey, Associate for Liturgy & Education email: elizabeth@stlukesatlanta.org or Call 404-873-7600.

MAY IS NATIONAL STROKE AWARENESS MONTH: Every 40 seconds, someone in the United States has a stroke; making it the fourth leading cause of death in the United States. A stroke, sometimes called a brain attack, occurs when a blockage stops the flow of blood to the brain or when a blood vessel in or around the brain bursts. Although many people think of a stroke as a condition that affects only older adults, strokes can and do occur in people of all ages. In fact, nearly a quarter of all strokes occur in people younger than age 65. The best way to lower your chances of having a stroke is to understand your level of risk, then take steps to decrease it. Here are several other life-saving steps you can take to stay healthy. Know your ABC'S of health: Appropriate Aspirin therapy (Ask your doctor if taking aspirin is right for you); Blood pressure control: Keeping your blood pressure under control reduces your risk of heart attack and stroke; Cholesterol management: Get your cholesterol checked regularly and manage it with diet and physical activity or with medication, if needed. Steps you can take to reduce risk include: Smoking cessation, Exercise regularly, Eat a healthy diet that's low in sodium, Maintain a healthy weight, Prevent or control diabetes and Limit your alcohol intake.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR MAY: *The Mission of the Laity.* That the lay faithful may fulfil their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.

PREGNANCY AID CLINIC VOLUNTEERS NEEDED Do you wish to contribute your time, efforts, and God-given talents for a worthy cause? The Pregnancy Aid Clinic, the only Catholic Pregnancy Resource Clinic in the Archdiocese, is looking for volunteers to work in various capacities in their Forest Park Clinic. Meet people, make new friends, and challenge yourself to try something different all while helping others! Go to www.pregnancyaidclinic.com and click on *Volunteers* for more information. This is a fun and rewarding use of your time!

To report abuse by church personnel:
888.437.0764 Archdiocese of Atlanta 24 Hour Reporting Hotline
Free Pregnancy Test – Pregnancy Aid Clinic – 404.763.4357 or Optionline.org

A CENTURY OF WITNESS – A FUTURE OF COMMITMENT

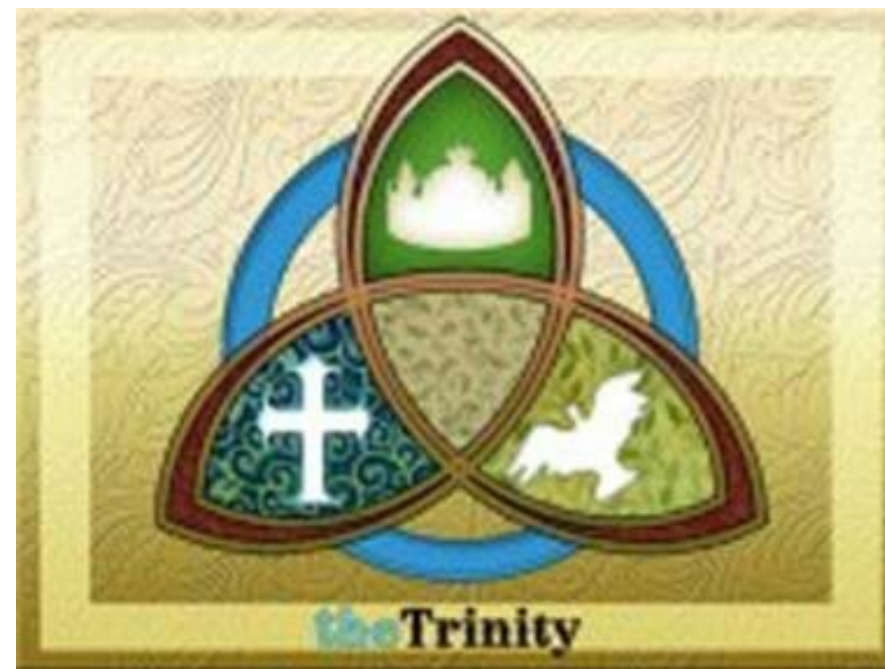
OUR LADY of LOURDES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

25 Boulevard, N.E.
Atlanta, GA 30312
404.522.6776
www.lourdesatlanta.org
Office Hours: M-F 9AM - 6PM
Closed for Lunch: 1PM-2PM

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

May 27, 2018



Parish Staff

Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P., *Pastor*
Rev. Bruce Schultz, O.P., *Associate Pastor*
Rev. Mr. Chester Griffin, *Deacon*
Rev. Mr. Lennison Alexander, *Deacon*
Rev. Mr. Kenneth Bell, *Deacon*
Mr. Kenneth Louis, *Director of Liturgy and Music*
Ms. Lisa Berkley, *Business Manager/Bookkeeper*
Ms. Carol Ann Pinard, *Office Administrative Assistant*
Mrs. Angela Massingale, *Assistant to the Pastor*
Mrs. Theresa Bowen, *Director of Religious Education*
Ms. Samantha Smith, *Teen Ministry*
Mr. Cong Dinh, *Maintenance Supervisor*

