

Lourdes Birthdays

Anne Fahey	Apr 13	Mackenzie Cowan	Apr 15	Chandler Robinson	Apr 18
Charlotte Butker	Apr 13	Thomas Vance	Apr 15	Christy Dillon	Apr 18
Cynthia Brannon	Apr 13	Alex Alvarez	Apr 16	Jean Wallace	Apr 18
George Lowe	Apr 13	Carl D’Orsi	Apr 16	Juliet Brewington	Apr 18
Olivia Washington	Apr 13	Chandler Steele	Apr 16	Kate Finneran	Apr 18
Weldon Jones	Apr 13	Loren Peoples	Apr 16	Labat Yancey	Apr 18
Eddie Jenkins	Apr 14	Matthew Griffith	Apr 16	Sara Lily Richards	Apr 18
Erica O’ Banyon-Bailey	Apr 14	Naomy Grand-Pierre	Apr 16	Allison Dural	Apr 19
Kareen Poiterien	Apr 14	Sandra Williams	Apr 16	Beau Casey	Apr 19
Stephen Whyatt	Apr 14	TeVon Freeman	Apr 16	Catherine Perry	Apr 19
Anne-Marie Trent	Apr 15	Carmine Colossale	Apr 17	Jada Foley	Apr 19
Daniel Hennessey	Apr 15	Eleanor Walsh	Apr 17	Monica Lee	Apr 19
Darren Howard	Apr 15	Jeremiah Mensa-Shebra	Apr 17	Sr. Patty Caraher	Apr 19
George Kamara	Apr 15	Kinsee Owens	Apr 17	Roberta Whitney	Apr 19
Gizani Maxie	Apr 15	Bart Lamberson	Apr 18		

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of April (04/13/14)

*St. Isidore of Alexandria*

*Place: Nitrian Desert and Alexandria, Egypt*

As a young man, Isidore of Alexandria (319-404) dedicated his life to God. Having distributed to the poor the great wealth that he had inherited from his family, he wandered into the Nitrian desert to practice the ascetical life. There he met the great bishop St. Athanasius. The two developed a master-disciple relationship. Eventually, Athanasius ordained the hermit and took him to Rome in 341. Returning to Alexandria, Isidore labored in the city’s hospital and eventually became its chief administrator, spending most of his life in that position.

At age eighty, Isidore encountered a series of “persecutions, misrepresentations and troubles of every description.” Both the acrimonious St. Jerome and overbearing Bishop Theophilus accused Isidore of having sided with Origen, who had gained notoriety for his self-castration, for his preaching without having been ordained, and, later, for his being ordained in another diocese without having sought or received permission from his local bishop at Alexandria. Jerome harshly criticized Isidore and Theophilus, who earlier had befriended and defended Isidore, excommunicated him.

*Saints of Africa ~ Vincent J. O’Malley, CM*

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

**About the Centennial Logo:** The centennial logo was designed by Robert Evans (parishioner), Principal, Times<sup>3</sup> 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



April 13, 2014

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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 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor

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 Janine Brown (301)651-5956 or Email: [jeanettajacobsmom@hotmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:qbarton@aol.com) or call the church office

\*(OLL) Centennial Committee – [ollcc100@gmail.com](mailto:ollcc100@gmail.com)

Patrice Barton Smith, Co-Chair – [Psbarton901@gmail.com](mailto:Psbarton901@gmail.com)  
Louis Hubbard, Co-Chair – [dipdab80@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dipdab80@sbcglobal.net)

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

Darren Gustafson, [gustafson2954@comcast.net](mailto:gustafson2954@comcast.net)

\*Finance Council: Quarterly Meetings

Mary Ellen Macke, Chairperson

\*Haiti Ministry- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after the 10am Mass

Mary Jane Cooper 404-375-1686  
Jackie Wales 770-378-2705

\*Health Ministry

Brad Singleton, [pocomo.singleton5@gmail.com](mailto:pocomo.singleton5@gmail.com)  
Sean Griffith, [scgriff1@hotmail.com](mailto:scgriff1@hotmail.com)

