

Lourdes Birthdays

Ashley Williams	Aug 18	Paris Summers	Aug 20	David Walker	Aug 23
Francis Cosby	Aug 18	Tricia Richardson	Aug 20	Erick Ayers	Aug 23
Jonathan Aguillard	Aug 18	Dorensa Monteiro	Aug 21	Jerome Morgan	Aug 23
Noah Dressie	Aug 18	Habomman Clothrde	Aug 21	Lucero St. Phillip	Aug 23
Andrew Crosby	Aug 19	Indira Deen	Aug 21	Mary Macke	Aug 23
Anibal Corado	Aug 19	Mason Moemeka	Aug 21	Melinda Lillard	Aug 23
Charlene Chandonia	Aug 19	Melissa Bigelow	Aug 21	Michai Vaughan	Aug 23
Christion Wharton	Aug 19	Zahra Claxton-Warner	Aug 21	Niya Thomas	Aug 23
Eddie Johnson	Aug 19	Zsariyah Broughton	Aug 21	Olivia McCoy	Aug 23
Evelyn Johnson	Aug 19	Catherine Quinn	Aug 22	Vincent Marsh	Aug 23
Janni Buggs	Aug 19	Dave Hickerson	Aug 22	Wilbert Thomas	Aug 23
Jazmeen Dure	Aug 19	Ian Douglas	Aug 22	Alex Lilly	Aug 24
Josetta Greene	Aug 19	Michele Cates	Aug 22	Anthony Smith	Aug 24
Kathy Johnson	Aug 19	Nia Van Buren	Aug 22	Earl Cotton Jr.	Aug 24
Rachel Heard	Aug 19	Sacha St. Hill	Aug 22	James Joyner	Aug 24
Aaron Thompson	Aug 20	Scandia McCrary	Aug 22	Nichole Ravanell	Aug 24
Charlotte Richards	Aug 20	Brian Reilly	Aug 23	Regina Guilford	Aug 24
Ellen D'Orsi	Aug 20	Christopher Saunders-Lee	Aug 23	Tajuana Pearson	Aug 24
Nicole Morris	Aug 20	Cloe Guidry-Reed	Aug 23		

3rd Sunday of August (08/18/13)

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), **Women's Council** (8:00 AM), **KPCLA** (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



August 18, 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 Janine Brown (301)651-5956 or Email: jeanettajacobsmom@hotmail.com

**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



Holy Spirit taught – Holy Spirit led – Holy Spirit filled

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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:

Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10; Hebrews 12:1-4

GOSPEL: Luke 12:49-53

Next Sunday's readings are:

Isaiah 66:18-21; Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13

GOSPEL: Luke 13:22-30

Mass Intention: **8am** ~For the repose soul of †Phyllis Randolph

10am ~For the repose soul of †Catherine Pison

12am ~ For the repose soul of †Arthur Scott

St. Katharine Drexel Scholarship Recipient Congratulations to Quanesha Perkins, who was awarded and is the first recipient of the ann St. Katharine Drexel Scholarship given by OLL Alumni Association. Quanesha will be attending Xavier University in Louisiana this fall. Please join us in congratulating Quanesha for her commitment to excellence and continued success.

SAVE THE DATE! Lourdes annual picnic is September 15th. Look for more information to come.

Serve Haiti cordially invites you to join us as we CELEBRATE THE CHILD on Saturday, Oct 5, 2013 at 7pm – 10pm, The Atlanta Contemporary Arts Center, 535 Means Street, NW, Atlanta, GA 30318. Fundraiser will include cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, a silent auction and the Haitian Artisans Market. Cost is \$100 per guest and can be purchased online at www.servedhaiti.org or at the door.

2nd Centennial Spruce Up! We would like to invite all volunteers to sign up for our second "Centennial Spruce-Up Day". We need painters and light carpentry help. Please click on the link below to view the online sign-up sheet. www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10CoD4CAEAC2AABF58-2ndcentennail/10123551.

Adult Faith Formation Please join us the first 3 Tuesdays in August to learn more about Black Catholic Theology with Xavier University professor and Lourdes' parishioner, Modeste Nyimi. Sessions will be held on August 6, 13, and 20th in the parish hall from 7:00p.m.-8:30p.m. The topics to be discussed include: (session 1) Intro to Black Catholic Theology and Christology; (session 2) Black Catholic Liturgy and What is Black Catholic Church/Ministry?; and (session 3) Social Issues and Ethics.

