

NEW REHEARSAL DAY AND TIME FOR YOUTH CHOIR: The Youth Choir will be rehearsing *every Saturday at 10:30AM* in the Choir Room (3rd floor) KDCC building, beginning Saturday, November 2 until the end of the year.

ETIQUETTE CLASS 101 - Did you ever get a chance to teach your child how to set a table or which utensil to use? Or just simple telephone etiquette? Join the Jr. Daughters of Court 300 on **Saturday, November 16th at 10A** in the parish hall. All children ages 9 - 18 are welcome to attend. RSVP to jrdaughterscourt300@gmail.com.

KNIGHTS OF LOURDES FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST - Sunday, November 17, after all masses, in the Cafeteria.

BIBLE STUDY with Father Jeffery and Lourdes member, Julian Reid continues every **Monday night from 7PM - 8.30PM** in Parish Hall. This study covers the Gospel for next liturgical year (Year A): Gospel according to Matthew. Suggested donation for the study is \$40. This donation covers the price of the materials (2 books, photocopies, etc.) for the course and light dinner. Please email julianreid17@gmail.com if you are interested in attending.

SAVE THE DATE: 'BEHOLD THE TREASURE' Our Lady of Lourdes Eucharistic Ministers Convocation - **Saturday, January 11, 2020 from 10 AM - 1 PM** with Guest Facilitator - Rawn Harbor. Open to all active Eucharistic Ministers and those desiring to join the Ministry.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER INFORMATIONAL: At all the Masses on Saturday and Sunday, "**November 16th and 17th**", couples from Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME) will speak about their own WWME Weekend experience. "**On a Marriage Encounter Weekend you will learn a unique method of communication that will help to enhance the intimacy in your marriage.**" Couples will be available to answer any questions you may have as you exit Mass or you can join them for coffee and donuts in the cafeteria area. At that time you will be able to sign up for the Weekend of your choice. **Upcoming Weekend dates in 2020 are "Feb. 28-Mar 1, Apr 17-19, Jun 26-28"**. To register for a Weekend or for more information please call 678-242-WWME or register on line at <http://gatn-wwme.org>

NOVEMBER IS NATIONAL LUNG CANCER AWARENESS MONTH: Lung Cancer is a tragic disease that takes a terrible toll on those with the disease, as well as their loved ones. Lung cancer is the leading cancer killer in both men and women in the United States. In fact, more people die from lung cancer than any other type of cancer. The American Lung Association has long been the leader in the fight against lung cancer and is taking new steps to help both patients and their families. Quitting smoking is the single most important step a smoker can take to reduce their risk for lung cancer. Quitting can be tough but smokers don't have to quit alone. Smoking cessation programs have helped smokers quit for nearly 30 years. Freedom From Smoking and Not-On-Tobacco are two programs available to help adult and teen smokers quit for good. The Quitter in You program is designed to help people who have tried to quit before see each attempt as a step to success, not a failure. Speak with your Primary care Physician regarding your risks for Lung Cancer and Lung Disease. ~ *From The Health Promotions Ministry*

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR NOVEMBER: Dialogue and Reconciliation in the Near East. That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.

ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC SCHOOL located at 630 West Ponce de Leon Avenue, Decatur, GA 30030, invites you to attend their Fall Open House on **Wednesday, November 6, 2019** beginning at 9:30AM with the Principal's welcome. Meet their faculty, hear from their students and parents, tour their campus and learn how academic excellence, joyful learning and abundant faith are at the heart of all they do. To **REGISTER** for the open house visit <https://www.stmga.org/register-for-our-open-house/> or **RSVP** to Admissions@stmga.org.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL You are cordially invited to Our Lady of Mercy Catholic High School's Annual Open House! This special event takes place **Sunday, November 10, 2019**. Mass is at 10am and on-going campus tours and presentations are from 11am-1pm. Representatives from all academic departments, clubs, and athletic teams will be available to speak with interested students and families. You can also learn more about financial aid. For more information, please go to mercyatholic.org or call 770-461-2202.

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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

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 3, 2019



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, 10:30 AM
and 12:30 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: 4:30 PM
and by appointment

Rosary
Saturday: 4:30 PM

Journey of Faith (RCIA)
1st & 3rd Sundays 9:30AM-11:30PM
In Parish Hall
Contact: Ms. Kimberly Parrish
404.247.6628/kaparrish@hotmail.com

Nursery
10:15AM - 12:15PM
Ages: 3 Months - 4 Years old
Resumes - November 10th

Religious Education
Contact: Mrs. Theresa Bowen
Director of Religious Education
thebowens4@bellsouth.net

Sunday School Classes
K - 7: Sunday: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Teens: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM
Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith
Teen Ministry Coordinator
lourdesteens1912@gmail.com

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!

