

Our Lady of Lourdes Birthdays

Angela Winchester	June 9	Richard John	June 10	Martha Tolcher	June 12
Anne Italiano	June 9	Sarah Bacinski	June 10	Oliver Ntab	June 12
Bryan Jourdain	June 9	Susan Chustz-Williams	June 10	Quincey Brown	June 12
Caleb Eichner	June 9	Bernese Graham	June 11	Sahmarria Booker	June 12
Jack Leslie	June 9	Beth Gylys	June 11	Evan Bufford	June 13
Madison Huefner	June 9	Carolyn Meadows	June 11	Paul Thompson	June 13
Aerial Farmer	June 10	Francis Noe	June 11	Carmelita Rogers	June 14
Gary Pheasant	June 10	Kaylin Clemons	June 11	Elliott Sullivan	June 14
Jessica Nuna	June 10	Kyler Owens	June 11	Honesty Kendrick	June 14
Joy Jordan	June 10	Piper Rose Zegers	June 11	Quentin Hutchinson	June 14
Kamille Brown	June 10	Ansley Farris-Simpson	June 12	Drion Randolph	June 15
Marcel Benoit	June 10	James Pace	June 12	Katie Siler	June 15
Paul Raio	June 10	Kaleb Walton	June 12	Preston Stanberry	June 15
Pilar Lee	June 10	Mandel McCrainey	June 12	Valentino Luscap	June 15

2nd Sunday of June (06/09/13)

Thanks to the **Health Ministry** (5:00 PM), **Women's Council** (8:00 AM), **Liturgy Committee** (10:00 AM), for providing the bread for our guests at this weekend's Masses. As a reminder, the **Health Ministry** (5:00 PM), **Choir** (8:00 AM), and **KPCLA** (10:00 AM) will provide this service next week.

Mother Mary Theodore Williams Faithful Sister

When the question is asked, "who are these handmaids?" the answer must always begin with the life of Mother Mary Theodore Williams. The Franciscan Handmaids of the Most Pure Heart of Mary was established in 1917 by Mother Mary Theodore Williams (Born Elizabeth Barbara Williams) with the support and encouragement of Reverend Ignatius Lisser, S.M.A. (Society of African Missions). Father Lisser approached Mother Williams in response to a proposed bill by the state of Georgia that would prohibit white teachers from instructing African American children. He clearly was a need for African American teachers to maintain educational opportunities for black children.

Mother Williams agreed to the challenge of establishing this new community as she was waiting for the response to her daily questions, "Lord, what would you have me to do?" She had already experienced religious life in a suppressed community and more recently as an Oblate Sister of Providence. According to their mission statement, the Handmaids strive "to serve one another and those committed to their care with the same care, diligence, zeal and love as Our Blessed Lady served her Divine Son.

African Saints~ 40 Holy Men and Women ~ African Stories.....Camille L. Brown, Ph.D.

To report abuse by church personnel:

888.437.0764 Archdiocese of Atlanta 24 Hour Reporting Hotline

Free Pregnancy Test - Advice & Aid - 404.763.4357 or Optionline.org

Lourdes Advocates - Ministry for Pregnancy (LAMP) - 404.969-LAMP or 404.969.5267

Centennial Note

About the Centennial Logo: The centennial logo was designed by Robert Evans (parishioner), Principal, Times3 Graphic Design. The logo uses Our Lady of Lourdes blue and gold colors, traditionally associated with the Virgin Mary. The dates of the founding year and centennial year are overlaid on the squares.



A CENTURY OF WITNESS - A FUTURE OF COMMITMENT
OUR LADY of LOURDES
CATHOLIC CHURCH



June 9, 2013

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Atlanta, GA 30312

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Parish Staff

Father Jeffery Ott, O.P., Pastor

Father Bruce Schultz, O.P., Associate Pastor

Chester Griffin, Deacon

Ms. Lisa Berkley, Business Manager/Bookkeeper

Ms. Carolyn Bell, Secretary

Dr. Kevin Johnson, Music Ministry

Mrs. Theresa Bowen, Director Religious Education

Ms. Paula Scotman, Teen Ministry

Mr. Cong Dinh, Maintenance Supervisor

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

RCIA - Inquiry Classes

Every Sunday after the 8:00AM Mass

KDCC - 3rd Floor

Pastoral Care Team

678.235.5469

lourdespct@gmail.com

Rosary

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Organizations/Meeting Dates/Contacts

**(OLLS) Alumni Association*

Benjamin Gibson, Calvin Washington

**Amazing Grace Liturgical Dancers, Kenya Griffin, Director*

Wednesday 7p-9p; Sunday 1:30; OPEN REHEARSALS every 2nd Sunday thru April @ 2:30p.

