

**STEPHEN MINISTER TRAINING:** Are you a compassionate person and a good listener? Prayerfully consider becoming a Stephen Minister. New Training sessions commence on **Tuesday, November 6, 2018** and continues every Tuesday from 6PM - 8:30PM in the Parish Hall. The cost of the training is \$55 per person and covers books and materials. For more information contact: Stephen Ministry Leaders Deacon Lenny Alexander, Maureen Alexander or call the Church Office to register.

**HEALTH FAIR:** The Health Promotions Ministry is pleased to announce its upcoming Health Fair, *UNDERSTANDING CANCER!* The Health Fair will take place Sunday, November 4, in the Parish hall after each Mass. COME OUT to learn about cancer prevention, early detection, treatment options and so much more. Healthcare providers from some of the BEST organizations will be in attendance to answer your questions. We will also have a puppet show for the kids and a healthy cooking demonstration. We look forward to seeing you there!

**VIRTUS - PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN TRAINING :** The Archdiocese of Atlanta requires **all clergy, employees and volunteers** working with children and vulnerable individuals to complete the Virtus - Protecting God's Children Training, comprised of an online background screening **and** a 3 hour training session. Our Lady of Lourdes will host a VIRTUS training on Saturday, November 10, from 9AM - 12PM in the Parish Hall. To register for the session visit <https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/> and to complete the online background screening portion email: Carol Ann Pinard ([cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org)).

**YOU ARE INVITED** to the OLLSAA Holiday Gathering on Saturday November 17, 2018 at the Holiday Inn at Camp Creek and Princeton Lake Parkway. It will begin at 1:00 PM and a **full catered meal** will be available for **\$10.00 each**. Please invite your **family and friends** and let's celebrate the 8 years the Our Lady of Lourdes School Alumni Association has been organized. We appreciate your support of the association. Please RSVP to Eleanor Grier at 404-357-7799 or Sandra Criddell at 404-290-1235. If no answer, please leave a message with your name and the number of people who will be attending with you. Thank you!

**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.

## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER:** *The Missions of Religious* - That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalized, and those who have no voice.

**ST THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC SCHOOL** located at 630 W. Ponce de Leon Ave, Decatur GA 30030 cordially invites prospective students (Kindergarten - 8th grade) and parents to attend its annual Open House on Sunday, October 28. Registration starts at 1:45PM in the Mulhern Hall. The program will begin at 2PM with the Principal's Welcome. You'll have the opportunity to meet our faculty and staff and learn more about how we can provide your child with a faith-filled and academically challenging education. For more information, please visit [stmga.org](http://stmga.org) or contact our Admissions Director Eileen Maron by phone 404-373-8456 or by email at [ekm@stmga.org](mailto:ekm@stmga.org). Refreshments will be served.

**FORTUNATE AND FAITHFUL FAMILIES' ANNUAL RETREAT** will be held November 18 from noon until 7pm at the Chancery of the Archdiocese of Atlanta, 2401 Lake Park Dr., Smyrna, GA 30080. The theme COVENANT OF HOPE will be celebrated through Mass, dialogue and sharing with priests, deacons, parents and families of LGBT children, LGBT Catholics, as well as representatives from a Catholic high school. FFF is an archdiocesan approved ministry for parents and families with LGBT members and promotes love and acceptance for all within our Catholic Church. Cost for the day (including dinner) is \$25pp or \$40 for a couple. Registration deadline is November 12. For information and registration, go to <https://fortunatefaithfulretreat.eventbrite.com> or call 770-924-3920. "HOPE is the confident expectation of what God has promised and its strength is in His faithfulness."

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](http://Optionline.org)

