

Lourdes Birthdays

Chance Carter	July 6	Catherine Carlisi	July 8	Denise Hood	July 10
Cole Francis	July 6	Dylan Lowther	July 8	Donovan Sewell	July 10
Crystal Brown	July 6	Endre Jenkins	July 8	Francesca Eugene	July 10
Jace Vaughn	July 6	Erin Davis	July 8	Reinye Bridges	July 10
Juan Jones	July 6	Ewan Ducloux	July 8	Yolanda Thompson	July 10
Melony Gibson	July 6	Harietta Josey	July 8	Yvonne McNeil	July 10
Nathaniel Crowe	July 6	Melissa Waters	July 8	Brendal Maclin	July 11
Reginald Poellnitz	July 6	Miles Johnson	July 8	Kayla Jordan	July 11
Sheryl Horton	July 6	Theresa Weber	July 8	Sandra Bryant	July 11
Tyler James	July 6	Trevor James	July 8	William Daniels	July 11
Vanessa Johnson	July 6	Uzoamaka Chukka	July 8	Andrew Swartz	July 12
Camren Landers	July 7	Bianca Wimberly	July 9	Anne Broderick	July 12
Christina Clodomir	July 7	Brandon Thompson	July 9	Erica Decuir	July 12
George Sneed	July 7	David Myers	July 9	Janis Griffin	July 12
Karter Childs	July 7	David Onyeabor	July 9	Mary Francis	July 12
Maurice Baudy	July 7	Jennifer Leach	July 9	Nyrva Cadet	July 12
Nancy Rock	July 7	Leonardo Cocca	July 9	Sydney James	July 12
Valerie Musey	July 7	Linda Huefner	July 9	Terri Lewis	July 12
Willis Smith	July 7	Ron Fontenot	July 9	Valerie Kennedy	July 12
Aliciea Lovelave	July 8	Anita Garnes	July 10	Wendy Angelety	July 12
Ann Williams	July 8	Antionette Roberts	July 10		

1st Sunday of July (07/06/14)

The Energetic Saint – Pope Saint Gelasius I The 49th Pope

Saint Gelasius was certainly a busy pope. At the time of his papacy he was second only to Leo I in terms of his papal activities. Additionally, Gelasius inherited the Acacian schism as he ascended the papacy in the year 492. This split involved the patriarch Acacius of Constantinople who appointed Monophysite bishops (believing that Christ's humanity was swallowed up by his divinity). These new bishops did not support the Catholic doctrine that Jesus was fully human and fully divine.

The bishop's appointment was unacceptable to Gelasius. He continued to argue this issue even after Acacius died, at which time Gelasius's insisted that Acacius's name be erased from the public records of the respected dead. Gelasius insistence and the new patriarch's refusal ushered in a new debate for this pope. He was now faced with a disagreement between church and state.

African Saints, 40 HOLY MEN & 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

We are active

We are committed

We are LOURDES

Be active. Your time, your talent, your Church.

A CENTURY OF WITNESS – A FUTURE OF COMMITMENT

OUR LADY of LOURDES
CATHOLIC CHURCH



July 6, 2014

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Parish Staff

Father Jeffery Ott, O.P., Pastor

Father Bruce Schultz, O.P., Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. 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

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

**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*

Darren Gustafson, gustafson2954@comcast.net

**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*

Brad Singleton, pocomo.singleton5@gmail.com

Sean Griffith, 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 10:00 am Mass*

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*

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:

Zechariah 9:9-10; Romans 8:9, 11-13

GOSPEL: Matthew 11:25-30

Next Sunday's readings are:

Isaiah 55:10-11; Romans 8:18-23

GOSPEL: Matthew 13:1-23

Lourdes Prayer Line

678.235.5469

lourdespct@gmail.com

Live Streaming! Catch the live stream of the Mass every 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month.

Lourdes Women's Council will be selling raffle tickets for Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cancer Home. The tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. The prizes are \$500.00 Gift Card to Brown & Co. Jewelry, Two Night Stay at the Ridges Resort in Hiawassee and 5 Course Dinner for 6 in your home (donated by Carole Parks Catering). The council will be selling raffle tickets after each service starting July 12th - July 20th, council members will be stationed outside, near the cafeteria. Our Lady of Perpetual Help Home is the only facility of its kind in the southeast where patients with incurable cancer, can receive excellent and loving care for the duration of their illness, without regard to race or creed." Please help support their cause.

SAVE THE DATE! Lourdes Church Picnic will be at Grant Park on Sunday, September 14th at 1:30pm. More information will be forthcoming.

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.

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.

Altar Server Training on Saturday, July 19, 2014 at 3:30pm. Training will conclude AFTER the 5:00pm Mass. Please contact Angelea Turner at 404-295-7073 to RSVP.

