NEWS AT LOURDES

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: The Lourdes Nursery is seeking volunteers. We're hoping to open on Sunday, October 27 for the 10:30AM service from 9:45AM - 11:45 AM, accepting children from age 6 months - 4 years old. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Lisa Berkley bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org for more details.

PREGNANCY AID CLINIC: This is a reminder that this weekend (October 5/6) and next weekend (October 12/13), the Life Issues Committee will be collecting the Baby Bottles and envelopes you picked up at Mass last weekend for the Pregnancy Aid Clinic, the only Catholic pregnancy resource in the Archdiocese of Atlanta. There will be bins at both church entrances for you to place your filled bottles and envelopes. Thanks for your support! ~ Our Lady of Lourdes Life Issues Committee .

TASTE OF LOURDES: Saturday October 19 and Sunday, October 20, 2019, after All Masses. If you would like to volunteer to bring a dish or would like more information, please email or call Mizette Coakley: mizettecoakley@yahoo.com or 404-983-0956.

USHER MINISTRY MEET & GREET: Any one interested in being an usher and all current ushers are invited to attend 'The Ushers Meet & Greet' on Sunday, October 27 at 9:30AM in the Katharine Drexel Hall. For more information contact: Usher Coordinator, Chris Davis chrdavis4@yahoo.com.

DAVE RAMSEY FINANCIAL LITERACY COURSE (TAKE II): Planning for the future is hard when you're still paying for the past! Listen - there's a better way! Join the Financial Peace University group, and learn how to beat debt and make a plan for the future . . . together! Interested? Please join us at Our Lady of Lourdes starting Tuesday, October 22, at 6:30PM - 8PM and will continue every Tuesday for nine consecutive weeks where students will graduate December 17, 2019. Dinner will be provided every evening for attendees. FPU materials are \$100 a person (couples included). To register visit <u>https://www.fpu.com/1101230</u>. For more information contact Immanuel Gyebi at 323-420 -4422 or igyebi@gmail.com.

BREAST CANCER WALK: American Cancer Society Making Strides for Breast Cancer Walk - Saturday October 26, 2019, Centennial Olympic Park. Please join the walk this year to raise awareness for breast cancer and celebrate breast cancer survivors . Registration is free and donations are welcomed. To sign-up, visit https:// secure.acsevents.org/site/STR?pg=entry&fr_id=94492 and click the "Join the Walk" button. Look for Team name : Our Lady of Lourdes Stepping with Faith then follow the registration directions from there. If you have any guestions, contact Ellie Daniels, ellie.daniels@cancer.org.

OCTOBER IS NATIONAL 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. ~ From The Health Promotions Ministry

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER: A Missionary "Spring" in the Church. That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary "spring" in the Church.

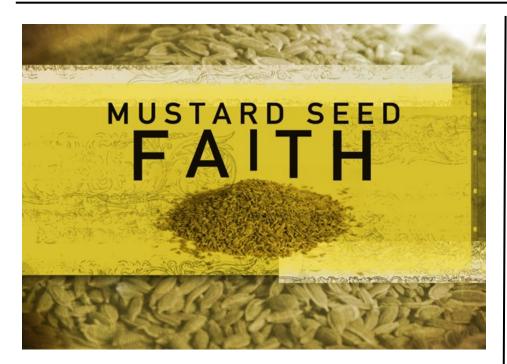
ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC SCHOOL invites you to "Coffee with the Principal" - Tuesday, October <u>8; Tuesday, November 12 or Tuesday, December 15 at 8:30AM</u>. Hear from the principal, take a tour of the campus and experience the faith-filled community at St. John the Evangelist Catholic School located at 240 Arnold St. Hapeville, GA 30354. Come and see what makes them a 3-time National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence! For more information visit <u>www.sjecs.org</u> or call 404-767-4312.

WHITE MASS ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12 AT 8: 30AM: The Atlanta Guild of The Catholic Medical Association and the Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of Atlanta invite physicians and all those directly involved in patient care to the celebration of the 2019 White Mass at St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church, 1618 Ben King Rd., Kennesaw, GA 30144. Breakfast and a presentation from Sr. Mary Diana Dreger, O.P., M.D. will follow.

> 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

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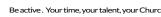
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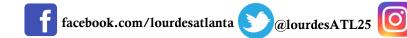


Parish Staff

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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October 6, 2019

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

> Nursery 10:15AM - 12:15PM Ages: 3 Months - 4 Years old Closed

Sunday School Classes K - 7: Sunday: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM Contact : Mrs. Theresa Bowen thebowens4@bellsouth.net **Resumes Sunday, October 27**

> Teens: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith lourdesteens1912@gmail.com **Resumes Sunday, October 27**

Pastoral Care Team Facilitator: Philip Verre Contact: Deacon Chester Griffin Prayer/Visit: call: 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!

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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 Starting Monday , October 14, 7PM Julian Reid, Facilitator (404) 522-6776

> Book Store 4th weekend after each Mass (Closed until further notice)

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya 1st Mondays, 7PM Lisa Berkley, bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org

> Dream Green Team Chandra Frank Fowler, chanefrank@gmail.com

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 earoberts3@outlook.com

KPC Junior Knights Kwame Nyaku, Junior Commander knyaku@gmail.com

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



Today's Scripture Readings

Habakkuk 1:2-3;2:2-4; 2 Timothy 1:6-8,13-14 Gospel: Luke 17:5-10

> Next Sunday's Readings 2 Kings 5:14-17; 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

For Mass Intention Requests: Email your request to cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (09/29/19): Weekly Church Budget (Fiscal Yr. 19 – 20): \$20,040 \$28,400

Consider setting up on-line giving today! Visit: <u>www.lourdesatlanta.org</u> click on the 'Give' tab or Text your donation amount to '404-649-5276' and hit 'send'

2019 Archbishop's Annual Appeal "Go therefore and make disciples." as at August 15, 2019.

Lourdes Share:	\$104,300
Total Pledged & Received	\$122,086
Amount Paid to Date:	\$53,388
Outstanding Pledges:	\$68,698

Thoughts on Stewardship

"We can all be stimulated to greater generosity by the known generosity of others."