**Baby Boomers*

For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776

**Bible Study: Every Wednesday 7:00 pm*

Ishola Gaba, Facilitator - 404.456.3365

**Book Store: 4th weekend after each Mass*

Quita Barton, Coord. qbarton@aol.com or call the church office

**(OLL) Centennial Committee - ollcc100@gmail.com*

Patrice Barton Smith, Co-Chair - psbarton901@gmail.com

Louis Hubbard, Co-Chair - dipdab80@sbcglobal.net

**Cursillo Movement / Ultreya: 3rd Sat. 7:30 pm*

Kwame Nyaku, Coordinator - 404.543.0068

**Finance Council: Quarterly Meetings*

Mary Ellen Macke, Chairperson

**Haiti Ministry- 3rd Sunday after the 10am Mass*

Mary Jane Cooper 404-375-1686

Jackie Wales 770-378-2705

**Health Ministry*

Ellie Daniels, elvandaniels@bellsouth.net - 404-290-2398

Susan Combre, susan_combre@hotmail.com - 404-664-6423

**History Committee: 3rd Sat. 10:30 am*

Geraldine Jackson-White, Facilitator - 404.767.1005

**Knights of Peter Claver (KPC): 2nd Sun. 1:30 pm*

Eric Francis, Grand Knight - 404-272-6822

Junior Knights: Quentin Hutchins, 404.438.1249

**KPC Ladies Auxiliary: 2nd Sun. 1:30 pm*

Carmen Jenkins, Grand Lady - 404. 229.9263

Junior Daughters: Brandi Collins, 404.936.0544

**Lourdes Lunch: Tues. & Thurs, Sept - June*

Thayes Sturgis, Coordinator - 404.375-0838

**LAPS (Life After Pink Slips): 1st Monday only at 7:00 pm*

Charles Bowen, Coordinator - 770.981.3663

**Life Issues: 3rd Saturday 4:00 pm*

Ron Chandonia, Coordinator - 770.631.0060

**Liturgy Committee: 1st Mon. 7:00 pm*

For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776

**Lourdes Athletic Ministry*

Kevin Rogers, Co-Coordinator - 404.704.7327

Kwame Nyaku, Co-Coordinator - 404.543.0068

**Lourdes Book Club*

Carole Lacour, Coordinator - 404.629.0878

**Men's Ministry*

Patrick Turner, Facilitator - 770.469.4624

**Parenting Ministry: Every Sunday 10:30 am*

P J. Lemuel, Facilitator - 770.981.7226

**RCIA (Interested in becoming Catholic)*

Kim Parrish Coordinator 404 981-5977

**Simon's Call (AIDS Ministry): 4th Sun. 12 noon*

For info, call the Church office - 404.522.6776

**Social Action Committee: 1st Sun After 8:00 am*

Beatrice Soublet, Coordinator - 404.629.9654

**St. Vincent de Paul Society: 1st & 3rd Sun. 11:30 am*

Joel Maxwell, Coordinator - 888.246.7155

**Women's Council: 1st Sunday after the 10:00 Mass*

Denise Hood, President

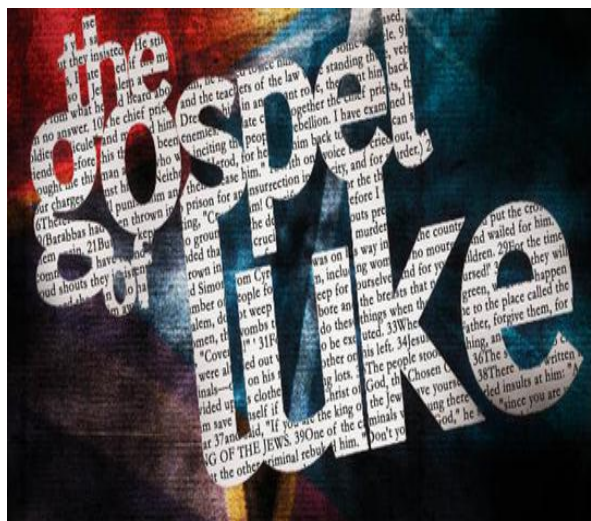
**Young Adult Group: 2nd Sun. 9:30 am*

LaSheka Beaman, Co-Coordinator - 412-877-3837

Samantha Smith, Co-Coordinator - 678-559-8151

**Young at Heart (seniors)*

For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776



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Bulletin is always available on the Lourdes website

