

KNIGHTS OF LOURDES FELLOWSHIP FUNDRAISER SUNDAY BREAKFAST will be held on Sunday, January 31st, after all masses, in the Cafeteria. Breakfast will be served cafeteria style for \$7 and a beverage is included. Come join us for food, conversation and fellowship.

FREE TAX PREP is available with free electronic filing at most locations through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program. The program a partnership of the Internal Revenue Service and community agencies, is available to those with 2015 income of \$54,000 or less. To find a VITA site near you call United Way at 211 or visit <http://irs.treasury.gov/freetaxprep/>."

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTIONS *Interreligious Dialogue.* That sincere dialogue among men and women of different faiths may produce the fruits of peace and justice. *Christian Unity.* That by means of dialogue and fraternal charity and with the grace of the Holy Spirit, Christians may overcome divisions.

SOPHIA ACADEMY, A K-12 Catholic school for students who learn differently, invites you to their "All School Open House" on Sunday, January 31st from 2:00 p.m. until 3:30p.m. Please RSVP to Jennifer Artigue, Admissions Director, at jartigue@sophiaacademy.org or 404-303-8722. Learn more at www.sophiaacademy.org.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Please join us as we celebrate marriages at the Worldwide Marriage Day Ball on Saturday February 13th. Live your Faith as a sacramental couple at a romantic night of dinner and dancing. Our 15 piece live band will fill the dance floor with couples, young and old, in an atmosphere of love and socializing. We'll even have dance lessons. This 31st Annual event, aptly referred to as a 'formal' celebration of marriage, is held at the Crowne Plaza Ravinia. More information and registration is available on the web at : <http://www.wmmeatlanta.com/wmd-ball-registration/> or email us for more information at deniseanderic@thehoells.com

HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC SCHOOL in Johns Creek, GA is seeking a full time middle school **Science Teacher** for the remainder of the 2015-2016 school year. Holy Redeemer serves students in grades K-8th. Applicants should possess a minimum of a bachelor's degree in education and certification in teaching science (or be eligible) at the middle school level. Experience preferred but not required. Cover letter and resumes may be submitted via email to lschell@hrcatholicsschool.org.

ST PIUS X is seeking a part-time **Finance Administrator**. The Primary function of this position is to serve as the staff resource in support of the Pastor. The Finance Administrator will be responsible for maintaining the financial records of the parish, which includes: preparing financial reports, accounts payable, reporting cash received, bank reconciliations, payroll processing, human resources, budget preparation and management, and other miscellaneous functions as necessary. Ensures pastoral, financial and administrative needs of the parish are sustained, and directs these efforts with technical expertise within the framework of shared ministry in Christian and Catholic values. Qualified applicants will have a bachelor's degree in Business, Accounting or a related field and 5 years related work experience; excellent written and oral skills; knowledge of accounting principles; strong computer skills; and be self-motivated. Interested candidates should forward their resume, including cover letter (with salary requirements) to catholicjobs@archatl.com. No phone calls please.

