NEWS AT LOURDES

VIRTUS - PROTECTING GOD's CHILDREN TRAINING: The Archdiocese of Atlanta requires all clergy, employees and volunteers working with children and vulnerable individuals to complete the Virtus - Protecting God's Children Training, comprised of an online background screening and a 3 hour training session. Our Lady of Lourdes will host a VIRUTS training on Saturday, November 10, from 9AM - 12PM in the Parish Hall. To register for the session visit https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/ and to complete the online background screening portion email: Carol Ann Pinard (cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org).

USHER TRAINING: Saturday, November 10 from 12:30PM - 2:30PM for all ushers and anyone interested in being an usher are asked to attend. For more information please contact: Chris Davis (chrdavis4@yahoo.com).

"YOGA BY CHANDRA" continues every Saturday, 8:30AM - 9:30AM in the dance studio, here at Lourdes. This is an all levels class for those who want to experience yoga for the first time, and those who want to delve deeper into their own practice. Come out and join Chandra and your fellow Lourdes members. If you have any guestions, please call Chandra Fowler 678-591-0234. Classes are \$10.00.

'THE ROYALE' AT THE THEATRICAL OUTFIT: The current show running through November 4, The Royale, is a power packed 80 minute theatrical dazzler about Jack Johnson, the first heavyweight boxer to take the title away from the white man in 1908. Stylized theatricality in our historic intimate space, the struggle with "The Sport's" sister about what will happen to people of color when he wins, the brilliant direction and fight choreography of Patdro Harris (SIMPLY SIMONE and FLY also at TO) deliver a compelling dramatization on the eve of an election as to why we have to now win the war for a more perfect union. For a \$10 discount, Lourdes parishioners can use the code LOURDES. For more information and to purchase tickets visit http://www.theatricaloutfit.org/shows/the-royale/

THANKSGIVING MASS: Wednesday, November 21, at 7PM. All are welcome!

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.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR OCTOBER: The Missions of Religious - That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalized, and those who have no voice.

ST. PETER CLAVER REGIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOL, conveniently located at 2560 Tilson Road, Decatur, GA 30032, invites all prospective Pre-K to 8th grade students to attend an Open House on Friday, November 9 from 12PM -2PM. Come take a peek at the classes, take a tour of the school, and meet our wonderful students and staff! Visit our website www.spc-school.org for more information.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL cordially invites you to attend its annual **Open House** on Sunday, November 11. Mass is at 10AM and ongoing campus tours are from 11:00AM to 1:30PM. Come see why Our Lady of Mercy continues to be one of the top schools in the area for Academic Excellence while being the only high school to provide a comprehensive Catholic education south of I-20. We hope you take the leap of faith and come visit Mercy on November 11.

ST. PIUS X HOLIDAY MARKETPLACE: Saturday, November 17, 2018; 9AM -4PM at St. Pius X Catholic High School, 2674 Johnson Road, Atlanta, 30345. The 25th Annual Marketplace features 175 artists and craft vendors. Enjoy lunch at our café, and shop our selection of delicious baked goods & casseroles. Over 20 raffle prizes awarded each hour. Admission is \$3 and includes one raffle ticket. Parking is Free. All proceeds benefit the St. Pius need-based scholarship program.

> 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

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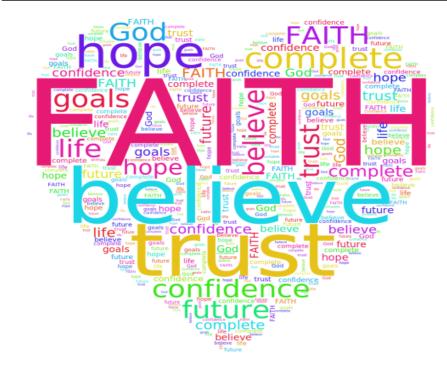
404.522.6776 www.lourdesatlanta.org

Office Hours: M-F 9AM - 6PM

Closed for Lunch: 1PM-2PM

October 28, 2018

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Parish Staff

Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P., Pastor

Rev. Bruce Schultz, O.P., Associate Pastor

Rev. Mr. Chester Griffin, Deacon

Rev. Mr. Lennison Alexander, Deacon

Rev. Mr. Kenneth Bell, Deacon

Mr. Kenneth Louis, Director of Liturgy and Music

Ms. Lisa Berkley, Business Manager/Bookkeeper

Ms. Carol Ann Pinard, Office Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Angela Massingale, Assistant to the Pastor