## A CENTURY OF WITNESS – A FUTURE OF COMMITMENT

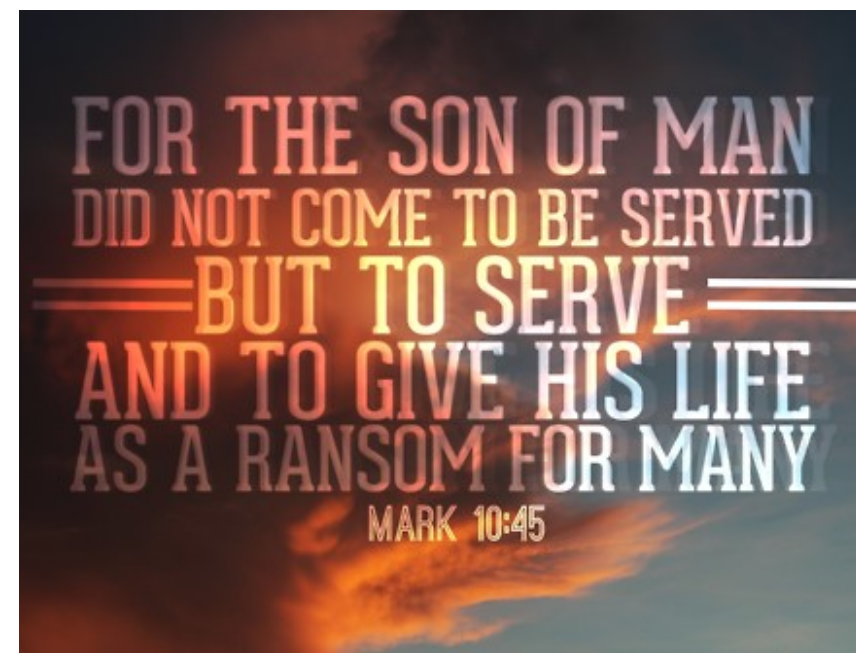
# OUR LADY of LOURDES

### CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

## TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 21, 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*

We are active  
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

**Journey of Faith (RCIA)**  
1st & 3rd Sundays 11:30AM-1:30PM  
In RCIA Room - 3rd Floor  
Contact: Ms. Kimberly Parrish  
404.247.6628/ [kaparrish@hotmail.com](mailto:kaparrish@hotmail.com)

**Nursery Hours**  
9:45AM - 11:45AM  
Ages: 3 Months - 4 Years old

**Sunday School Classes**  
K - 7: Sunday: 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Contact : Mrs. Theresa Bowen  
[thebowens4@bellsouth.net](mailto:thebowens4@bellsouth.net)

**Teens:** 10:30AM - 11:45 AM  
Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith  
[lourdesteens1912@gmail.com](mailto:lourdesteens1912@gmail.com)

**Pastoral Care Team**  
Contact: Deacon Chester Griffin  
Lourdes Prayer Line: 678.235.5469  
[lourdespct@gmail.com](mailto:lourdespct@gmail.com)  
2<sup>nd</sup> 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  
(Closed until further notice)

**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 Taylor, Counselor  
(678) 362-6952



## Today's Scripture Readings

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

## Next Sunday's Readings

Jeremiah 31:7-9; Hebrews 5:1-6  
Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

**Mass Intention: 10AM** For the repose of the soul of †Angela Lucas

## For Mass Intention Requests:

Email your request to [cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org)

## Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (10/14/18): \$18,329  
Weekly Church Budget (New Fiscal Yr. 18 – 19): \$28,400

Consider setting up on-line giving today! Visit: [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org) to give  
or Text 'LOURDES' to 44321

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

Lourdes Share: \$124,900  
Total Pledged & Received: \$121,291  
Amount Paid to Date: \$74,549  
Outstanding Pledges: \$46,742

## Thoughts on Stewardship

God isn't afraid of giving too much, why am I?

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

Joseph Allen,	Eileen DeWane,	Linda Jordan,	Barbara Schenk,
Kennan Allen,	Temaya Eatmon,	Ken Krautter,	Alana Shepard,
Deborah Ambeau,	Mattie Ellison,	Felix Lawrence,	Jesse Smith,
Leonor Angarita,	Clinton Elmore,	Janet Lawrence,	Regina Smith,
Saul Angarita Valencia,	Rita Engelhardt,	Thomas Lewis,	Larry Soublet,
Brooke Bailey,	Mary Francis,	Jim Macke,	Janet Stewart,
Cherry Banez,	Miriam Gotay,	James McEwan,	Wendy Stewart,
Cherylle Bartholomew,	Tom Grant,	James McMullen,	Johnnie Strong,
Sandy Bell,	Kenya Griffin,	Peggy Neeson,	Eugene Sturgis,
Jerry Billingslea,	Barbara Hagan,	Darlene Perkins,	Jean-Luc Tahou,
Judy Brooks,	Geton Harper,	Julia Perilla,	Michael Weber,
David Brower,	Rosa Holmes,	Lynette Porter,	Barney Wheeler
Edna Bryant,	Frank Howard,	Katie Price,	
Luella Chambers,	Cheryl Ismael,	Eisenhower Raines,	
James Chisholm,	Ronald Jean-Louis,	Josephine Rosario,	
Sam Cooper,	Blanche Johnson,	Mildred Rucker,	
Sallie Davenport,	James Jordan,	Grace Rutherford,	

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

Please email [cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org). Bulletins and Inserts are always available on our website: [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org).