SAVE THE DATE! Just Faith is returning to Lourdes and partnering with Basilica of the Sacred Heart. We will officially launch Just Faith Ministries at Lourdes in September 2014. Info Sessions will be held at Lourdes on Saturday, July 12, 2014 from 4 pm to 5 pm in the cafeteria. Participants can attend Saturday's 5 pm Mass immediately after the session. All are encouraged to attend! If you have any questions, please contact Vernon Frazier at vfrazier1906@yahoo.com. More details will be forthcoming.

Lector Prep last session for the month of August is **Saturday, July 12th** 10:30am in the church. All lectors are required to attend one session per month to remain active.

LOURDES STEWARDSHIP

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

Church Support: 06/29/14: **\$15,120**

Total Church Budget (07/07/13 – 06/29/14): **\$995,119**

Actual Church Support (07/07/13 – 06/29/14): **\$1,158,598**

ARCHBISHOPS ANNUAL APPEAL

LOURDES SHARE **\$78,600**

OUTSTANDING PLEDGES **\$45,894**

AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (06/26/14): **\$32,706**

Lourdes Lunch is closed for the summer break and will return on Tuesday, Sept 9th.

LAPS Update If you would like to begin receiving, or wish to continue receiving LAPS updates (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 (Life After Pink Slips) is a Lourdes ministry and has been assisting the unemployed and underemployed in our parish community for almost 5-yrs.

Free Summer Meals Program Parents looking for free summer lunch for their children will have an easy way to find a location near them. They can text "FoodGA" to 877-877 and enter their address, the automated system will send information on the three closest site locations. Parents can also call 211 for information and site locations. Here are some details: Meals are free to children and teens between the ages of 2 and 18, USDA nutrition guidelines, 2,500 site location statewide, Site locations include schools, faith institutions, community centers, and registration is not required but child(ren) has to be present (no take outs). For more information, contact Michele Chivore at michele.chivore@georgiafoodbankassociation.org or call 678-365-4278

Help Moving Service: The Knights of Peter Claver Council 300 are providing free moving service to you, your family and friends. So if you need manpower and need to move and don't have much help, we can take care of that for you and best of all...it's free! Please give at least 2 week notice is preferred. Contact any Knight that you know or call Kwame Nyaku @ 404-543-0068 or email knightsflourdes@gmail.com.

Sunday Dinner & Beignets for sale, July 27th in the cafeteria after all Masses.

Job Corps is the nation's largest career technical training and education program for student ages of 16 and 24 with or without high school diplomas or General Educational Development (GED). It is the nation's largest career technical training and education program that provides 60,000 students per year with hands-on training in America's fastest growing careers. And the best part? It's at no cost to you! The Atlanta Campus is accepting females only. Males will be sent to Brunswick, GA, Albany GA, NC, and KY. Job corps will also be paying the student as he or she learns. For more information, contact Cheryl McKinnon at 404-599-3762 or McKinnon.Cheryl@jobcorps.org.

Lourdes Book Club Join us for a book discussion on Saturday, July 26, 2014 at Panera at Emory Village at 7 p.m. Our book selection is "In the Shadow of the Banyan by Vaddey Ratner". For seven-year-old Raami, the shattering end of childhood begins with the footsteps of her father returning home in the early dawn hours bringing details of the civil war that has overwhelmed the streets of Phnom Penh, Cambodia's capital. Soon the family's world of carefully guarded royal privilege is swept up in the chaos of revolution and forced exodus. "How is it that so much of this bleak novel is full of beauty, even joy?...What is remarkable, and honorable, here is the absence of anger, and the capacity--seemingly infinite--for empathy." (NY Times Book Review). For more information, please contact Carole Lacour at Lared11@aol.com or (404) 629-0878.

Please pray for our sick & shut-in including: Bernice Malcolm, Pierce McCarthy, Dorothy McClean, Ed R. McDonnell Sr., Beverly McEwan, James McMullan, Beverly Mims, Ashton Montgomery, John Moore, Elias Mustafa, Nevels Family, Chloe Miller, Barbara Neely, Beverly Noe, 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, Jollette 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, Ashley Stone, Eugene & Thayer Sturgis, Jean-Luc Tahou, Brian Terrell, Leonard Thomas, Jr., Lillie Thomas, Terry Thompson, Andrew Vassil, Denny Vavro, Marjorie & Alan Vieira, Courtney & Josie Vissman, Alexandra Walker, Cassandra Walker, Barbara Waller, Bobbie Ware, Sophia L. White, Dawn Williams, Gwendolyn Williams, Sherran Winchester, Juliana Yang.