

Lourdes Birthdays

Beverly Antonini	July 28	Aurielle Coleman	July 31	Mary Moon	Aug 2
Joel Llorens	July 28	Emmanuelle O'Brien	July 31	Mary Ujda	Aug 2
Dadelyn Keib	July 28	Helga Ojinmah	July 31	Nina Pemberton	Aug 2
Mark Rajewski	July 28	Kurt Collier	July 31	Omari Joseph	Aug 2
Marlie LaGuerre	July 28	Addie Bowden	Aug 1	Phyllis Dejean	Aug 2
Michael Anidi	July 28	Brigitte Flannery	Aug 1	Zuri Lancaster	Aug 2
Tashern James	July 28	Carter Middleton	Aug 1	Brandon Halsell	Aug 3
Diana Kotas	July 29	Cecilia Paprocki	Aug 1	Frank Fashina	Aug 3
John Black-Smith	July 29	Christopher Spencer	Aug 1	Jaia Alli	Aug 3
Kierston Tiller	July 29	Reikelle Coppins	Aug 1	Jessica Gibson	Aug 3
Kirk Hewling	July 29	Tamiko Hope	Aug 1	Johnathan Roberts	Aug 3
Vincent Raio	July 29	Gail Holmes	Aug 2	Josh Casbon	Aug 3
Annette Coxall	July 30	Ian Daniels	Aug 2	Keith Spencer	Aug 3
Bernadette Kennedy	July 30	Imani Jenkins	Aug 2	Patrick Turner	Aug 3
Brendan Freeman	July 30	Jeffery Ott	Aug 2	Roland Blanding III	Aug 3
Matthew Burkhart	July 30	Kathy Jennings	Aug 2	Sabrina Shannon-Womack	Aug 3

4th Sunday of July (07/28/13)

Thanks to the **Health Ministry** (5:00 PM), **Social Action** (8:00 AM), **AIDS Ministry** (10:00 AM), for providing the bread for our guests at this weekend's Masses. As a reminder, the **Health Ministry** (5:00 PM), **SVdP** (8:00 AM), **Religious Education** (10:00 AM) will provided this service next week.

Lourdes Primary Parish Leaders

Expansion Steering Committee ~ advises and assists the pastor with the expansion and growth of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish by communicating with parishioners to ensure the ideas and desires of all involved are inclusive and representative of our church.

Dr. Belinda Skelton, Co-Chair Terrence Charles, Co-Chair
DOCBJS@aol.com c_terrence182@hotmail.com

Pastoral Council ~ advises the pastor on important matters concerning the life of the parish.

Ellie Daniels, Chair PJ Lemuel, Vice-Chair
elvandaniels@bellsouth.net pj.lemuel@gmail.com

Finance Council ~ advises the pastor on those issues and matters related to the parish budget

Mary Ellen Macke, Chair
maryellen.macke@harrynorman.com

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



July 28, 2013

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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

Second Collection

Mission Cooperative Program, August 4, 2013

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 - ollc100@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:

Genesis 18:20-32; Colossians 2:12-14

GOSPEL: Luke 11:1-13

Next Sunday's readings are:

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 2:21-23; Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

GOSPEL: Luke 12:13-21

Mass Intention: **5pm**~For the repose soul of †Marion Chineworth

8am ~For the repose soul of †Mariellen Gibson-McLemore

10am ~ For the repose soul of †Clarence Lott

The Women's Council will resume their monthly meeting, August 4, 2013. The meeting will be held in the cafeteria after 10:00am Mass. The new officers will be introduced and we look forward to all the new activities and program for 2013/14. All Lourdes women are invited to attend.

Lourdes Bookstore ~The Lourdes bookstore will be closed for the summer and will re-open the fourth weekend of September.

The Atlanta Archdiocesan Council Of Catholic Women is currently soliciting advertisements for their convention program booklet. To place an ad, email your advisement to: aaccw2013program@yahoo.com. Ad Deadline is July 31, 2013. For additional information, contact Dana Lee Willis at willisdanalee@yahoo.com or 770-365-4396 or Karen De Bow, at 770-722-9207.

Adult Faith Formation: Join us on Tuesday, August 6th, 13th and 20th from 7:00p.m.-8:30p.m to discuss Black Catholic Theology. More information will be forthcoming.

REMINDER!! KPCLA 18th Annual Prayer Breakfast, Saturday, August 10th at 9AM at Loudermilk Conference Center, 40 Courtland Street NE, Atlanta, GA 30303. Tickets are \$30.00. Guest Speaker: Monsignor Edward Branch. For more information, contact Lady Kizmet Charles 404.635.0447.

Join the Lourdes Book Club for a book discussion on Saturday, August 24, 2013 after the 5 p.m. Mass. We will meet at Panera Bread at Emory Village located at 1545 N. Decatur Rd. In celebration of his life, we are pleased to have selected "*Anthills of the Savannah by Chinua Achebe*", who recently died. Achebe writes about the political and social problems facing newly independent African states. Anthills of the Savannah transport the reader to the West African country of Kangan, a fictional Nigeria, in the wake of a revolutionary coup that overthrew a dictator. Achebe discusses the strict balance of power that must be maintained in order to sustain a democracy, and the fine line that must be walked between leader and dictator. "Achebe moves effortlessly... creating a flurry of perspectives from which his story's dramatic and disturbing events are scrutinized. Anthills Of The Savannah... will prove hard to forget. It's a vision of social change that strikes us with the force of prophecy" -- USA Today. For more information, please contact Carole Lacour at Lared111@aol.com or (404) 629-078.