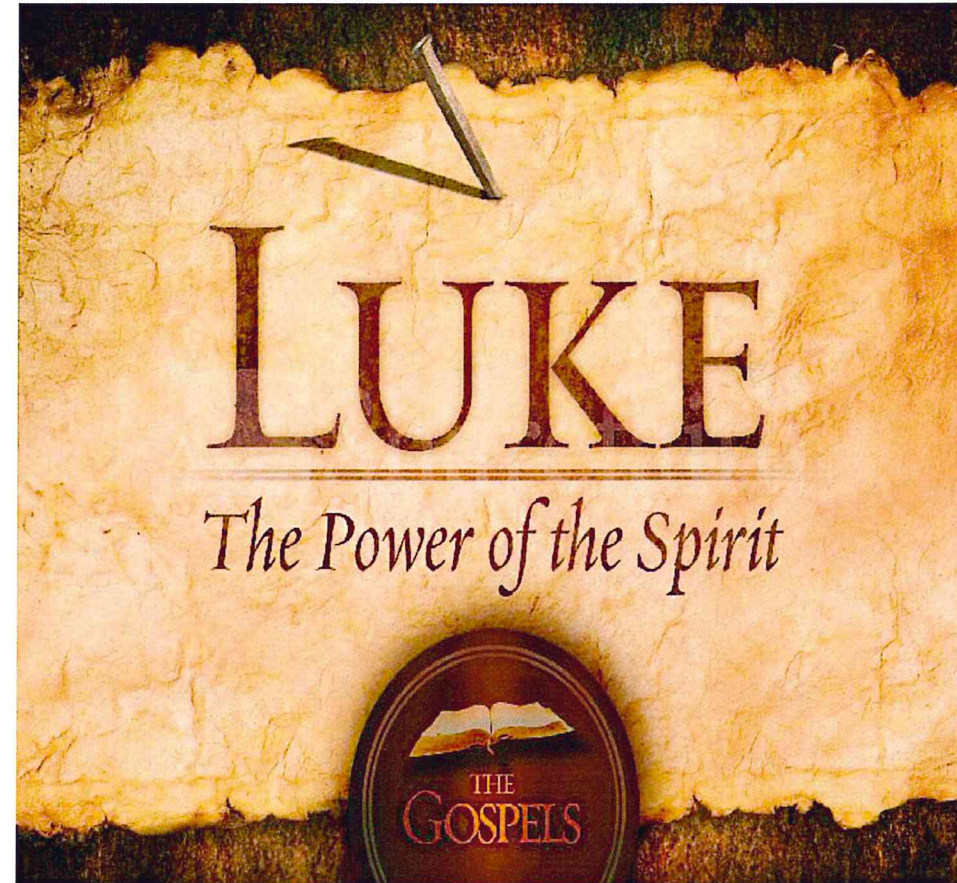
To report abuse by church personnel:
888.437.0764 Archdiocese of Atlanta 24 Hour Reporting Hotline
Free Pregnancy Test – Pregnancy Aid Clinic – 404.763.4357 or Optionline.org

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

25 Boulevard, N.E.
Atlanta, GA 30312
404.522.6776
www.lourdesatlanta.org

THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 24, 2016



Parish Staff

- Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P., *Pastor*
- Rev. Bruce Schultz, O.P., *Associate Pastor*
- Rev. Mr. Chester Griffin, *Deacon*
- Ms. Lisa Berkley, *Business Manager/Bookkeeper*
- Ms. Carolyn Bell, *Secretary*
- Mr. Kenneth Louis, *Director of Liturgy and Music*
- Mrs. Theresa Bowen, *Director of Religious Education*
- Ms. Samantha Smith, *Teen Ministry*
- Mr. Cong Dinh, *Maintenance Supervisor*
- Mr. Pierre Monette, Jr., *Youth/Young Adult Coordinator*
- Mr. Luis Perez, *Housekeeping*

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

Rosary
Saturday: 4:30 PM

RCIA Inquiry Classes
Sunday after the 8:00 AM Mass
in KDCC—3rd Floor
Contact: Kim Parrish
404.247.6628
kaparrish@hotmail.com

Sunday School Classes
K - 7: Sunday: 10:30 AM—11:30 AM

Nursery Hours
9:45AM—11:30AM
In the Parish Hall
Ages: 3 Months—4 Years Old

Teens: 10:30 AM—11:45 AM
Contact: Samantha Smith
lourdesteens1912@gmail.com

Pastoral Care Team

678.235.5469
lourdespct@gmail.com
Lourdes Prayer Line

We are active
We are committed
We are LOURDES

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

Ministries & Organizations

(OLLS) Alumni Association
Janis Griffin, Coordinator

Amazing Grace Liturgical Dancers
Kenya Griffin, Director
Wednesdays, 7PM-9PM; Sundays
1:30PM

Open Rehearsals every 2nd Sunday thru
April @ 2:30PM

Baby Boomers
Janine Brown: (301)651-5956
jeanettajacobsmom@hotmail.com

Bible Study
Every Wednesday, 7PM
Marcus Stewart, Facilitator:
(770)491-9319

Book Store
4th weekend after each Mass
Quita Barton, Coordinator
qbarton@aol.com
Contact the church office

