

## NEWS AT LOURDES

**KNIGHTS OF LOURDES FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST** will be held next Sunday, November 18, after all masses, in the Cafeteria. Come join us for food, conversation and fellowship.

**KPCLA COURT 300 CRAFT FAIR AND BAKE SALE:** Calling all bakers and craft vendors (jewelry makers, quilters, artists etc.), join us and show off your items on Sunday, December 2nd after all Masses. Vendor Table Rentals are \$20. Enter the Baking Contest to be crowned Lourdes' best !! Prizes will be awarded in each category (cookies, cake/cupcakes and pies). Sign up for the Craft and Bake sale, this weekend November 10/November 11 after all Masses.

**"YOGA BY CHANDRA"** continues every Saturday, 8:30AM - 9:30AM in the dance studio, here 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. Come out and join Chandra and your fellow Lourdes members. If you have any questions, please call Chandra Fowler 678-591-0234. Classes are \$10.00.

**OFFICE CLOSED!** The church office will be closed from 12PM on Wednesday, November 21st thru Friday, November 24th for the Thanksgiving Holiday. We will re-open on Monday, November 26 at 9AM.

**SAVE THE DATE!** Advent Penance Service will be held on Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup> at 2PM at Saint Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, 928 Ralph David Abernathy Blvd SW, Atlanta, GA 30310. This is a collaborative service among the parishes of Our Lady of Lourdes, St Anthony of Padua and The Shrine of the Immaculate Conception.

**NOVEMBER IS DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH:** Diabetes is a group of diseases marked by high levels of blood glucose resulting from defects in insulin production, insulin action, or both. Diabetes can lead to serious complications and premature death, but people with diabetes, working together with their support network and their health care providers, can take steps to control the disease and lower the risk of complications. Diet, insulin, and oral medication to lower blood glucose levels are the foundation of diabetes treatment and management. Patient education and self-care practices are also important aspects of disease management that help people with diabetes lead normal lives. Have you been screened?

## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER:** *In Service of Peace* - That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

**MARIST SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE** – Sunday, December 2, 2018 from 1PM -4:00 PM. A brief school presentation will begin at 1:00 PM. Come meet students, teachers, and coaches while learning about our academic, spiritual, and extracurricular programs. Marist School is an Independent Catholic School of the Marist Fathers and Brothers that enrolls boys and girls of all faiths for grades seven through twelve. For more information, please visit our website at [www.marist.com](http://www.marist.com).

**THE WAY FOR WOMEN** is a 3-day retreat for adult female survivors of abuse, offered by the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Victim Assistance Program. It will be held December 7-9, 2018 at Carmel Retreat Center in Hoschton, GA. The registration deadline is December 3, 2018. Please contact Sue Stubbs at 404-920-7554 or [sstubbs@archatl.com](mailto:sstubbs@archatl.com) for more information.

**FORTUNATE AND FAITHFUL FAMILIES'** annual retreat will be held November 18 from 12PM– 7PM at the Chanery 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://fortunatfaithfulretreat.eventbrite.com> or call 770-924-3920.

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

## THIRTY- SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 11, 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

**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

### 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  
(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

1 Kings 17: 10-16; Hebrews 9:24-28  
Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

## Next Sunday's Readings

Daniel 12:1-3; Hebrews 10:11-14,18  
Gospel: Mark 13:24-32

## For Mass Intention Requests:

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

## Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (11/04/18): \$25,187  
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: \$127,285  
Amount Paid to Date: \$85,063  
Outstanding Pledges: \$42,222

## Thoughts on Stewardship

It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving.  
– Blessed Mother Teresa (1910-97), Catholic missionary to India.

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

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

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**BUILDING ON OUR PAST, SECURING OUR FUTURE.** This week you will receive a brochure detailing the *Building on Our Past, Securing Our Future Program*. Lourdes will be participating in over the next few weeks. This informative brochure is intended to communicate how we, as a parish, want to advance our mission and how we are serving God's people in our community. Commitment Weekend for our program is November 17 & November 18. We encourage all parishioners to spend time in prayer and discussion with your family reflecting on how you are able to help us. We look forward to seeing all of our parishioners at Mass next weekend for this very important Commitment Weekend. If you have any questions regarding the *Building on Our Past, Securing Our Future Program*, please feel free to contact the church office.

Please join us for the last two sessions in the **ENVISIONING OUR FUTURE SERIES** this week. This is a wonderful opportunity to provide your input on our future Liturgical and Worship space and learn about estimated timing for the project. We appreciate your participation as it is imperative for our Parish success. **Sunday November 11, 2PM - 4PM** in the parish hall - Reservation of the Blessed Sacrament, shrines, and artwork  
**Monday November 12, 7PM - 9PM** in the parish hall - Where do we go from here?

**SVDP THANKSGIVING BASKETS:** Once again St. Vincent de Paul Society at Lourdes is asking for your help in purchasing ingredients for a Thanksgiving meal. The full list of ingredients is available on our Bulletin boards, Lourdes website and Lourdes Notes e-newsletter. You can bring the ingredients in a labeled cardboard box or a canvas or plastic tote bag to any Lourdes Mass this weekend **November 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup>**. If you are unable to purchase the ingredients, monetary donations are accepted which will go towards purchasing turkeys and hams. We really appreciate your help in making this a nice Thanksgiving for our brothers and sisters in Christ!

**THANK YOU FROM THE HEALTH PROMOTIONS MINISTRY** to all the Lourdes members and their families who came out to the 2018 Health Fair ' *Understanding Cancer*', we pray you left more inspired and informed on how to live longer, healthier lives. To all the Healthcare providers and volunteers that shared their time, talent and resources, you are truly a blessing.

**THANKSGIVING MASS:** Wednesday, November 21, at 7PM. All are welcome!

## LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

<b>November 11</b> David Elikwu John-David Thompson Nadine Alvarez Malick Laurent Patrick Kenny Sydney Vance Toryn Wilkins	Candace Marbury Cecilia James Mary Glenshaw Osabuohien Asemota	Kelwin Heard Kevin Westray Kiana Wright Max Richardson Jr. Rahel Elango Shelley Nichols	Jamilah Stephens Lisa Benton Marion Lewis Ozell Hardin Shion Randolph Ta Misha Bascombe Yvonne Boone
<b>November 12</b> Heather Johnson Ivy Willis Jordynn Skinner Theresa Wilson Wylie Saviello	<b>November 14</b> Brendan Hickey Kershif Freeman Ligette Rogers Naomi Harris Nia Kidd Nicole Key Nicole Motter Tim Cooney	<b>November 16</b> Anton Banfield Jr. Jabu Sengova Kimberly Birds Lillian Todd Lisa Shepard Randi Chapman Ronald Smith	
<b>November 13</b> Campbelle Searcy	Audra Boyd Denine Cadet	<b>November 17</b> Isaiah Boyd	



## 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  
ollyagat@gmail.com

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