Mrs. Theresa Bowen, Director of Religious Education

Ms. Samantha Smith, Teen Ministry

Mr. Cong Dinh, Maintenance Supervisor

We are active

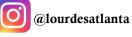
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We are LOURDES

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







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

Journey of Faith (RCIA)

1st & 3rd Sundays 11:30AM-1:30PM In RCIA Room - 3rd Floor Contact: Ms. Kimberly Parrish 404.247.6628/ kaparrish@hotmail.com

Nursery Hours

9:45AM - 11:45AM Ages: 3 Months - 4 Years old

Sunday School Classes

K - 7: Sunday: 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM Contact: Mrs. Theresa Bowen thebowens4@bellsouth.net

> Teens: 10:30AM - 11:45 AM Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith lourdesteens1912@gmail.com

Pastoral Care Team

Contact: Deacon Chester Griffin Lourdes Prayer Line: 678.235.5469 lourdespct@gmail.com

2nd Saturday of the month at 10AM



Join our online community on Flocknote by texting LOURDESATL to #84576 to sign up for a ministry and receive our weekly e-newsletter!

Ministries & Organizations

(OLLS) Alumni Association Janis Griffin, Coordinator ollsalumni@gmail.com

Amazing Grace Liturgical Dancers

Kenya Griffin, Director Wednesdays, 7:15PM-9:15PM; Sundays, 1:30PM Open Rehearsals every 2nd Sunday January - October at 2:30PM amazinggracedancecompany@gmail.com

Baby Boomers

Janine Brown: (301) 651-5953 jeanettajacobsmom@hotmail.com

Bible Study

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

Book Store

4th weekend after each Mass (Closed until further notice)

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 Reginald Grand-Pierre (404) 309-7670

Health Promotions Ministry

4th Sunday after the 10AM Mass (offsite)
Pamela Tolliver, Co—chair
pdtoll714@gmail.com; (678) 662-6427
Helen Tritschler, Co—chair
helen.tritschler@gmail.com

Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)

2nd Sunday at 12:00PM Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight (404) 427-1039

KPC Junior Knights

Matthew Amos, Junior Commander (404) 697-2421

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

2nd Sunday at 12:00PM Patrice Barton-Smith, Grand Lady (678) 371-2677

KPC Junior Daughters

Lisa Taylor, Counselor (678) 362-6952

Today's Scripture Readings

Jeremiah 31:7-9; Hebrews 5:1-6 Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

Next Sunday's Readings

Deuteronomy 6:2-6; Hebrews 7:23-28 Gospel: Mark 12:28b-34

Mass Intention: 5PM For the repose of the souls of †Earl Cole & †Percy Walker

For Mass Intention Requests:

Email your request to cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (10/21/18): \$32,230 Weekly Church Budget (New Fiscal Yr. 18 – 19): \$28,400

Consider setting up on-line giving today! Visit: <u>www.lourdesatlanta.org</u> to give or Text 'LOURDES' to 44321

2018 Archbishop's Annual Appeal "Go therefore and make disciples."

Lourdes Share: \$124,900
Total Pledged & Received \$126,185
Amount Paid to Date: \$84,118
Outstanding Pledges: \$42,067

Thoughts on Stewardship

I have been given the ability to make healthful changes to better serve God and benefit myself and those around me. How can I actively care for myself?

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen, Kennan Allen, Deborah Ambeau, Leonor Angarita, Saul Angarita Valencia, Brooke Bailey, Cherry Banez, Cherylle Bartholomew, Sandy Bell, Jerry Billingslea, Judy Brooks, David Brower, Edna Bryant, Luella Chambers, James Chisholm, Sam Cooper, Sallie Davenport,	Eileen DeWane, Temaya Eatmon, Mattie Ellison, Clinton Elmore, Rita Engelhardt, Mary Francis, Miriam Gotay, Tom Grant, Kenya Griffin, Barbara Hagan, Geton Harper, Rosa Holmes, Frank Howard, Cheryl Ismael, Ronald Jean-Louis, Blanche Johnson, James Jordan,	Linda Jordan, Ken Krautter, Felix Lawrence, Janet Lawrence, Thomas Lewis, Jim Macke, James McEwan, James McMullen, Peggy Neeson, Darlene Perkins, Lynette Porter, Katie Price, Eisenhower Raines, Josephine Rosario, Mildred Rucker, Grace Rutherford, Barbara Schenk,	Alana Shepard, Jesse Smith, Regina Smith, Larry Soublet, Janet Stewart, Wendy Stewart, Johnnie Strong, Eugene Sturgis, Jean-Luc Tahou, Michael Weber, Barney Wheeler
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The deadline for bulletin content is Wednesday at 12:00 noon.

