

LOURDES WALKING CLUB: Walking Club members !!!! Join us for our next event which takes place Saturday, August 4 at 8:30AM (weather permitting). We will meet at church then proceed over to the Beltline together. Come out, bring a friend and/or your family as we walk while enjoying the beautiful views of the skyline/art along Atlan-ta's Beltline. Any questions, please contact Walking Club coordinator, PJ Lemuel 404-277-4132.

VIRTUS VOLUNTEER TRAINING: The Archdiocese of Atlanta requires **all volunteers** working with children and/or vulnerable individuals to complete the VIRTUS - Protecting God's Children in- person (3hour) course **and** online background screening **prior to volunteering**. Current volunteers who had training and online screening more than 5 years ago are also required to be re-screened and attend the in-person course. Now is the time to update your volunteer training! For more information please email: Carol Ann Pinard (cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org).

DANCE AUDITIONS: Amazing Grace Dancers are seeking skilled, passionate, and hardworking individuals **ages 17 years & up** to inspire the Lourdes community through dance on the 3rd weekends from September-June, and other special occasions throughout the year. Auditions to be held on Saturday August 4 at 10AM and open to Lourdes members and non-Lourdes members who have a heart for dance ministry. Rehearsals are Wednesday's at 7:30PM, 3rd Thursdays at 7PM, and Sundays at 1:30PM. For audition requirements email amazinggracedancecompany@gmail.com

"YOGA BY CHANDRA" at Lourdes. This is an all levels class for those who want to experience yoga for the first time, and those who want to delve deeper into their own practice. Join Chandra and fellow Lourdes members every Saturday from 8:30AM - 9:30AM in the dance studio. If you have any questions...please call Chandra Fowler 678-591-0234. Classes are \$10.00.

SAVE THE DATE for the first session in the series "Envisioning our Future" on Saturday August 25 after 5PM Mass and Sunday 26, August 2018 after the 12PM Mass - check your up-coming bulletin for more information."

JULY IS UV SAFETY MONTH: Who is at risk from eye damage from the sun? Yes, everyone (including children) is at risk for eye damage from UV radiation that can lead to vision loss. Any factor that increases the amount of time you spend in the sun will increase your risk. People who work or play in the sun for long periods of time are at the greatest risk. The risk of sun related eye problems is higher for people who: spend long hours in the sun have had cataract surgery* or have certain retina disorders are on certain medicines, such as tetracycline, sulfa drugs, diuretics and tranquilizers that increase the eye's sensitivity to light. *If you have had cataract surgery, you may be more at risk of injury from sunlight unless the artificial lens you received during surgery absorbs UV rays. Please consult your Ophthalmologist or Optometrist, if you have concerns.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR JULY: Priests and Their Pastoral Ministry. That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Being nudged 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 will be a fun and rewarding use of your time!

HEALING RETREAT: The Way for Men is a 3-day retreat for adult male survivors of abuse offered by the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Victim Assistance Program. It will be September 14-16, 2018 at Carmel Retreat Center in Hoschton, GA. The registration deadline is September 6, 2018. Please contact Sue Stubbs at 404-920-7550 or sstubbs@archat.com for more information.

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

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 29, 2018



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

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*

We are active
We are committed
We are LOURDES

Be active. Your time, your talent, your Church.

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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
Jasleen 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

2 Kings 4:42-44; Ephesians 4:1-6
Gospel: John 6:1-15

Next Sunday's Readings

Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15; Ephesians 4:17, 20-24
Gospel: John 6:24-35

Mass Intention: 10AM For the repose of the soul of † Helen Ambeau
12PM For the repose of the soul of † Patricia (Pat) Green

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (07/22/18): \$23,630
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: \$116,781
Amount Paid to Date: \$63,484
Outstanding Pledges: \$53,297

Thoughts on Stewardship

When we serve others, we are imitating Jesus. We advance from *volunteer* to *steward* when we consciously choose to dedicate a portion of our time, talent, and treasure to the Lord, as a token of our gratitude for all He has given to us.

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

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

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

LECTOR PREP for the month of September will be held on **Saturday, August 4 at 10:30AM** and **Tuesday August 7, at 7PM** and in the church. **All lectors are required to attend one session per month to remain active.**

BAPTISMAL PREP for parents wishing to have their child (under the age of 6) baptized, will be held on **Tuesday, August 14, at 7PM**, in the St Augustine Room, 2nd Floor, KDCC Building. Please call the church office (404-522-6776) to **RSVP**.

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE: Lourdes family, please assist the Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary (KPCLA) in collecting school supplies for the upcoming school year. School supplies for all ages are needed. The supplies will be donated to Hope Hill Elementary, Cristo Rey High School and Faith in Action Summit on Violence. Tubs are at both entrances this weekend (7/28 and 7/29). Thanks in advance!

ESTATE PLANNING FOR CATHOLIC ADULTS: Please join Lourdes parishioner and attorney Steve Weyer as he discusses the basic elements of estate planning, focusing on three essential documents: a power of attorney, an advance directive for healthcare, and a last will and testament. Steve will address how you can customize these documents to reflect your Catholic faith and beliefs. This event is appropriate for all adults, especially seniors and persons with parents who are seniors. Saturday, August 4, 2018, after the 5PM Mass, in the parish hall. A helpful and thoughtful 70-page workbook and guide, *Now and at the Hour of our Death*, will be available for purchase for \$5.00.

RCIA MINISTRY will hold an Inquiry Session for anyone interested in becoming Catholic on **Sunday August 12 at 9AM**. The class will meet in the RCIA Room on 3rd Floor (last classroom on the left) in the Drexel Center. This will be the last inquiry session before RCIA classes resume in September. RCIA contact information is located on the cover of the bulletin".

CONGRATULATIONS to our very own, Kenneth W. Louis, whose musical compositions have been published in "One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism" a new African American Hymnal by GIA Publications who publishes our "Lead Me, Guide Me" hymnal (see flyer insert).

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

July 29

Elizabeth Chilla
John DeFoor II
John Black-Smith
Kierston Tiller
Vincent Raio
Wallace Evans

July 30

Bernadette Kennedy
Brendan Freeman
Grace Johnson
Jordyn Black
Kirk Haynes
Laura Lacombe
Madison Pennington
Melvin Sawyer
Thomas Jenkins Jr.

July 31

Aurielle Coleman

Helga Ojinmah
Kurt Collier
Lena Reid
Mary Cromer
Michael Dula
Sara Elizabeth Sides
Teri L. Lewis

August 1

Addie Bowden
Avon Howse
Brigitte Flannery
Carter Middleton
Cecilia Paprocki
Christopher Spencer
Elizabeth Craig
Jordache Avery
Reikelle Coppins
Tamiko Hope
Yolanda McGuire

August 2

Anthony Hannah
Crystal Walter
Darryl Woods
Gail Holmes
Helen Greenfield
Ian Daniels
Imani Jenkins

Rev. Jeffery Ott

Joi Harris
Kathy Daly
Mary Moon
Mary Ujda
Noemie Saintil
Omari Joseph
Phyllis Dejean
Sallie Davenport

August 3

Berdean Simmons

Brandon Davis
Frank Fashina
Jaia Alli
Jessica Gibson
Johnathan Roberts
Josh Casbon
Patrick Turner
Sabrina Shannon-Womack
Roland Blanding III

August 4

A'lyiah Ray
Christopher Miller
Erica Dunbar-Smith
Marvina Campbell
Sianna Simmons



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

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 at 10AM
Denise Hood, President
(404) 752-9620

Young Adult Group

Fridays at 7p

Young at Heart (Seniors)

Contact the Church Office