\*History Committee: 3rd Sat.10:30am, TBA

\*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

‘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

Jeanine Brown, 301-651-5956

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

Joel Maxwell, Coordinator 678-892-6163

‘Stephen’s Ministry Referral Coordinator

Mizette Coakley, 404-983-0956,

‘Women’s Council: 1st Sunday at 10:00am

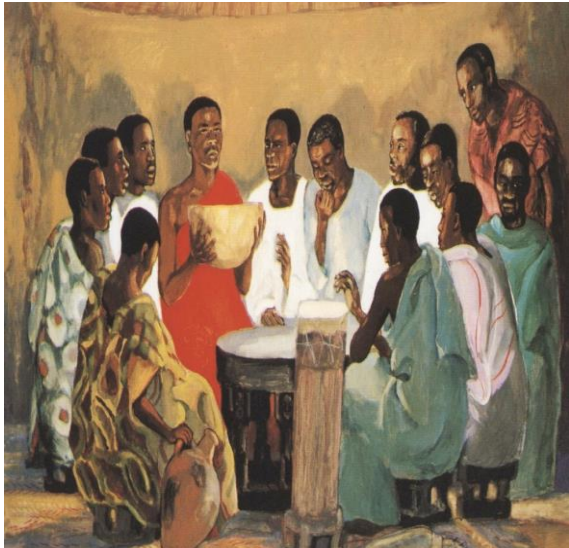
Theresa Wilson, President – 404-659-6433

‘Young Adult Group: Fridays 7:30pm [ollyagatl@gmail.com](mailto:ollyagatl@gmail.com)

Christopher Hanna, Coordinator; 404-903-6113

‘Young at Heart (seniors)

For info, call the Church Office - 404.522.6776



**WWW.LOURDESATLANTA.ORG**

Bulletin is always available on the Lourdes website

**\*Deadline for bulletin notices is Wednesdays at 12pm**

**EMAIL: cbell@lourdesatlanta.org**

**Today's Scripture readings are:**

Isaiah 50:4-7; Philippians 2:6-11

GOSPEL: Matthew 26:14-27, 66

**Next Sunday's readings are:**

Acts 10:34, 37-43; Colossians 3:1-4

GOSPEL: John 20:1-9

**Lourdes Prayer Line**

678.235.5469

[lourdespct@gmail.com](mailto:lourdespct@gmail.com)

Mass Intentions: **8am** ~ For the repose soul of †David R. Murray

**10am** ~ For the repose soul of †Aldwin Pinard

**Church Office** will be closed on Good Friday, April 18<sup>th</sup> and Easter Monday, April 21<sup>st</sup>. We will return to the office on Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 9am.

**I. HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 7:00 PM**

Celebration of the Eucharist with Washing of the Feet and Offering for the Poor

Procession to Altar of Repose (stay to pray before the Blessed Sacrament)

\*Leave in silence

\*Please bring: 1. A bell to ring during the Gloria

2. A towel to use for foot washing

3. Special offering for the poor (perhaps your Lenten "Rice Bowl")

**II. GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 7:00 PM**

Gather in silence for the Commemoration of the Death of the Lord

Proclamation of the Passion of Jesus Christ

General Intercessions

Veneration of the Cross

Communion

\*Leave in silence

\*Please bring: 1. The nail you received on Palm Sunday

2. A flowering plant to decorate the altar for Easter (bring to the cafeteria)

**III. HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 9:00 PM**

Solemn Celebration of Easter—Lighting of the Easter Fire and Liturgy of the Word

Festive Alleluia!

Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation for our Elect

Liturgy of the Eucharist

\*Please bring: 1. A bell to ring during the Alleluia and Gloria

2. A dessert to share as we welcome our new Catholics

**IV. EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20, 8:30 AM & 11:30 AM; Symphony Hall, Woodruff Arts Center, Peachtree & 15th Streets.**

**Parking details and other important information will be forthcoming soon. There will not be any Easter Sunday services in our own building.**

**Fulton County Candidates Forum** Tuesday April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00pm at Our Lady of Lourdes, including District 4, District 7 (at-large) and Fulton County Judges.

