

ONE MAN PLAY "THURGOOD" with Lourdes parishioner Geoffery Williams, playing at Blazer Theatre, 84 Luckie St. NW. Atlanta, GA, 30303. Based on the life and career of the first African-American Supreme Court Justice, this riveting narrative charts Thurgood Marshall's evolution from back-alley Baltimore, to Howard University law school, to his fight for equality in the South, all the way to a seat on the highest court in the land in 1967. In addition to his victorious challenge of segregation in Brown vs. Board of Education, humorous and inspiring milestones of Marshall's journey reveal the remarkable brilliance, perseverance and hope of one of the greatest American heroes of all time.

FAITH IN ACTION-ATLANTA ARCHDIOCESAN BLACK CATHOLIC PASTORAL PLAN, Sunday, October 29, 2016, 9AM—5PM (Mass follows) at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 2560 Tilson Road, Decatur, GA 30032. Keynote Speaker will be Dr. Diana Hayes, Ph.D., STD, JD.

For the 3rd year in a row, the **HEALTH PROMOTIONS MINISTRY** is excited to offer free flu shots by Walgreens. A Walgreens pharmacist will be available to administer flu shots following each mass on Sunday, October 30th in the parish church hall. Stay healthy and protect yourself and those you love.

SAVE THE DATE!

Evening Prayer in honor of our patron Saint Martin de Porres, 7PM Thursday, November 3.

SAVE THE DATE! The Health Promotions Ministry will host its annual Health Fair on Sunday, Nov. 6th. This year's theme is Diabetes Awareness. More information is forthcoming.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER Journalists. That journalists, in carrying out their work, may always be motivated by respect for truth and a strong sense of ethics. **World Mission Day.** That World Mission Day may renew within all Christian communities the joy of the Gospel and the responsibility to announce it.

WEEKLY MASS AT ATLANTA VA MEDICAL CENTER All Catholics are invited to attend the weekly Monday Mass at the Atlanta VA Medical Center, 1670 Clairmont Road, Decatur, GA 30033. Mass begins at 11:30AM. Many of our Catholic veterans do not have family or visitors and look to the church for pastoral care. This weekly Mass is celebrated for the wellbeing and spiritual support of veterans from all branches. By attending Mass and through prayer, we show our appreciation for the dedicated service of our veterans, lifting their spirits in prayerful solidarity. For more information, please contact Fr. John Kieran at jckieran@gmail.com.

FERTILITY CARE/NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING This isn't your parent's old rhythm method! Learn more about your fertility, why the Church promotes Natural Family Planning (NFP), why NFP is 99% effective, and how it can positively impact your marriage (3% divorce rate!) My next Introductory Class is **Wednesday, November 9 at 7:00pm** at Christ the King (in Buckhead). To register or for more information on future classes, contact Ann Hall at 404-915-1685 or annlabar@hotmail.com **LET YOUR CHILD GROW WITH US!** IHM School will be hosting three Open Houses this year and we invite you to join us for one of the following: Tuesday, November 15, 9:00 - 10:30 am, Monday, December 5, 1:30 - 3:00 pm, Wednesday, January 25, 6:30 - 8:00 pm. To RSVP or request more information please call Meaghan Schroeder: 404-636-4488.

STS. PETER AND PAUL WOMEN'S COUNCIL AACCW invites all to our Annual Luncheon. Our theme for the day will be, Women Living Our Faith, Our Guest Speaker is Keisha Lancelin, Saturday October 15, 2016, at 12:30 - 2:00 pm, Petite Auberge, 2935 N. Ruid Hills Rd. NE. Price \$25, Contact Barbara Graham for tickets and info. 678 758 5884.

CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL'S OPEN HOUSE on Sunday, November 13, 2016, 2:00-4:00 pm, in Kenny Hall of the Cathedral of Christ the King. The Principal's presentation begins at 2PM, followed by student and parent lead tours. All teachers are present in the classrooms. Application packets for the 2017-2018 school year will be available for K-7th grades.

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

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OUR LADY of LOURDES
 CATHOLIC CHURCH

25 Boulevard, N.E.
 Atlanta, GA 30312
 404.522.6776
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TWENTY– NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 16, 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*

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
 Saturdays -4:00PM
 Sunday—8:30AM
 In RCIA Room 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—11:45AM
 Ages: 3 Months—4 Years Old

Teens: 10:30 AM—11:45 AM
 Contact: Samantha Smith
lourdesteens1912@lourdesatlanta.org

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

(OLL) Centennial Committee

ollcc100@gmail.com

Patrice Barton Smith, Co Chair

Psbartong01@gmail.com

Louis Hubbard, Co-Chair

dipdab80@sbcglobal.net

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

1st Mondays, 7:00PM

Lisa Berkley,

bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org

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 12:00PM

Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight

(404)427-1039

Quentin Hutchins, Jr. Knights

(404)438-1249

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

2nd Sunday at 12:00PM

Patrice Barton-Smith, Grand Lady

(678)371-2677



Today's Scripture Readings

Exodus 17:8-13; 2 Timothy 3:14, 4:2

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

Next Sunday's Readings

Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Gospel: Luke 18:9-14

Mass Intentions: **10AM** ~ For repose soul of †Wilder Randolph

12PM ~ For the repose soul of †Armando Carozza

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (10/9/16): \$20,106

Weekly Church Budget: \$26,197

2016 Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Lourdes Share: \$94,300

Total Pledged & Received: \$121,488

Amount Paid to Date: \$65,684

Outstanding Pledges: \$55,804

Thoughts on Stewardship

We cannot better assure our eternal happiness than by living and dying in the service of the poor, in the arms of Providence, and with genuine renunciation of ourselves in order to follow Jesus Christ.