(OLL) Centennial Committee
ollcc100@gmail.com
Patrice Barton Smith, Co Chair
Psbartong01@gmail.com
Louis Hubbard, Co-Chair
dipdab80@sbcglobal.net

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya
3rd Saturday, 7:30PM
Darren Gustafson,
gustafson2954@comcast.net

Finance Council
Quarterly Meetings
Dawn Leaner-Hall, Chairperson

Haiti Ministry
3rd Sunday after the 10AM Mass
Mary Jane Cooper, (404)375-1686
Jackie Bernard, (770)378-2705

Health Ministry
B. Singleton,
pocomo.singleton5@gmail.com
S. Griffith, scgriff1@hotmail.com

History Committee
3rd Saturday at 10:30a (TBA)

Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)
2nd Sunday at 1:30PM
Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight
(404)427-1039
Quentin Hutchins, Jr. Knights
(404)438-1249

KPC Ladies Auxiliary
2nd Sunday at 1:30p
Patrice Barton-Smith, Grand Lady
(678)371.2677



Today's Scripture Readings

Nehemiah 8:2-4, 5-6, 8-10; I Corinthians 12:12-30
Gospel: Luke 1:1-4, 14-21

Next Sunday's Readings

Jeremiah 1:4-5,17-19; I Corinthians 12:31-13:13
Gospel: Luke 4:21-30

Mass Intention: 10AM ~ For the repose soul of †Susie Mae Easley

Lourdes Stewardship

Weekly Church Budget: \$26,197
Church Support (01/17/16): \$22,415
Total Church Budget (7/05/15- 01/17/16): \$759,713
Actual Church Support (7/05/15- 01/17/16): \$724,713

2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal "Love never fails"

Thank you to all who have responded to the letter from Archbishop Gregory. There is still time to respond. If you received the mailing and have not responded, please take advantage of this time to do so. Your financial support for the work of our parish, our Archdiocese and our Church throughout the world is, in fact, one way to give Him glory and express our gratitude. **Lourdes' 2016 goal is \$94,300.**

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Lourdes Lunch

Tuesday, Jan 19 181
Thursday, Jan 21 251

We are grateful for these men and women who share the charity of Christ with those who are hungry. All new volunteers (those who are 12 years of age or older are most

Thoughts on Stewardship

There is a call to all of us, a call of service – that we join with others to try to make things better in this world. - *Dorothy Day*

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen,	Ed Jude Costello,	Alamrew Gaines,	Grace Johnson,
Audrianna Anderson,	Leah Cox,	Jessica Goff,	Hazel Johnson,
Heather Ausman,	Clara Cruz,	Mike Goffinet	Marvin Johnson,
Christian Bailey,	Diane Daniels,	Janet Goffinet,	Sonia Johnson,
LaQueeta Banks,	Gary Davila,	Aldwyn Gomez,	Tracy Johnson,
Edith Barham,	Wilford Deese,	DeLeur Gordon,	Minnie Jones,
Caitlin Blount,	Sofia Desantos,	Peter Gosch,	James Jordan
Kevin Bowman,	Sonia Diaz,	Jeanne Gray,	Jessica Jordan,
Aaron Brewington,	Toni Douglas,	Johnny Gray, Jr.,	James Josey,
John Brown,	Temaya Eatmon,	Donna Gregory,	Nelia Kimbrough,
Alexander Burdette,	Dierdra Edwards,	Dorothy Griffin	Jane Lawrence,
Tamiko Burgess,	Holloway Egan,	Melvin Griffin,	Brenda Lee,
Leroy Burrows	Yvonne Fears,	Cliff Gunthel,	Joni Lefter,
Cheryl Cianfrocco,	Jim Finn,	Geton Harper,	Freda Lipscomb,
Betty Chambers,	Evelyn Fortin,	Mary Harrison,	Hillary Lobban,
N'Dira Collier,	Winston Fouche,	Vicki Lynn Hogan,	Michael Lulejian
Elizabeth Cook,	Albert French,	William Jackson,	
Yolanda Corbett,	Karin Garcia,	Blanche Johnson,	

The deadline for bulletin content is Wednesday at 12:00 noon.