*Deadline for bulletin notices is Wednesdays at 12pm

EMAIL: cbell@lourdesatlanta.org

CHURCH OFFICE: 404.522.6776

Today's Scripture readings are:

1 Kings 17:17-24; Galatians 1:11-19

GOSPEL: Luke 7:11-17

Next Sunday's readings are:

2 Samuel 12:7—10, 13; Galatians 2:16, 19-21

GOSPEL: Luke 7:36—8:3

Mass Intention: **10am**~For the repose soul of †Jean-Pierre Penda

Father's Day Brunch Please join the Junior Knights and Junior Daughters of the Knights of Peter Claver on Sunday, June 16th for their annual Father's Day brunch after each mass in the cafeteria.

Adult Faith Formation: Join us on Tuesday, June 11th from 7:00p.m.-8:30p.m to explore the richness of the Old Testament and its application for our faith today. Our very own Kathleen O'Connor, biblical scholar and theologian, will lead a 3 week series titled "Taste and See: the Old Testament as Resource for Life and Faith." Topics will include: an examination of Hagar in Genesis 16, the Book of Amos, and the Psalms. The gatherings will take place in the parish hall on June 11th, and 18th. Please bring your Bible as we will explore the texts and their meaning together.

Simon's Call the AIDS Ministry at Lourdes, is holding its annual "Honor Thy Father" collection for the next two weekends. We are collecting household supplies for donation to Living Room, an organization which places formerly homeless persons with HIV/AIDS in affordable housing. The recipients are in need of move-in supplies (mops, brooms, dishes, paper products, cleaning/laundry supplies, etc.) Just think of anything one might need to move into a new apartment. Thank you for your generosity.

Thank You! for all your prayers, cards, phone calls, and kind words of sympathy during our time of bereavement for the loss of our loved one (my aunt Walta Mae White). I appreciate every act of kindness from the bottom of my heart, and I am forever grateful to everyone. Many blessings to you all- *Denise K. Hood*

Save the Date! August 10th The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary, Our Lady of Lourdes Court #300 will host its 18th Annual Prayer Breakfast at 9:00 AM at the Loudermilk Center: 40 Courtland St. NE. Tickets are \$30. Proceeds will benefit our scholarship fund. For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact Prayer Breakfast Chairperson, Lady Kizmet Charles at 404.635.0447, Grand Lady Carmen Jenkins at 404.229.9263 or Our Lady of Lourdes Church office at 404.522.6776.

June is Eye Safety Month - Most people do not know there are common objects in the home that can cause serious eye injuries to children. Watching children is the best precaution, but there are other steps you can take to ensure their safety and wellbeing. Teaching kid's eye safety is one way. Using eye protection for risky tasks is another. Adults who wear eye protection are teaching a valuable lesson. For additional information go to: Prevent Blindness in America www.preventblindness.org.

Congratulations to our Lourdes' graduates We will recognize all of the 2013 graduates at all Masses the weekend of June 29 – 30. Please complete a Graduate's Information card located at each entrance of the church. All cards must be returned by June 16th. Be sure to indicate which Mass you will attend on that weekend.

Join the Boomers for "Shaking the Rafters" at the 14th Street Playhouse on Sunday July 21 at 2:30 PM. Tickets are \$25.00 (if we get 10 or more). The theater is holding 20 seats for us until June 14. After the 14th, tickets may be purchased at the discounted price (after we get 10!) but you may not be able to sit with the group. To RSVP, please contact Janine Brown at cell 301 651 5953 or jeanettajacobsmom@hotmail.com.

Weekly Church Budget: **\$18,345**

Church Support: 06/02/13: **\$18,815**

Total Church Budget (07/01/12 – 06/02/13): **\$887,685**

Actual Church Support (07/01/12 – 06/02/13): **\$962,024**

LOURDES SHARE **\$70,049**

OUTSTANDING PLEDGES **\$60,128**

AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (02/15/13 – 05/30/13): **\$28,858**

(358 LOURDES HOUSEHOLD)

Lourdes Lunch Our parish volunteers served 232 people this Tuesday and 227 on Thursday. We are grateful for these women and men who share the charity of Christ with those who are hungry. **All new volunteers 12 years old (8th graders) or older are most welcome but will need to call the church office to be scheduled for volunteering.** Volunteers are scheduled from 9:30am and until 1:00pm.