- St. Vincent de Paul

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Bernice Malcom,	Lorraine Powell,	Regina Smith,	Barbara Waller,
Mary Lou Mathis,	Katie Price,	Terry Smith,	Jean Walker,
Yovan Marinkovic,	Lisa Price-Alexander,	Michelle Skrmetta,	Bobbie Ware,
Pierce McCarthy,	Willie Price,	Lori Sneed,	Sophia L. White,
Dorothy McClean,	Eisenhower &	John Soto,	Dawn Williams,
Beverly McEwan,	Rosario Raines,	Delia Spencer,	Gwendolyn Williams,
James McMullen,	Janey Reynolds,	Janet Stewart,	Sherran Winchester,
Angelo Mejia,	Rosalind Reynolds,	Ashley Stone,	Juliana Yang
Axel Mejia,	Shayla Robinson,	Eugene Sturgis,	
Chloe Miller,	Chris Rutherford,	Sr. Liz Sully,	
Beverly Mims,	Michelle Ryans,	Frankie Sweet,	
Ashton Montgomery,	Barbara Schenk,	Jean-Luc Tahou,	
John Moore,	Karla Schmidt,	Mary Tarrott,	
Elias Mustafa,	Jolette Shannon,	Brian Terrell,	
Peggy Neeson,	Alana Sheppard,	Terry Thompson,	
Nevels Family,	Devon Simmons,	Merlin Todd,	
Idalia O'Neal,	Lois Smith,	Andrew Vassil,	
Mazie Parker,	Renise Smith,	Denny Vavro,	
Darlene Perkins,	Ernestine Smith,	Marjorie Vieira,	
Lucy Piquant,	Malcom Smith,	Alan Vieira,	

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

THANK YOU Our Lady of Lourdes Atlanta Archdioces Council of Catholic Women (AACCW) would like to extend a heart-felt "thank you" to all those who purchased and or made a donation for Our Lady of Perpetual Help Home 2016 raffle ticket fundraiser.

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS Please call the office (404-522-6776) and ask for Lisa Berkley if you would like to volunteer in the Nursery. Nursery is open on Sundays from 9:45AM—11:45AM.

FORTUNATE AND FAITHFUL FAMILIES will host their annual retreat, "Invitation to Mercy," for Catholic parents who love and accept their LGBT children on Sunday, November 13 at the Chancery of the Archdiocese of Atlanta, 2401 Lake Park Dr., Smyrna 30080. The retreat will begin with check-in at noon followed by Mass, a presentation by renowned Christian ethicist and author David Gushee, a parent/priest dialogue, small group sharing, and will conclude with dinner and fellowship from 6-7:00 p.m. Suggested donation is \$25pp or \$40 per couple. For registration (by November 6 please!) visit ffatl.org or call 770-924-3920. This is an invitation you do not want to miss!

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 symptoms. 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.

THE FABULOUS FATHER'S PRIEST TALENT SHOW! Tickets Are On Sale NOW For A night filled with great entertainment, great food and lots of FUN! Tickets will sell fast! To Purchase your tickets visit www.rcahybrid.org and click the link to our Atlanta Show starring our very own Atlanta Fabulous Father's; Fr. Neil Dhabliwala, Fr. Brian Baker, Fr. Henry Atem, Fr. Tim Hepburn and Fr. Kevin Peek.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

October 16

Amira Parson
Austin Smith
Emma Butler-Coleman
Emily Tillery
Gloria Sebastien
Jackson Roach
John Miller
Judy Alexander
Leonard Hope
Marty Fashina
Patricia Paulino
Regina Hardin
Theresa Johnson
Virginia Penn
W. Jeffrey Beckham

October 17

Alessandro Francoso
Alyce Yorde
Brie Murray

October 18

Darren Connor
Emilia Francoso
Errol Mague
Jennifer Macke
Judith Vissman
Katelynn Villari
Kelli Sogan
Khadeja Johnson
Nathaniel Kiser
Shawon Golightly
Avery Berkley
Carmen Radley
Hazel Johnson
Hilary Lobban
Michelle Wilkinson
Mildred Smith
Sandra Jordan-Candis

October 19

Billye Mozee
Jaylen Metoyer
Natalie Turner
William Moon

October 20

Krystal Smith
Monica Pearson

October 21

David Roth
Jeffrey Bransford
June James
Katherine Caldwell
Lisa Bufford
Monique Brooks
Tracey Gomes
Yusef Eason

October 22

Adreyon Rose
Anne Haase
Brentley Dean
Caitlyn Jones
Ian Roach
Jennifer Obialo
Jim Swartz
Mark Becker
Maya Pettigrew
Meghan McMullen
Tricia Jones



Ministries & Organizations

Lisa Bufford, Junior Daughters
(678)362-6952

Lourdes Lunch

Tuesday & Thursday,

September-June

Thayes Sturgis, Coordinator

(404)375-0838

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

Mentoring Ministry

Louis Hubbard, Coordinator

dipdab80@sbcglobal.net

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 Leaders

Lenny Alexander (404)644-7554;

Fr. Jeffery Ott (404)997-3867

St. Vincent de Paul Society

1st & 3rd Sunday at 11:30AM

Joanne Breaugh,

SVDP Hotline -- (678-)892-6163

Women's Council

1st Sunday @ 9:30AM

Mizette Coakley, President

(404)983-0956

mizettecoakley@yahoo.com

Young Adult Group

Fridays at 7:30p

ollyagatl@gmail.com

Young at Heart (Seniors)

Contact the Church Office