Please email <u>cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org</u>. Bulletins and Inserts are always available on our website: <u>www.lourdesatlanta.org</u>.

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LOURDES CELEBRATES THE MONTH OF ALL SOULS: On the first two days of November each year, the Church commemorates two linked feast days: All Saints (November 1) and All Souls (November 2). On All Saints, we remember all those who have lived lives of heroic holiness, whether the Church has canonized them or not. On All Souls, we remember all those who have gone before us, marked with the sign of faith. From the earliest days the church has prayed for the deceased. Their judgment is in the hands of God, and we trust in God's mercy. But, we also believe that God cares about us and our concerns, so prayers for our deceased loved ones are appropriate. The feast of All Souls reminds us of our mortality. We are all finite, mortal creatures. We are all loved by God, who has endowed us with an immortal soul. Our ultimate destiny lies in God's hands, and even death does not separate us from his love. For the entire month of November, the Lourdes Family will pray for her beloved dead. You are asked to fill out a form that will be provided for all masses for the next two weekends. You are also asked to fill them out and return them either in the offertory or by handing them to an usher following Mass. They will be collected and placed on the Altar where we will pray for our beloved dead the entire month of November.

ALL SAINTS MASS: Thursday, November 1 at 7PM. All are welcome!

LECTOR PREP for the month of November will be held on **Saturday, November 3** at 10:30AM and Tuesday, November 6, at 7PM and in the church. All lectors are required to attend one session per month to remain active.

BAPTISMAL PREP for parents wishing to have their child (under the age of 6) baptized, will be held on **Tuesday, November 6, at 7PM**, in the St Augustine Room, 2nd Floor, KDCC Building. Please call the church office (404-522-6776) to **RSVP**.

STEPHEN MINSTER TRAINING: Are you a compassionate person and a good listener? Prayerfully consider becoming a Stephen Minister. New Training sessions commence on <u>Tuesday, November 6, 2018</u> and continues every Tuesday from 6PM - 8:30PM in the Parish Hall. The cost of the training is \$55 per person and covers books and materials. For more information contact: Stephen Ministry Leaders Deacon Lenny Alexander, Maureen Alexander or call the Church Office to register.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

Cathy Asemota Chere' Diggs David Waters Gregory Roberts Jessica Kline Marilyn Primovic Thomas Stracke October 29 Alanna Deigni Camy Maignan Brown Jerelyn Morton Kaaba Johnson Lorraine Wargo

Martha Storrs

Nayeli Fedullo

Olivia Volkert

Neil Brogan

Sabiya Rice

Celia Farmer
Jan Cecelia Kennedy
Laura Voisinet
Lawrence Harris
Lorie Hawkins
Malcolm Berkley
Parker Jennings

Stella Raio

October 30

Yvonne Keith

October 31

Danielle McKeithen
Eddie Bourgeois
Hayden Turner
Hollis Turner
Keeira Waddy
Laisha Washington

Leya Moore

Nikki Penda Quita Barton **November 1**

Michael Farry

Deacon Chester Griffin Ioe Scaramellino

Michelle Kow Natalia Byse Nicole Lee Nicole Tuggle Steven Camille Taurean Childs Ubachukwu Ibeanu

November 2

Anne Pheasant Dawn Bellard George Patterson Kalen Johnson Kelly Land Lauren Alexander Michael Kline Myron Porter Paulina Hernandez-Helm Peralte Paul

November 3

George Kennedy Kathryn Elmore Robert Greene Stephanie Corbitt Tineka Cromartie



Ministries & Organizations

Lourdes Lunch

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

Life Issues

Conference Call 4th Sunday at 7PM Ron Chandonia, Coordinator (770) 631-0060

Liturgy Committee

1st Monday at 7PM Contact: Kenneth Louis klouis@lourdesatlanta.org

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 lehubbard51@att.net

Parenting Ministry

Sunday at 10:30AM P.J. Lemuel, Facilitator (770) 981-7226

Simon's Call (AIDS Ministry)

Quarterly on 1st Sunday at 12PM
Janis Griffin

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, Chair SVDP Hotline (678) 892-6163

Women's Council

1st Sunday at 10AM Denise Hood, President (404) 752-9620

Young Adult Group

1st & 3rd Fridays at 7p Janni Buggs ollyagatl@gmail.com

Young at Heart (Seniors)

Contact the Church Office