Lector Prep All lectors are required to participate in a preparation session to stay active. September sessions are Saturday, Aug 3rd at 10:30AM and Tuesday, Aug 6th at 7PM in the church.

July is UV Safety Month Who is at risk from eye damage from the sun? Yes, everyone (including children) is at risk for eye damage from UV radiation that can lead to vision loss. Any factor that increases the amount of time you spend in the sun will increase your risk. People who work or play in the sun for long periods of time are at the greatest risk. The risk of sun related eye problems is higher for people who spend long hours in the sun, have had cataract surgery or have certain retina disorders, are on certain medicines, such as tetracycline, sulfa drugs, diuretics and tranquilizers that increase the eye's sensitivity to light. If you have had cataract surgery, you may be more at risk of injury from sunlight unless the artificial lens you received during surgery absorbs UV rays. Please consult your Ophthalmologist or Optometrist, if you have concerns.

LOURDES STEWARDSHIP

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

Church Support: 07/21/13: **\$25,168**

Total Church Budget (07/07/13 – 07/21/13): **\$55,035**

Actual Church Support (07/07/13 – 07/21/13): **\$64,505**

ARCHBISHOPS ANNUAL APPEAL

LOURDES SHARE **\$70,049**

OUTSTANDING PLEDGES **\$53,390**

AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (02/15/13 – 07/19/13): **\$38,801**

(369 LOURDES HOUSEHOLD)

Lourdes Lunch is closed for the summer and will re-open on September 10th.

L.A.P.S. (Life After the Pink Slip) will announce upcoming meetings as opportunities arise. If you would like to begin receiving, or wish to continue receiving job postings, tips, etc. via e-mail, please e-mail your current correct e-mail address to Charles Bowen at: chs.bowen@gmail.com. LAPS has been assisting the unemployed and underemployed in our parish community for almost 5-yrs.

Simon's Call Ice Cream Social fundraiser will be on Aug 3-4 after all Masses. Come ready for dessert even after the 8AM Mass.

2013 Habitat for Humanity We will begin building Saturday, October 5th and complete on Saturday, November 16th.. We will work on the completion of the house for seven consecutive Saturday's. We will need volunteers for the build, financial donations and assistance with lunch for two of the seven Saturday's. We will begin sign ups after each mass the first weekend in September. Please contact MJ Cooper at 404 375 1686 or 21mjcbellsouth.net.

The Way for Men is a 3-day retreat for adult male survivors of abuse offered by the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Victim Assistance Program September 6-8, 2013 at Carmel Retreat Center in Hoschton, GA. Registration deadline is August 26, 2013. Please contact Sue Stubbs at 404-920-7554 or sstubbs@archatl.com for more information.

Love Once More is one-day workshop for couples preparing for remarriage or in the first four years of remarriage. Grace and Growth Counseling Center will present Love Once More on Saturday, August 24, 2013 from 10am to 5pm at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. Cost is \$150 per couple and includes lunch and books. No one will be turned away due to lack of funds. Registration is required. Please contact Linda Sweeney at 678-235-3912 or LSweeney@graceandgrowth.org to register or for more information.

Faith in Music Concert The Atlanta Baha'i Center and National Divine Spiritual Church will proudly host "Faith in Music Concert" on August 18th at 4pm. Concert location: National Divine Spiritual Church, 18 Jackson Street NE, Atlanta, GA 30312; Reception Location: The Atlanta Baha'i Center, 379 Edgewood Avenue, Atlanta, GA 30312.

Monastery Retreat: Finding God in the Crossroads of Life August 2-4. Loss and change are unavoidable aspects of life. We lose loved ones, health, relationships, jobs, financial security, social status, our faith or even our own identity. Mourning our losses is natural but this retreat can open us to God's presence and gift of new Life in the midst of loss and change. For a reservation, contact Patti at the Monastery in Conyers, 770-760-0959 or retreat@trappist.net.

Prayer Requests and Communion to the Sick/Homebound: If you need prayer or want or know of someone who needs communion brought to them, please contact Lourdes' Pastoral Care Team prayer line. The number is **678-235-5469**. You may also submit requests to Lourdes' secretary, Carolyn Bell, at cbell@lourdesatlanta.org.

Please pray for our sick & shut-in including: : Bernice Malcolm, Pierce McCarthy, Dorothy McClean, James McMullan, Ashton Montgomery, John Moore, Elias Mustafa, Miriam Norton, Gloria Oakley, Lethia Odom, Idalia O'Neal, Mazie Parker, Daniel Penick, Lucy Piquant, Lorraine Powell, Katie Price, Juliet Pilgrim, Eisenhower and Rosario Raines, Janet Nixon Reynolds, Rosalind Reynolds, Freddie Robinson, Joi Robinson, Joe Robinson, Shayla Robinson, Christopher Rutherford, Michelle Ryans, Barbara Schenk, Karla Schmidt, Jolette Shannon, Austin & Lois Smith, Ernestine Smith, Malcolm Smith, Regina Smith, Lori Sneed, John Soto, Delia Spencer, Eugene Sturgis, Jean-Luc Tahou, Brian Terrell, Lillie Thomas, Andrew Vassil, Denny Vavro, Rebecca Vellette, Barbara Waller, Wesley & Sophie Waring, Sophia L. White, Dawn Williams, Gwendolyn Williams.