

*Our Lady of Lourdes Monthly Calendar*

## June 2017 - Happy Father's Day

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>4 <i>Pentecost Sunday</i></b> RCIA 8:30A Women's Council 10A Social Action 11:30A SVDP Meeting 12P Simon's Call 12P Dancer's Open Rehearsal 2:30P	<b>5</b> <i>Ulitrya 7P</i> Zumba Class 7:15P	<b>6</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A Zumba Class 6:15P Lecteur Prep 7P Baptismal Class 7P	<b>7</b> Zumba Class 6:15P <i>AGLD Rehearsal 7:30P</i> <i>Bible Study 7:00P</i> Starbucks 650 Ponce De Leon Ave. Atlanta, GA. 30308	<b>8</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A JustFaith/Just Matters 6:30P Choir Rehearsal 7:00P <i>AGLD Rehearsal 7P</i> Zumba Class 7:15P	<b>9</b> Eucharistic Congress Mass 6:30P <i>Men's Ministry</i> <i>Movie Night 7:30P</i>	<b>10</b> AG Youth Dance Class 9:30A Adult Faith Formation 10:30A Pastoral Care Team 10A Erasmism 11A RCIA 4P Rosary 4:30P 5:00PM Eucharist
<b>11 <i>Trinity Sunday</i></b> Live Stream 10A Mass RCIA 9A KPC/KPCA Meeting 12P Jr. Daughters Meeting 3:00P Jr. Knights Meeting 1:30P	<b>12</b> Stephen Ministry 6:30PM Zumba Class 7:15P	<b>13</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A Zumba Class 6:15P	<b>14</b> Zumba Class 6:15P <i>AGLD Rehearsal 7:30P</i> <i>Bible Study 7:00P</i> Starbucks 650 Ponce De Leon Ave. Atlanta, GA. 30308	<b>15</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A JustFaith/Just Matters 6:30P Choir Rehearsal 7:00P Zumba Class 7:15P	<b>16</b> Eucharistic Congress Mass 6:30P <i>Men's Ministry</i> <i>Movie Night 7:30P</i>	<b>17</b> Eucharistic Congress Mass 8:30A Lourdes Walking Club 8:30A KPC Jr's Concession Stand 9A AG Youth Dance Class 9:30A ABBS Meeting 3P RCIA 4P Rosary 4:30P 5:00PM Eucharist
<b>18 <i>Corpus Christi</i></b> <b>Father's Day</b> <i>Breakfast served after all services in the cafeteria</i>	<b>19</b> Zumba Class 7:15P	<b>20</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A Zumba Class 6:15P	<b>21</b> Zumba Class 6:15P <i>AGLD Rehearsal 7:30P</i> <i>Bible Study 7:00P</i> Starbucks 650 Ponce De Leon Ave. Atlanta, GA. 30308	<b>22</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A Choir Rehearsal 7:00P <i>AGLD Rehearsal 7P</i> Zumba Class 7:15P	<b>23</b>	<b>24 T-Shirt Saturday</b> KPC Jr's Concession Stand 9A AG Youth Dance Class 9:30A PCH CPR/AED Training 10A Erasmism 11A RCIA 4P Rosary 4:30P 5:00PM Eucharist Graduation Weekend Belgens & Bookstore 6:30P
<b>25 T-Shirt Sunday</b> Graduation Weekend Bookstore & Belgens Live Stream 10A Mass Health Promotions Ministry Men's Event RCIA 8:30A Dancer's Rehearsal 1:30P Lay Dominicans 2P Life Issues 7P (conference Call)	<b>26</b> Stephen Ministry 6:30PM Zumba Class 7:15P <i>Taize Prayer Group 8:00PM</i>	<b>27</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A Zumba Class 6:15P	<b>28</b> Zumba Class 6:15P <i>AGLD Rehearsal 7:30P</i> <i>Bible Study 7:00P</i> Starbucks 650 Ponce De Leon Ave. Atlanta, GA. 30308	<b>29</b> Lourdes Lunch 11:30A Choir Rehearsal 7:00P <i>AGLD Rehearsal 7P</i> Zumba Class 7:15P	<b>30</b>	

*Save the Date*

*Sunday, June 10 ~ Adult Faith Formation Seminar ~10:30A*

*Sunday, June 18 ~ Father's Day ~ Breakfast served after all the Masses*

*Saturday, June 24 & Sunday June 25 ~ Graduation Sunday ~ All Masses*

*Sunday, June 25 ~ Health Promotions Ministry Men's Event ~ After 8A and 10A Masses*

*T-Shirt weekend ~ June 24/25*

## **Crazy Good Turns**

Pope Francis and Lourdes parishioner Brad Shaw are on the same page. In late April, the pope delivered a TED talk—sometimes called a “secular sermon”—via video to a gathering of technophiles and entrepreneurs in Vancouver, Canada, calling on each of them to “become a bright candle, a reminder that light will overcome darkness.” Critical to that effort, he said, was “educating people to a true solidarity” focused on the needs of “people who are cast aside in our techo-economic systems.”