~ John R.W. Stott (1921-), English pastor and evangelist

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen, Kennan Allen, Brooke Bailey, Cherry Banez, Cheryle Bartholomew, Sandy Bell, Susie Bell, Jerry Billingslea, Zachary Billingslea, Deanna Blasingame, Addie Bowden, Judy Brooks, David Brower, Luella Chambers, Sam Cooper, Muriel Cureau, Sallia Davienpart	Rita Engelhardt, Mary Francis, Miriam Gotay, Kenya Griffin, Barbara Hagan, Jonathan Hankerson, Geton Harper, Frank Howard, Ronald Jean-Louis, Blanche Johnson, James Jordan, Linda Jordan, Marilyn Kapaun, Felix Lawrence, Janet Lawrence,	Francis Mensa-Shebra, Maridel Moffett, Nathaniel Moffett, Peggy Neeson, Evelyn Olds, Lynette Porter, Katie Price, Eisenhower Raines, Josephine Rosario, Mildred Rucker, Grace Rutherford, Barbara Schenk, Alana Shepard, Regina Smith, Larry Soublet, Janet Stewart,	Eugene Sturgis, Fritz Thomas, Virgie Thomas, Jean-Luc Tahou
Muriel Cureau,	Thomas Lewis,	Janet Stewart,	
Sallie Davenport,	James McEwan,	Wendy Stewart,	
Eileen DeWane,	James McMullen,	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.

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NEW MASS TIMES beginning Saturday, October 26 /Sunday, October 27 are 5PM Saturday; 8:00AM, 10:30AM & 12:30PM Sunday.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Sunday School and Teen Ministry classes resume Sunday, October 27 from 9:30AM - 10:30AM. Register now at http:// lourdesatlanta.org/register/. The cost is \$40.00 for one child and \$70 per family. (See bulletin Insert for more details).

PARENTING MINISTRY resumes Sunday, October 27 from 9:30AM - 10:30AM in the Choir Room - 3rd Floor Katharine Drexel (School) building.

"BUILDING ON OUR PAST, SECURING OUR FUTURE" PROGRAM:

Thank you for celebrating Commitment Sunday with us this weekend. Your commitment to our parish through our "Building on Our Past, Securing Our Future" Program will continue to bring life to our community. If completing your commitment card was not possible at Mass, an invitation to respond will be mailed later this week to your home. Please return your Commitment Card to the office this week or in next week's collection. If you have not yet done so, join the many others and give your gift online through our electronic giving program. Please call the parish office with any questions.

ENVISIONING OUR FUTURE SESSION: All we can say is, thanks! Thank you a million times over to those who were able to attend and participate in the Envisioning Our Future session on September 29th. Your feedback, questions, and support are so valuable as we navigate the journey ahead and plan for our future as a faithful community. Please save the date for the next session on Sunday, November 17th.

THANK YOU: Simon's Call extends a heartfelt "Thank You" to the outstanding, never-failing Lourdes community for your support of our recent endeavors. Not only did our annual Ice Cream Social yield enough proceeds to continue our support for local residents with HIV/AIDS who are struggling to make rent payments, we also raised over \$1,500 for the annual AIDS Walk last weekend. Thank you for your continued support as we try to emulate our brother, Simon of Cyrene, in assisting those who need help along the way.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

Jaden Williams

Joseph Boone

Laila Zeigler

Lia Williams

Ron Apollon

Tom Jachman

Tonya Steele

October 10

Carla Mills

John Ekeh

Kade Walton

Marvin Kight

Mary Ferguson

Chaise Gordon

Farah Spainhour

Max Lipscomb

October 06
Aaron Johnson
Aurelia Hooge
Charles Earl
DeKotah Johnson
Gabriel Lowe
James Macke
Jean Alli
Kara Land
Kash Walton
Norman Richie
Spencer Williams

October 7

Axel Bovkin Brianna Washington Erin Platus Kamla Whitner Leola Griffith Lian Minns Rochelle Rombalski Spencer Mitchell Tracey Belfast

October 8

Bethany Anidi Cailin Blount Eric Vander Voot Lynwood Sigmon IV Nicholas Dressie Nina Burwell Ronald Ateman **Tierany** Laurent Tonya Fisher

October 9

Aleah Watson Arianna Lopez Cameron Smith Chinonso Azih Gabrielle Lopez Galen Johnson

October 11 Arionne Coleman Jr.

Gregory Galloway Jr. Angela Goddard-Davis Ebonie Crawford Elise Vandermeer Jadyn Gibbs-Harrington Joseph Goodman Karen McEwan Leslie Aragon Malik Ali Rachel Buckle Yolanda Ferman

October 12

Brandy Tatum Brock Lori Fineman Melissa Moloney Minka Marsh



Ministries & Organizations

KPC Junior Daughters Lisa Berkley, Counselor (404) 522-6776

Lourdes Lunch

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

Life Issues

Conference Call 4th Sunday at 7PM Kayellen Umeakunne, Coordinator lourdesforlifeissues@gmail.com

Liturgy Committee

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

Lourdes Athletic Ministry

Kevin Rogers, Co-Coordinator (404) 704-7327

Men's Ministry

Deacon Kenneth Bell, Facilitator Contact the Church Office 404-522-6776

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

Lennison 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 at Heart (Seniors) Contact the Church Office