Summer Sizzles At The Cathedral of St. Philip Book Store 2744 Peachtree Road NW, Atlanta, Georgia 30305. Macrina Wiederkehr, Benedictine Sister, Teacher, Author, and Spiritual Guide will present Abide: Keeping Vigil With The Word Of God And Seven Sacred Pauses: Living Mindfully Through The Hours Of The Day, Thursday, June 27, 2013 6:30PM at Child Hall, Lecture/Discussion/Book-Signing. Event is free, but reservations are required so please call (404)237-7582 or e-mail cbs3@mindspring.com. Visit us this summer for wonderful new additions to our regular array of books, music, cards, jewelry, religious items and other choice items. We can help you find the perfect gift for this season's special events. We look forward to seeing you this summer!

Catholic Charities Atlanta is offering free citizenship preparation classes this summer in two locations. Classes will be in Jonesboro on Tuesdays/Thursdays from 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm starting June 13 through August 22. Classes will be held in Chamblee on Mondays/Wednesday from 6:30 – 8:30 pm starting June 17 through August 21. For more information or to register, please contact Loretta Siefferman at 770-790-3111 or by email at lsiefferman@catholiccharitiesatlanta.org.

Lourdes Summer Choir would like to invite anyone with the desire to sing with the adult choir to come on up. There are no auditions to determined suitability and voice placement. You can sing at the Mass of your choice and hopefully your summer singing will lead you to be with us in the fall. Please adhere to the dress code by our Pastors and Liturgy Committee: cover sleeveless tops/shirts with a jacket or sweater, no halter tops, no exposed midriff tops, no shorts or short pants, no mini-skirts and no flip flops or pants with holes.

KINDRED SPIRITS is a singles group based at the Cathedral Of Christ The King but serving ALL singles 45+ (although we are inclusive of those a bit younger), single, divorced, or widowed, in the Archdiocese of Atlanta. Our mission is to foster a Christ-centered community through social activities, spiritual enrichment, and outreach service programs. Our next monthly gathering is on Sunday, June 9 at 6:30 pm (meet at 5:15 pm for 5:30 Mass) in Conference Room 1.

We are kicking off this June with a summer time vacation theme. What is your favorite way to spend your summer vacation – beach, mountains, lakeside, or cruising to exotic locals? Whatever it may be, come share memories of your favorite past vacation or exciting previews of your upcoming vacation. Bring your photos and memories (that straw hat from Bermuda!) to share. Bring a friend or two, and maybe even that favorite food you discovered on your last vacation adventure. See you there!!! Visit www.kindredspiritsatlanta.org, e-mail us at info@kindredspiritsatlanta.org or call Colin Campbell at (678) 468-7582 or Susan Taquechel (404-538-4598) for more information.

Please pray for our sick & shut-in including: : Joseph Allen, Heather Ausman, Addie Bailey, LaQueeta Banks, Edith Barham, Kevin Bowman, Aaron Brewington, John Brown, Alexander Burdette, Michael Vosburg-Casey, Jay Coleman, N'Dira Collier, Ed Jude Costello, Leah Cox, Fred Crimi, Clara Cruz, Diane Daniels, Wilford Deese, Eugene Desanges, Sonia Diaz, Inez Doutè, Temaya Eatmon, Holloway Egan, Tim Egan, Yvonne Fears, Jim Finn, Winston Fouche, Helen Franklin, Princella Frazier, Suzanne French, Karin Garcia, Alamrew Gaines, Phyllis Gibson, Jessica Goff, Aldwyn Gomez, DeLeur Gordon, Peter Gosch, Miriam Gotay, Jeanne Gray, Johnny Gray, Jr., Dorothy and Melvin Griffin, Geton Harper, Nathan Hearn, Vicki Lynn Hogan, Thomas Holcomb, William Jackson, Nancy Jamison, Blanche Johnson, Hazel Johnson, Marvin Johnson, Sonia Johnson, Minnie Jones, Jessica Jordan, Felix & Jane Lawrence, Brenda Lee, Joni Lefter, Kevin Linder, Hillary Lobban, Clarence Lott, Jr., Helen Lucas, Walthall Lucas.