**LOURDES STEWARDSHIP**

Weekly Church Budget: **\$19,561**

Church Support: 03/30/14: **\$20,328**

Total Church Budget (07/07/13 – 04/06/14): **\$761,948**

Actual Church Support (07/07/13 – 04/06/14): **\$902,872**

**ARCHBISHOPS ANNUAL APPEAL**

LOURDES SHARE **\$78,600**

OUTSTANDING PLEDGES **\$62,856**

AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (04/04/14 –): **\$15,744**

**Lourdes Lunch** Our parish volunteers served **247** people this past Tuesday and **266** on Thursday. We are grateful for these women and men who share the charity of Christ with those who are hungry. All new volunteers- those who are at least 12 years of age are most welcome but will need to call the church office to be scheduled for volunteering. Volunteers are scheduled from 9:30am until 1pm.

**May 20 Primary Election** last day to register to vote is April 21<sup>st</sup>. If you have moved, changed your name, not voted in the past three election cycles, or at least 17 ½ years of age, please be sure to update or register. Access the Secretary of State's web site <http://sos.ga.gov/index.php/?section=elections>, click on the "My Voter" box to check your status. You can register on-line or download a registration form, fill it out and mail it in.

**When My Mom Died:** I needed someone to listen to me as I told her history and nurtured my memory of her. I needed someone to listen to all that we were to each other. I needed someone to let me be angry, to let me be sad, to let me cry. That is what Stephen Ministry did just for me~ words by Mizette - Referrals Coordinator 404-983-0956 /mizettecoakley@yahoo.com.

**Join the Lourdes Book Club and ERACE Ministry** We are hosting a book discussion on Saturday, April 26, 2014 in the cafeteria after the 5 pm Mass. Our book selection is "Americanah" by Chimamanda Adichie. It is a story of love and race centered on a young man and woman from Nigeria who face difficult choices and challenges in the countries they come to call their home. Fearless, gripping, darkly funny and tender, spanning three continents and numerous lives, Americanah is a richly told story set in today's globalized world. Chimamanda Adichie's most powerful and astonishing novel yet. Goodreads. For more information, please contact Carole Lacour at lared111@aol.com or 404-629-0878.

**April is National Youth Sports Safety Month** Enroll your child in organized sports through programs that are committed to injury prevention. Make sure coaches and support staff are CPR and First Aid certified and the program has emergency protocols in place. Ensure your child's coaches are educated on proper use of equipment, that equipment is maintained, and coaches enforce rules regarding proper equipment use. Invest in proper gear for your child's selected sport. Teach your child how to properly care for and use sports and safety equipment. Include warm-ups and cool-downs as part of your child's sport participation. Warm-up exercises help minimize the likelihood of muscle strain and make the body's tissues more flexible. Cool-down exercises help loosen muscles that tighten during exercise. Encourage hydration during sport participation. Whether you choose water or sports drinks, ensure your child hydrates frequently while active. Ensure your child wears sunscreen and a hat (when possible) during outside activities.

**Atlanta Catholic Singles** is a group for Catholic young professionals in the Archdiocese. Join us for various social, service, sports and spiritual events. Details at AtlantaCatholicSingles.org and Twitter @AtlCathSingles and Facebook (facebook.com/AtlantaCatholicSingles).

**Please pray for our sick & shut-in including:** Bernice Malcolm, Pierce McCarthy, Dorothy McClean, Beverly McEwan, James McMullan, Beverly Mims, Ashton Montgomery, John Moore, Elias Mustafa, Nevells Family, Chloe Miller, Gloria Oakley, Idalia O'Neal, Mazie Parker, Lucy Piquant, Lorraine Powell, Katie Price, Eisenhower and Rosario Raines, Janet Nixon Reynolds, Rosalind Reynolds, Joi Robinson, Joe Robinson, Shayla Robinson, Christopher Rutherford, Michelle Ryans, Barbara Schenk, Karla Schmidt, Adrienne Sellers, Jolette Shannon, Alana Sheppard, Belinda Skelton, Lois Smith & Renise Smith, Ernestine Smith, Malcolm Smith, Regina Smith, Terry Smith, Lori Sneed, Beatrix Snowden, John Soto, Delia Spencer, Eugene Sturgis, Jean-Luc Tahou, Brian Terrell, Leonard Thomas, Jr., Lillie Thomas, Terry Thompson, Andrew Vassil, Denny Vavro, Marjorie & Alan Vieira, Alexandra Walker, Cassandra Walker, Barbara Waller, Bobbie Ware, Sophia L. White, Dawn Williams, Gwendolyn Williams, Sherran Winchester.