

Lourdes Birthdays

Attiyya Skeete	Oct 26	Magan Ngoto	Oct 27	Lorie Hawkins	Oct 30
Dawn Bolton	Oct 26	Mark Thacker	Oct 27	Parker Jennings	Oct 30
Donna Jones	Oct 26	Shannon Dobranski	Oct 27	Yvonne Keith	Oct 30
Eric Winchester	Oct 26	Stephanie Waters	Oct 27	Danielle McKeithen	Oct 31
Georgia Hutchinson	Oct 26	Chere' Diggs	Oct 28	Hayden Turner	Oct 31
Glover Lewis	Oct 26	David Waters	Oct 28	Hollis Turner	Oct 31
Isaiah Fernandez	Oct 26	Gregory Roberts	Oct 28	Keira Waddy	Oct 31
Isis Tshioba Malu	Oct 26	Thomas Stracke	Oct 28	Leya Moore	Oct 31
Jeanette Pierre-Johnson	Oct 26	Alanna Deigni	Oct 29	Michael Farry	Oct 31
LaTrevia Elder	Oct 26	Camy Maignan	Oct 29	Nikki Penda	Oct 31
Quentin Simmons	Oct 26	Jerelyn Morton	Oct 29	Quita Barton	Oct 31
Shannon Wilson	Oct 26	Kathy Merritt	Oct 29	Rev. Chester Griffin	Nov 1
Steven Elder	Oct 26	Neil Brogan	Oct 29	Darryl Cooper	Nov 1
Thomas Smyth	Oct 26	Olivia Volkert	Oct 29	Eric Gibson	Nov 1
Abena Kyei-Frimpong	Oct 27	Stella Raio	Oct 29	Michelle Kow	Nov 1
Alianna Kow	Oct 27	Celia Farmer	Oct 30	Nicole Lee	Nov 1
Cheryl Ngoto	Oct 27	Jan Cecelia Kennedy	Oct 30	Nicole Tuggle	Nov 1
Chima Umekunne	Oct 27	Laura Voisinet	Oct 30	Taurean Barnett	Nov 1
Collin Cadet	Oct 27	Lawrence Harris	Oct 30	Ubachukwu Ibeanu	Nov 1

4th Sunday of October (10/26/14)



New Member Spotlight ~ Cornell A. Emile

We are glad to welcome Cornell Arnold Emile to our church. He describes himself as leader who enjoys serving others. He was born and raised in the Bahamas before moving to Alabama then Atlanta. His parents, a Haitian dad (deceased) and Bahamian mom, were both lifelong practicing Catholics. Cornell confesses that for over 18 years of his life he did not practice the Catholic faith and fell out of favor for a while. But one day in March, during his search for re-dedication, he planned on visiting Sacred Heart Catholic but coincidentally missed the service and ended up at Our Lady of Lourdes. He states that upon entering the church, he immediately felt at home. He was impressed by the people, the music and the setting. And although he was looking for a small setting in a church home, diversity of people based upon nationality was equally important to him. He says that on that day, the sermon spoke to him. He left Mass feeling as though people cared that he was there. He says that he is still working on how he plans to be Active and Committed to Lourdes but he knows that the spiritual verse that guides his life -- (Philippians 4:8) will lead him in the right direction. Namely, "whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things."



Happy Birthday

Mrs. Georgia Hutchinson

85 Years Young



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



October 26, 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)651-5953 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

Janine Brown, 301-651-5953

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

Joel Maxwell, Coordinator, 678-892-6163

*Stephen's Ministry

Mizette Coakley, Coordinator, 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:

Exodus 22:20-26; I Thessalonians 1:5-10

GOSPEL: Matthew 22:34-40

Next Sunday's readings are:

Wisdom 3:1-9; Romans 5:5-11

GOSPEL: John 6:37-40

Lourdes Prayer Line

678.235.5469

lourdespct@gmail.com

Mass Intentions ~ 5pm~ For the repose soul of †Mae Ryan

10am ~ For the repose soul of †Eretta Jackson

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! Early voting has already begun and will continue until Friday October 31. Dekalb and Fulton County voters can even vote on Sunday October 26. To identify early voting locations, check your registration status, identify your Election Day precinct, and get a sample ballot got to <http://www.mvp.sos.ga.gov/>.

Saints Peter & Paul & Our Lady of Lourdes cordially invites you to our 1st Annual Advent Dinner Dance Saturday, December 13, 2014 8pm - 12am, Georgia Piedmont Technical College Conference Center, 495 Indian Creek Drive, Clarkston, GA 30021. Admit One \$40 Attire: Semi Formal, Dinner, Drinks & DJ included. Contact MJ Cooper for ticket(s) at 404-375-1686.