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

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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 Classes
1st & 3rd Sundays 8AM - 9:50AM
In RCIA Room - 3rd Floor
Contact: Ms. Kimberly Parrish
404.247.6628
kaparrish@hotmail.com

Nursery Hours
9:00AM - 11:45AM
Ages: 3 Months - 4 Years old
ON BREAK FOR SUMMER

Sunday School Classes
K - 7: Sunday: 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
Contact : Mrs. Theresa Bowen
thebowens4@bellsouth.net
ON BREAK FOR SUMMER

Teens: 10:30AM - 11:45 AM
Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith
lourdesteens1912@gmail.com
ON BREAK FOR SUMMER

Pastoral Care Team
Contact: Mr. Phillip Verre
Lourdes Prayer Line: 678.235.5469
lourdespct@gmail.com
2nd Saturday of the month at 10AM



Join our online community on **Flocknote** by texting LOURDESATL to #84576 to sign up for a ministry and receive our weekly e-newsletter!

Ministries & Organizations

(OLLS) Alumni Association

Janis Griffin, Coordinator
ollsalumni@gmail.com

Amazing Grace Liturgical Dancers

Kenya Griffin, Director
Wednesdays, 7:15PM-9:15PM;
Sundays, 1:30PM
Open Rehearsals every 2nd Sunday
January - October at 2:30PM
amazinggracedancecompany@gmail.com

Baby Boomers

Janine Brown: (301) 651-5953
jeanettajacobsmom@hotmail.com

Bible Study

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

Book Store

4th weekend after each Mass
Jazleen Allyse, Coordinator

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

1st Mondays, 7:00PM
Lisa Berkley,
bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org

Finance Council

Quarterly Meetings
Dawn Leaner-Hall, Chairperson

Haiti Ministry

3rd Sunday after the 10AM Mass
Reginald Grand-Pierre
(404) 309-7670

Health Promotions Ministry

4th Sunday after the 10AM Mass (offsite)
Pamela Tolliver, Co-chair
pdtoll714@gmail.com; (678) 662-6427
Helen Tritschler, Co-chair
helen.tritschler@gmail.com

Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)

2nd Sunday at 12:00PM
Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight
(404) 427-1039

KPC Junior Knights

Matthew Amos, Junior Commander
(404) 697-2421

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

2nd Sunday at 12:00PM
Patrice Barton-Smith, Grand Lady
(678) 371-2677

KPC Junior Daughters

Lisa Bufford, Counselor
(678) 362-6952



Today's Scripture Readings

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-40; Romans 8:14-17
Gospel: Matthew 28:16-20

Next Sunday's Readings (Corpus Christi)

Exodus 24:3-8; Hebrews 9:11-15
Gospel: Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

Mass Intention: 10AM For the repose of the soul of † Nicole Thornton
12PM For the repose of the soul of † Mary Wolk

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (05/20/18): \$25,871
Weekly Church Budget: \$26,197

Consider setting up on-line giving today! Visit: www.lourdesatlanta.org to give
or Text 'LOURDES' to 1.844.544.7171

2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal "Go therefore and make disciples."

Lourdes Share: \$124,900
Total Pledged & Received: \$95,039
Amount Paid to Date: \$35,137
Outstanding Pledges: \$59,902

Thoughts on Stewardship

The commitment to be a follower of Jesus Christ is expressed not in a single action, or even in a number of factions over a period of time, but in an entire way of life - Introduction to the pastoral letter Stewardship: A Disciples Response.

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen,	Patricia Green,	Darlene Perkins,
Deborah Ambeau,	Barbara Hagan,	Julia Perilla,
Leonor Angarita,	Geton Harper,	Lynette Porter,
Saul Angarita Valencia,	Frank Howard,	Katie Price,
Brooke Bailey,	Cheryl Ismael,	Eisenhower Raines,
Cherry Banez,	Ronald Jean - Louis,	Josephine Rosario,
Sandy Bell,	Blanche Johnson,	Mildred Rucker,
Judy Brooks,	James Jordan,	Grace Rutherford,
Edna Bryant,	Linda Jordan,	Barbara Schenk,
Luella Chambers,	Ken Krautter,	Alana Sheppard,
Sallie Davenport,	Janet Lawrence,	Luana Slaughter,
Eileen DeWane,	Thomas Lewis,	Jesse Smith,
Temaya Eatmon,	Ada Lipscomb,	Regina Smith,
Mattie Ellison,	James McEwan,	Janet Stewart,
Rita Engelhardt,	James McMullen,	Johnnie Strong,
Miriam Gotay,	Phillip Musey,	Eugene Sturgis,
Tom Grant,	Peggy Neeson,	Jean-Luc Tahou

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

Please email cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org. Bulletins and Inserts are always available on our website: www.lourdesatlanta.org.