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

October 14, 2019 - January 27, 2020
Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P. &
Julian Reid - Facilitators
(404) 522-6776

Book Store

4th weekend after each Mass
Open for Advent sale on November 17

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

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

Dream Green Team

Chandra Frank Fowler,
chanefrank@gmail.com; 678-591-0234

Finance Council

Quarterly Meetings
Dawn Leaner-Hall, Chairperson

Haiti Ministry

3rd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Reginald Grand-Pierre
(404) 309-7670

Health Promotions Ministry

4th Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Pamela Tolliver, Co-chair
pdtoll14@gmail.com; (678) 662-6427
Helen Tritschler, Co-chair
helen.tritschler@gmail.com

Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)

2nd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight
earoberts3@outlook.com

KPC Junior Knights

Kwame Nyaku, Junior Commander
knyaku@gmail.com

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

2nd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Patrice Barton-Smith, Grand Lady
(678) 371-2677



Today's Scripture Readings

Wisdom 11:22-12:2; 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2
Gospel: Luke 19:1-10

Next Sunday's Readings

2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14; 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5
Gospel: Luke 20:27-38

Mass Intention: 8AM For the repose of the soul of †Brother Duane Brown, O.P.
10:30AM For the repose of the soul of †Ava Grace Alexander

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (10/27/19): \$27,830
Weekly Church Budget (Fiscal Yr. 19 - 20): \$28,400

Consider setting up on-line giving today!

Visit: www.lourdesatlanta.org 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 October 31, 2019.

Lourdes Share: \$104,300
Total Pledged & Received: \$124,140
Amount Paid to Date: \$67,298
Outstanding Pledges: \$56,842

Thoughts on Stewardship

Thank you Lord for teaching me how to give.

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

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

NEWS AT LOURDES

LECTOR PREP : The second session for the month of December will be held this **Tuesday, November 5 at 7PM** 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 (infant to 6 years) baptized, will be held on **Tuesday, November 5, at 7PM**, in the St Augustine Room, 2nd Floor, KDCC Building. Please email: Carol Ann Pinard cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org or call the church office to **RSVP**.



Over the past two years, thanks to your generosity on the occasion of **#IGIVECATHOLIC 2019** campaign, Lourdes has been able to fulfill on a number of needs. These include the acquisition of a new piano and hymnals and crucial roof repairs. This year we are requesting your participation to support the long overdue repair/replacement of kitchen equipment. The Lourdes kitchen is in constant activity providing sustenance to parishioners and guests on a regular basis. Did you know that last year the Lourdes Lunch Ministry served **over 14,540 meals** to the poor and hungry? This ongoing use has taken its

toll on the frig/freezer, stove, and ice maker, and the time for an upgrade is now. **#IGiveCatholic** takes place on **Tuesday, December 3, from 12AM until 11:59 PM**. (Advance giving begins on **Monday, November 18**.) Be on the lookout for more information over the upcoming weeks and please consider a donation. Thank you.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION classes for children from Pre-K (4 years) - 12th Grade have resumed and continue every Sunday from **9:30AM - 10:30AM**. You can still register and pay online at <http://lourdesatlanta.org/register/> or with Lourdes Staff members who will be on site on 2nd Floor, KDCC Building. The cost is \$40.00 for one child and \$70 per family.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT: The Taste of Lourdes Committee thanks everyone for making the '2019 Taste' a success! Special thanks to John Ujda and his son, Brennan! Thank you to the Teen Ministry and Samantha Smith who again helped with this annual fundraiser. They never let me down! Thank you to my Taste Committee members! And lastly, THANK YOU Church...your dishes were scrumptious and your monetary donations appreciated! God loves a cheerful giver! God Bless You All!! ~Mizette Coakley

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

November 3

George Kennedy
Kathryn Elmore
Vincent Delphin
Robert Greene
Stephanie Corbitt
Tineka Cromartie

November 4

Ava Strong
Christopher Bridges
Christopher Conley
Derrick Parker
Jayson Johnston
Joseph Land
Kristen Chester
Mason DeGrammont
Michael Mikula

November 5

Mizette Coakley
Ralph Meyers
Simona Vickers
Taji Johnson

November 5
Cecilia Baker
Christina Diggs
Eileen Hickey
Jason Butler-Coleman
Kermit Frazier Sr.
Kristyn Bryan
Lori Thomas Gray
Michael Taylor
Samantha Manos

November 6

Craig Yarwood

November 8

John Jones
Jordan Tomkosky
Marguerite Ellison
Mary Crayton
Savanna Foster
Susan Szuchan
Vicky Vargas
Victoria Allen

November 7

Arianna Deglel
Holland Deery
Gail Dunwell
Grant Benjamin
Kenneth English
Susan Combre
Trevon Haynes

November 8

Betty Londergan
Haley Harris
Precious Okonokhua
Zane Ransom

November 9

Amelia Reedick
Elom Edoh
Jasleen Allyse
Lauren Morton
Mattie Peck



Ministries & Organizations

KPC Junior Daughters
Lisa Berkley, Counselor
jrdaughterscourt300@gmail.com
(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 9:30AM
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 10:30AM
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