A longtime volunteer in the Lourdes Lunch program, Brad Shaw is committed to that educational effort. Joined by his old boss from Home Depot, Brad founded a nonprofit podcast called Crazy Good Turns to tell stories about other nonprofits and help them raise funds. With soundtracks from promising new bands, the 20-minute podcasts have already publicized relatively unknown groups serving a range of needs—from middle-schoolers experiencing social isolation to gang members trying to get a new start in life.

### **A “LABOR OF LOVE” ON EDGEWOOD AVENUE**

One Crazy Good Turns group is based in the Lourdes neighborhood. The popular high-profile Edgewood Avenue restaurant, Staplehouse, is the for-profit subsidiary of a 501(c)(3) nonprofit called The Giving Kitchen, to which it contributes all of its net profits. The Giving Kitchen has provided nearly 700 Atlanta restaurant workers with emergency assistance grants to cover living expenses and other needs in times of crisis.

Brad Shaw recounts in his podcast that the inspiration for The Giving Kitchen came from a young chef, Ryan Hidinger, who died from cancer in 2014. Given community support to prolong his own life, Hidinger and his wife Jen proceeded with their dream of opening Staplehouse, determined to use the restaurant to assist Atlanta hospitality workers facing similar circumstances. “It’s a labor of love that’s a constant reminder of her loss but also a source of pure joy to Jen and the entire Staplehouse family,” Brad explains.

### **BEGINNING A REVOLUTION**

Crazy Good Turns podcasts aim at inspiring similar ventures. “We’re looking for people and organizations charting their own path to goodness,” say the CGT creators, “especially with interesting backstories and unexpected turns and twists . . . people who have gone above and beyond (and then some) to make the world a better place.” It’s a vision Pope Francis shared in his TED talk: “A single individual is enough for hope to exist, and that individual can be you. And then there will be another ‘you’ and another ‘you,’ and it will turn into an ‘us.’ . . . When there is an ‘us,’ there begins a revolution.”

Podcasts from **Crazy Good Turns** are available on iTunes, Stitcher, or the CGT website at <http://crazygoodturns.org/episodes/>





**June 17th 2017 at 8 AM**

## **2nd Annual Old Fourth Ward 5K**

**The only race that takes place exclusively in the  
Old Fourth Ward!**

**All proceeds benefit Hope-Hill Elementary School.**

**Peachtree Qualifier/USATF Certified**

**Start/finish at Historic Old Fourth Ward  
Park**

High-quality gender-specific t-shirt

Swag bag

Post-race raffle

Awards for all age groups

Strollers welcome

Festive finish line celebrations

Including King of Pops

All proceeds go to Hope-Hill  
Elementary School in Old Fourth  
Ward

**Sign up now to run, volunteer or donate at:**

**[www.o4w5k.com](http://www.o4w5k.com)**

(See other side for more information.)



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## What's the o4w5K?

It's **The Old Fourth Ward 5K Race**, the only race run entirely in the Old Fourth Ward. (It actually comes close to Lourdes as it goes through the MLK, Jr. Historic District.)

## What's the race's purpose?

To help **Hope-Hill Elementary** by raising money for Hope-Hill Elementary Foundation that funds programs at the school. Hope-Hill is the school down the street which is close to Lourdes. It's where **Our Lady of Lourdes** members help by mentoring students. (It's a great way to be of service if you're interested.)

## Why Hope-Hill Elementary?

Consider some statistics. **Over 90%** of its 430 pre-K through 5th grade students qualify for **free or reduced school lunches**. When last tabulated, **over 10%** of its students are **homeless**. **Hope-Hill needs our help** and this race is a good way to raise money for the school and its students.

## When is the race?

**June 17th, from 8:00 am until 10:30 am**

**You can participate by:**

- Signing up to run
- Volunteering to help with the race
- Making a donation

Go to [www.o4w5k.com](http://www.o4w5k.com) for more information and opportunities to be involved.



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