## NEWS AT LOURDES

**BUILDING ON OUR PAST, SECURING OUR FUTURE.** Over the next few weeks, you will be hearing about the upcoming *Building on Our Past, Securing Our Future Program* at Our Lady of Lourdes Church. This effort is very important as we move forward with the mission and vision of Lourdes. Many people have received great blessings from the ministry that our parish family does in the community and beyond! In order to continue our mission and ministries, we encourage all our parishioners and friends to spend time in prayer and discussion with your family reflecting on the work we do. We look forward to seeing everyone at Mass, especially during our special Commitment Weekend on November 17 & November 18. If you have any questions regarding the Building on Our Past, Securing Our Future Program, please feel free to contact the parish office.

**TAIZÉ PRAYER** at Lourdes on Monday, October 22 at 8PM. Our theme for this month is 'The earth is full of the Lord's kindness, of his mercy and of his goodness.' Please join us for the beautiful Taizé chants, the scriptural readings, the meditation and petitions on Monday night.

Please join our **ENVISIONING OUR FUTURE SERIES** this week. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn a little bit of church history and design and provide your input on our future Liturgical and Worship space. We appreciate your participation as it is imperative for our Parish success.  
Monday October 22, 7PM - 9PM in the parish hall - Arranging the assembly: seating  
Tuesday October 23, 7PM- 9PM in the parish hall - Music ministry and the sanctuary

**SAFE HALLOWEEN PARTY**, Saturday, October 27 from 6PM - 8PM in the Cafeteria. Lots of food, fun and games! Prizes for the best costume for each age group.

**ALL SAINTS MASS:** Wednesday, November 1 at 7PM. All are welcome!

**USHER TRAINING!!** Saturday, November 10th from 12:30PM - 2:30PM for all ushers and anyone interested in being an usher are asked to attend. For more information please contact: Chris Davis ([chrdavis4@yahoo.com](mailto:chrdavis4@yahoo.com)).

## LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

### October 21

David Roth  
Jeffery Bransford  
June Jamaes  
Lisa Taylor  
Mariela Sanchez  
Masika Nyaku  
Monique Brooks  
Tracy Gomes  
Yusef Eason

### October 22

Adreyon Rose  
Anne Haase  
Brentley Dean  
Caitlyn Jones  
Ian Roach  
Jennifer Obialo  
Mark Becker  
Maya Pettigrew  
Meghan McMullen  
Tricia Jones

### October 23

Angela Merritt  
Bryce Wooten  
Clara Mugavero  
Gwendolyn Thompson  
Janine Brown  
Jillian Heard  
Judah Olds  
Mariela Yu Rojas  
Nathan Haydel  
Norris Andrews  
Shaun Capuy  
Tiffany Conley  
Yoshina Colbert

### October 24

Brain Steele  
Christopher Davis  
Henry Trey Rachal  
Lauren Dunn  
Marilyn Johnson  
Mary Rittahaler

Nyimi Malu  
Princess Elikwu  
Ruth Utin

### October 25

Betsy Riehman  
Clara Branton  
Dennis Alexander  
Eileen McNally  
Katherine Bailey  
Kion Landers  
Leslie Mackinnon  
Paul Kvinta  
Phyllis Rutledge  
Risa Bourgeois

### October 26

Attiyya Skeete  
Dawn Bolton  
Donna Jones  
Eric Winchester  
Georgia Hutchinson

Isaiah Fernandez  
Isis Tshioba Malu  
Jeanette Pierre-Johnson  
LaTrevia Elder  
Quentin Simmons  
Shannon Wilson  
Steven Elder  
Thomas Smyth

### October 27

Abena Kyei-Frimpong  
Alianna Kow  
Cheryl Ngoto  
Chima Umeakunne  
Collin Cadet  
Kristen Meletio  
Mark Thacker  
Magan Ngoto  
Stephanie Waters  
Tiren Wheeler



## 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**  
1st & 3rd Fridays at 7p  
Janni Buggs  
ollyagatl@gmail.com

**Young at Heart (Seniors)**  
Contact the Church Office