NEWS AT LOURDES

LOURDES OFFICE will be closed on Monday, May 28, for the Memorial Day holiday. We will re-open on Tuesday, May 29 at 9AM.

TAIZE PRAYER: There will be **no Taizé prayer** at Lourdes on Monday, May 28 due to the Memorial Day holiday. Please join us for our next Taizé prayer on Monday, June 25 at 8PM. We look forward to having you join us then.

LOURDES YOUNG ADULT GROUP: If you are single or married between the ages of 18 and 40 consider joining the Young Adult Group (YAG). YAG is a ministry united in diversity called by God's love, on a journey of spiritual growth with our peers. Our goal is to provide a means for our young adults to interact, communicate, share their faith and their experiences to make a difference in the lives of their community through charity and volunteer commitment. YAG will meet every 1st and 3rd Friday at 7pm in the parish hall. Join us for our next meeting Friday June 1.

RCIA MINISTRY will hold an Inquiry Session for anyone interested in becoming Catholic on **Sunday June 3 at 9AM**. The class will meet in the RCIA Room (last classroom on the left) on the 3rd floor in the Drexel Center. For RCIA contact information see the front cover of the bulletin.

BAPTISMAL PREP for parents wishing to have their child (under the age of 6) baptized, will be held on **Tuesday, June 5, at 7PM**, in the St Augustine Room, 2nd Floor, KDCC Building. Please call the church office (404-522-6776) to RSVP.

LECTOR PREP for the month of July will be held on **Tuesday, June 5, at 7PM** and **Saturday, June 9 at 10:30AM** in the church. **All lectors are required to attend one session per month to remain active.**

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Do you like praying the rosary? We're looking for a few volunteers to help lead the rosary on Saturdays at 4:30PM. If interested please contact Lisa Berkley at bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

May 27 Beth Ann Herndon Chanel Lynch Erwin Shatzen Karyn Tiller Kathleen Parris Kevin O'Gara Jr. Michael Allowitz Sandra Bridgeman Myron Cahill Nicele Summers Rone Paulding Sydney Jones	Racquel Quarless Tiffanye Davenport Walter Conway May 29 Allison Lane Ashlee Spraggins Erick Malveaux Ivo Vissenberg Jeffrey Zokovitch Jr. Jennifer Kolshak Mary Volkert Norman Carmichael Obinna Ogene Paris Wood May 30 Addison Sublett Beatrice Soskin Bryson Bien Catherine Crosby Dana Duncan Dorothy Stephenson Gillian Turner Hines Kim Colossale Leslie Haydel	Sydney Honore May 31 Candice Cannon Dawn Castro Laura Guerin Melanie Archie Nowel Holmes Timothy Sullivan June 1 Audria McMullins Edowaye Asemota Francisco Fedullo Jarrod Huey Henry Pastel Lauren Davis Luetta Brooks Mattie Ellison Michael Anderson Michelle Gould Ralph Woolfolk III Susan Belmonte Sylvia Cora	Sydney Galtney June 2 Alisia Moora Allegra Haynes Amarachi Irondi Arthur Titus V Carroll Frank Chandra Fowler Justus Alexander Macre Savane Olivia James Patricia Luster Shawn McDaniel Tess Bailie Tiffany Anderson Veronica Scott
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Ministries & Organizations

Lourdes Lunch

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

Life Issues

Conference Call 4th Sunday at 7PM
Ron Chandonia, Coordinator
(770) 631-0060

Liturgy Committee

1st Monday at 7PM
Contact: Kenneth Louis
klouis@lourdesatlanta.org

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

Mentoring Ministry

Louis Hubbard, Coordinator
lehubbard51@att.net
(512) 426-7888

Parenting Ministry

Sunday at 10:30AM
P.J. Lemuel, Facilitator
(770) 981-7226

Simon's Call (AIDS Ministry)

Quarterly on 1st Sunday at 12PM
Janis Griffin

Social Action Committee

1st Sunday after the 10AM
Douglas Collins, (404) 317 4057
doug1234@me.com

Stephen Ministry Leaders

Lenny Alexander, (404) 644-7554;
Fr. Jeffery Ott, (404) 997-3867

St. Vincent de Paul Society

1st & 3rd Sunday at 11:30AM
Joanne Breaugh, Chair
SVDP Hotline (678) 892-6163

Women's Council

1st Sunday @ 10AM
Denise Hood, President
(404) 752-9620

Young at Heart (Seniors)

Contact the Church Office