All Souls Day - Memorial Book November 2nd is All Souls Day. This weekend we will remember and honor our deceased loved ones in a special way at all the Masses. We will present a Book of the Dead as a memorial during each Mass. For those who want to have your loved ones included in the book, there is a display set up in the back vestibule of the church where you can submit their names and/or a photo (non-returnable) in the book. **The deadline for submitting pictures is October 26th. If you submitted a picture last year, there is no need to send in that same picture this year.**

SAVE THE DATE! Mama's Prayer Gospel Play on November 8th with two showings, 1pm & 6pm at The Balzer Theater, 84 Luckie Street, NW, Atlanta, GA 30303. Mama's Prayer is an inspirational stage play that will make you laugh, cry, but most of all think about your personal relationship with Jesus Christ. A story about a strong Christian woman who holds her family together through her Christian values despite the trials and tribulations that lie within her family. Group rate is \$30.00 person or \$35.00 for single individuals. Visit www.mamasprayer.org for more detailed information. If you plan to attend, please RSVP with the church office no later than Nov 3rd (money is due at the time of registration).

Lector Prep: For those reading during Masses held in December, the prep sessions will be held on Saturday, November 1st at 10:30 a.m. and Tuesday, November 4th at 7 p.m. in the church. All lectors are required to attend one session per month to remain active.

Baptismal Prep: Class will be held on Tuesday, November 4th in the St. Augustine Room at 7 p.m.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month This year in America, more than 212,000 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer. In addition, 2,000 men are also diagnosed. Early stages of breast cancer generally have no symptom. Detected early, survival rate exceeds 95%. The Health Promotions Ministry reminds everyone mammograms are among the best early detection methods. We recommend annual screenings by the age of 40 and monthly self-breast examinations.

LOURDES STEWARDSHIP

Weekly Church Budget: **\$22,495 (New Budget Total)**

Church Support: 10/19/14: **\$25,420**

Total Church Budget (07/06/14– 10/19/14): **\$331,252**

Actual Church Support (07/06/14 – 10/19/14): **\$312,978**

ARCHBISHOPS ANNUAL APPEAL

LOURDES SHARE **\$78,600**

OUTSTANDING PLEDGES **\$28,280**

AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (10/23/14): **\$50,320**

Lourdes Lunch: Our parish volunteers served **290** people this past Tuesday and **307** 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 9:30 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Cristo Rey Atlanta Jesuit High School has begun accepting applications for the 2015-2016 school year. Please visit the school's website for more information at www.cristoreyatlanta.org. Inquiries should be sent to admissions@cristoreyatlanta.org or by calling 404-637-2897. There will be an upcoming open house on Sunday, November 16 at 1:00 p.m. Please pre-register at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/8KFGCWD>.

Mark your calendar for a night of shopping to benefit the Covenant House and support fair trade on Wednesday, December 3, 2014, 6 – 8 p.m., at Ten Thousand Villages Store, 1056 Charles Ave. NE, Atlanta. Sponsored by the Just Faith group of Our Lady of Lourdes and the Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Visit www.atlanta.tenthousandvillages.com for merchandise details.

Christ the King Open House A warm invitation is extended to all interested families to attend Christ the King School's Open House on Sunday, November 9, 2014, at 2 pm, in Kenny Hall of the Cathedral of Christ the King. Principal's presentation begins at 2 pm, tours are available and teachers are present. Application packets for the 2015-2016 school year will be available for K-7th grades.

Fortunate Families, a ministry to welcome families with LGBT members into full communion with the Catholic Church, host the "It's All About Love" retreat at Ignatius House on Sunday, November 23, 12:30-7:00pm. Archbishop Wilton Gregory celebrates the opening Mass at 1:00pm and engages in discussion with retreat participants immediately thereafter. Additional speakers and group discussions will examine how to make LGBT family members feel welcome in the Catholic Church. Check-in begins at 12:30. Dinner is at 6:00pm. Due to limited space, please register early by contacting Michele McMahan at MicheleMc1084@comcast.net for information. Registration deadline is November 13. Ignatius House Jesuit Retreat Center, 6700 Riverside Drive, NW, Atlanta 30328.

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 but don't have much help, we can take care of that for you and best of all...it's free! Please give at least two week notice for planning purposes. Contact any Knight that you know or call Kwame Nyaku @ 404-543-0068 or email knightsolourdes@gmail.com.

Please pray for our sick & shut-in including: Bernice Malcolm, Pierce McCarthy, Dorothy McClean, Ed R. McDonnell Sr., Beverly McEwan, James McMullan, Angelo & Axel Mejia, Beverly Mims, Ashton Montgomery, John Moore, Elias Mustafa, Nevels Family, Chloe Miller, Gloria Oakley, Idalia O'Neal, Mazie Parker, Lucy Piquant, Harvey Porter, Lorraine Powell, Charles Prejean, III, Katie Price, Eisenhower and Rosario Raines, Janet Nixon Reynolds, Rosalind Reynolds, Joi Robinson, Shayla Robinson, Christopher Rutherford, Michelle Ryans, Barbara Schenk, Karla Schmidt, 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, Ashley Stone, Eugene Sturgis, Jean-Luc Tahou, Brian Terrell, Leonard Thomas, Jr., Lillie Thomas, Terry Thompson, Carolyn Touchette, Andrew Vassil, Denny Vavro, Marjorie & Alan Vieira, Courtney & Josie Vissman, Barbara Waller, Sophia L. White, Dawn Williams, Gwendolyn Williams, Sherran Winchester, Juliana Yang.