Please email cbell@lourdesatlanta.org. Bulletins are always available on our website: www.lourdesatlanta.org.

NEWS AT LOURDES

TAIZÉ PRAYER at Lourdes on Monday, January 25th, 8PM. The theme for this month is our oneness in the Lord who cares for the poor, the oppressed, the prisoners and all others at the edge of our society. Come to sing the beautiful chants, to meditate on the scriptures and to petition our God on behalf of all who are marginalized.

JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF PRAYER on Thursday January 28th, 7:00PM here at Lourdes, as we honor St. Thomas Aquinas. This is the 1st in an Evening Prayer Series celebrating the 800th Jubilee of The Order of Preachers (Dominicans) as they honor the four emblematic saints. Dr. Phillip Thompson, Executive Director of The Aquinas Center of Theology at Emory University will be the guest speaker.

HEALTH PROMOTIONS MINISTRY in conjunction with Emory Women's Heart Center, will host a Health Screening at Lourdes on Sunday, January 31st from 9:30AM -1:30PM in the Parish Hall. We invite all women of the parish to attend this event.

2016 LEGISLATIVE SESSION has begun. Do you know the name and contact information of your state legislators? You can find out online. Go to [My Voter Page](#), then log in at MVP. Follow the directions to find this very important information. The social action committee will be keeping you informed of upcoming legislation. Contact Beatrice Soublet at 404-629-9654 for more information.

JANUARY IS GLAUCOMA AWARENESS MONTH More than 2 million Americans age 40 and older suffer from glaucoma. Nearly half do not know they have the disease—it causes no early symptoms. If you notice any signs of potential eye problems, see an eye doctor for a complete eye exam. Even if you have no signs, regular eye exams are recommended.

LOURDES' BIRTHDAYS

January 24 Leslie Erikson Nyasha Lucky Rayford Tenner Willie Brown Jr.	January 26 Alexandra Washington Angela Harris Danielle Williams Ermine Gaspard Jolie Butts Jonathan Ramsey Linda Danavall Quinton Washington Reginald Griffith Stephen Lee William Odom	Anna Conner Cedric Bailey Cindy Curchar Gloria Dworet Jordan Murphy Margaret Casey Rachel Chimel Rone Olds January 28 Casey Byse Claudette Allen John Davies-Ryan Nicholas Wilson Sabrina Rene	January 29 Alastair Warner Janice Harrell Leona James Marie Humphrey Ravi Luster January 30 Alfred Bartholomai Brittany Wilkins January 31 Garrett Ruggiero Gerilyn Metoyer Robert Cannon
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Ministries & Organizations

Lisa Bufford, Junior Daughters
(678)362-6952

Lourdes Lunch
Tuesday & Thursday,
September-June
Thayes Sturgis, Coordinator
(404)375-0838

LAPS (Life After Pink Slips)
Charles Bowen, Coordinator
Info at www.lourdesatlanta.org

Life Issues
4th Sunday at 12PM
Ron Chandonia, Coordinator
(770)631-0060

Liturgy Committee
1st Monday at 7PM
Contact the Church Office

Lourdes Athletic Ministry
Kevin Rogers, Co-Coordinator
(404)704-7327

Lourdes Book Club
Carole Lacour, Coordinator
(404)629-0878

Men's Ministry
Lenny Alexander, Facilitator
404-644-7554

Parenting Ministry
Sunday at 10:00AM
P.J. Lemuel, Facilitator
(770)981-7226

Simon's Call (AIDS Ministry)
4th Sunday at 12 noon
Contact the Church Office

Social Action Committee
1st Sunday after the 10AM
Douglas Collins, 404 317 4057
doug1234@me.com

Stephen Ministry
Rosemary Jean-Louis, 678-641-9020

St. Vincent de Paul Society
1st & 3rd Sunday at 11:30AM
Joanne Breough,
SVDP Hotline – 678-892-6163

Women's Council
1st Sunday @ 10AM
Mizette Coakley, President
mizettecoakley@yahoo.com

Young Adult Group
Fridays at 7:30p
ollyagat@gmail.com

Young at Heart (Seniors)
Contact the Church Office