The Amazing Grace Dancers will hold auditions for 2013-14 on Aug 24th from 1pm - 5pm. Age groups from 8-17yrs and 18+ for AGLDco. Please email agldcompany@hotmail.com for more info.

August is Medic Alert Awareness Month A medical identification tag is worn as a bracelet, necklace or on clothing. It allows the wearer to be identified as an individual with a medical condition that may need immediate attention. This tag serves as a tool to provide information to emergency responders, physicians, and law enforcement personnel in the event that the individual is unable to communicate. Typical conditions warranting a medical alert identifier are: Diabetes, Anaphylactic Allergies (food, drug, insect), Adrenal insufficiency, Pacemaker or other medical devices. Who needs Medic Alert? Persons with any medical problem or condition that cannot be easily seen or recognized need the protection of MedicAlert®. Heart conditions, diabetes, severe allergies and epilepsy are common problems. About one in every five persons has some special medical problem. Why Medic Alert? Tragic or even fatal mistakes can be made in emergency medical treatment unless the special problem of the person is known. A diabetic could be neglected and die because he/she was thought to be intoxicated. A shot of penicillin could end the life of one who is allergic to it. Persons dependent on medications must continue to receive them at all times. Furthermore, the MedicAlert® emblem can also help in identification.

Taizé Prayer Come out on Monday, August 26th and support our very own Taizé Prayer, held every 4th Monday of the month at 8:00pm in the lower meeting room of the Drexel Center. Come experience a Spirit-filled prayer for peace and justice.

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

Church Support: 08/11/13: **\$15,968**

Total Church Budget (07/07/13 – 08/11/13): **\$110,070**

Actual Church Support (07/07/13 – 08/11/13): **\$101,412**

LOURDES SHARE **\$70,049**

OUTSTANDING PLEDGES **\$49,825**

AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (02/15/13 – 07/19/13): **\$42,696**

(370 LOURDES HOUSEHOLD)

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

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.

3rd Annual National Black Women's Life Balance & Wellness Conference will take place on Saturday, September 14th and Sunday, September 15th at Spelman College, Cosby Auditorium, 440 Westview Dr., SW, Atlanta, Georgia. Join us for award winning speakers, engaging workshops, networking opportunities, transformative dialog and so much more. Come and invite your family, friends and co-workers as we explore our theme, "Sharing Intergenerational Wisdom." Group discounts are available. To register for this life changing event, visit lifebalanceconference.com. Contact lifebalanceconference@gmail.com for sponsorship and vending opportunities.

Love Once More is one-day workshop for couples preparing for re-marriage 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.

Do you want to live a more Holy Life? Are you thirsting for a relationship with Jesus? Come to Corpus Christi Catholic Church Gym, 600 Mountain View Drive, Stone Mountain, GA 30083. Join us for "LIFE IN THE SPIRIT" seminar sponsored by Servants of the Lord the weekend of September 6, 2013 - September 8, 2013. To register call 678-464-9008, 404-469-0395, or 770-469-0395 (church office) or E-mail: attccr@aol.com.

Atlanta Catholic Singles is a group for Catholic singles in their 20s, 30s and 40s in the Archdiocese. Join us for various social services, sports and spiritual events. Details at AtlantaCatholicSingles.org. Also on Facebook and Twitter. Or contact Larry Schauer at AtlantaCatholicSingles@gmail.com or 678-770-6400.

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: Joseph Allen, Heather Ausman, Addie Bailey, LaQueeta Banks, Edith Barham, Kevin Bowman, Aaron Brewington, John Brown, Alexander Burdette, Tamiko Burgess, Betty Barbara Chambers, Jay Coleman, N'Dira Collier, Ed Jude Costello, Leah Cox, Fred Crimi, Clara Cruz, Diane Daniels, Gary Davila, Wilford Deese, Eugene Desanges, Sonia Diaz, Inez Douè, Temaya Eatmon, Dierdra Edwards, Holloway Egan, Tim Egan, Yvonne Fears, Jim Finn, Winston Fouche, Helen Franklin, Suzanne French, Karin Garcia, Alamrew Gaines, 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, Helen Lucas, Walthall Lucas