

LOURDES T-SHIRT WEEKEND: Our next T-Shirt Weekend will be **Saturday, June 22 & Sunday June 23.**

CAMP NOW LEADERSHIP ACADEMY: The King Center is accepting Nominations and Applications for its Summer Youth Leadership Academy June 17 – 28, 2019. The Academy is designed to develop and enhance the leadership and conflict reconciliation skills based on Dr. King’s nonviolent philosophy and methodology, which is called Non-violence365™. The intense two week on campus experience prepares youth, ages 13 – 18, to be influential leaders and change agents for their schools, communities and the world. The Academy also includes a Civil Rights Tour of Montgomery, Selma and Birmingham, Alabama. The Academy persists beyond the 2-week on-site summer experience to include a 12 month follow-up plan with monthly in-person and virtual experiences. For more information, please e-mail leadershipacademy@thekingcenter.org or call (404) 526-8913.

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS 2019: Each year the Eucharistic Congress brings together Catholics from across the archdiocese and the country to celebrate the visible, living presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. The Archdiocese of Atlanta asks that you join us for this year’s Eucharistic Congress on **Friday, June 21 and Saturday, June 22** at the Georgia International Convention Center. The theme of the 2019 Eucharistic Congress comes from *Luke 22:19*, “*This is My Body Given Up for You.*” Let’s welcome the Lord, Who gave his life for us, into our hearts. Let’s allow Jesus to transform us, so we can become His hands and feet to go out into the world and spread the Good News.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CATHOLIC SCHOOL, a three-time National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence, is still accepting applications for 2019-2020 school year. Christ-centered Environment; Legacy of Academic Excellence; Dynamic Afterschool Program; Financial Aid available for active Catholic Families. Limited Space Available! Call 404-767-4312 or email: Admissions@sjecs.net for more information.

2019 KPCLA Prayer Breakfast! Saturday, July 27 at 9AM - Emory Conference Center Hotel, 1615 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA 30329. Theme: Rooted in Faith, Blooming for Christ. Donation: \$45.00 per person. Tickets are available from any member of Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary (Court 300).

MAY IS NATIONAL STROKE AWARENESS MONTH: Every 40 seconds, someone in the United States has a stroke; making it the fourth leading cause of death in the United States. A stroke, sometimes called a brain attack, occurs when a blockage stops the flow of blood to the brain or when a blood vessel in or around the brain bursts. Although many people think of a stroke as a condition that affects only older adults, strokes can and do occur in people of all ages. In fact, nearly a quarter of all strokes occur in people younger than age 65. The best way to lower your chances of having a stroke is to understand your level of risk, then take steps to decrease it. Know your **ABC’S** of health: **Appropriate Aspirin therapy** (Ask your doctor if taking aspirin is right for you); **Blood pressure control:** Keeping your blood pressure under control reduces your risk of heart attack and stroke; **Cholesterol management:** Get your cholesterol checked regularly and manage it with diet and physical activity or with medication, if needed. - **From The Health Promotions Ministry.**

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR MAY: *The Church in Africa, a Seed of Unity* – That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.

All women are invited to the **MAGNIFICAT PRAYER BREAKFAST** on Saturday, June 8, from 9:30AM - 12PM at Holy Cross Church, 3773 Chamblee Tucker Road, Atlanta. The guest speaker will be Jo Ann Rademacher, of St. Monica Church, Duluth, a secular Franciscan. Breakfast reservations, required in advance, are \$20. Register online at <https://tinyurl.com/y6szh8em> or mail check, payable to Magnificat Joyful Visitation, by June 3 to: Debbie DuPont, 315 Rose Court, SW, Lilburn, GA 30047. Check in at the door. For information, call Debbie DuPont at 770-696-6216.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAE ENCOUNTER: Married Couples: In today’s Gospel, Jesus says “Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you.” Bring peace into your marriage by attending the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend! The dates for upcoming Weekends are June 21-23 and August 9-11. You can get more information or apply online at GATN-wwme.org or by calling **678-242-WWME**. For information on Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial see enriquecetumatrimonio.org.

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

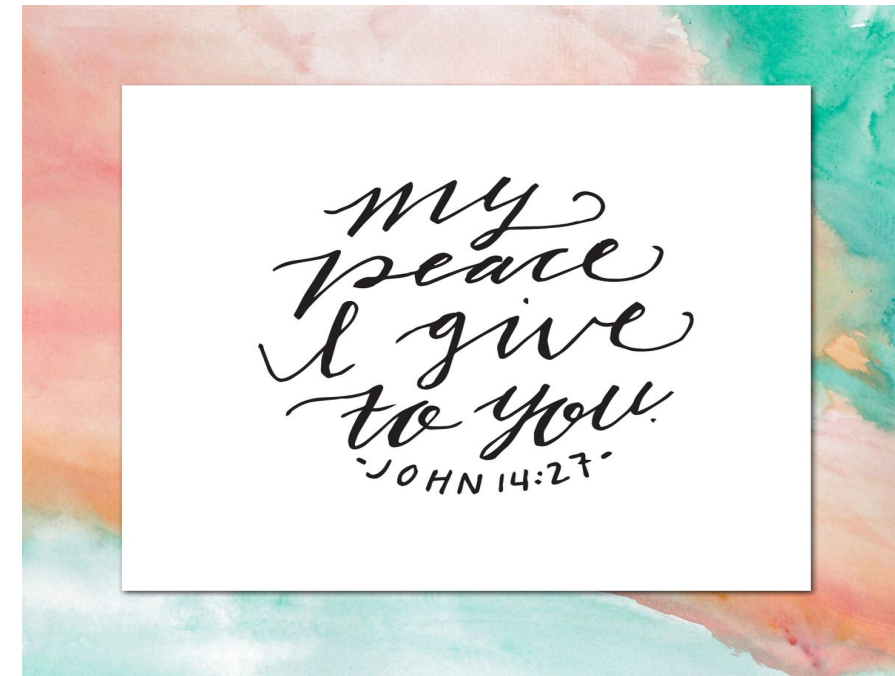
OUR LADY of LOURDES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

25 Boulevard, N.E.
 Atlanta, GA 30312
 404.522.6776
www.lourdesatlanta.org
 Office Hours: M-F 9AM - 6PM
 Closed for Lunch: 1PM-2PM

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 26, 2019



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
 We are committed
 We are LOURDES

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

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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
Classes resume in September

Nursery
 9:45AM - 11:45AM
 Ages: 3 Months - 4 Years old
On Break until September

Sunday School Classes
 K - 7: Sunday: 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
 Contact : Mrs. Theresa Bowen
 thebowens4@bellsouth.net
On Break until September

Teens: 10:30AM - 11:45 AM
 Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith
 lourdesteens1912@gmail.com
On Break until September

Pastoral Care Team
 Facilitator: Philip Verre
 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
(On Break)

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

Kwame Nyaku, Junior Commander
knyaku@gmail.com

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

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

KPC Junior Daughters

Lisa Berkley, Counselor
(404) 522-6776



Today's Scripture Readings

Acts of the Apostles 15:1-2,22-29; Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23
Gospel: John 14:23-29

Next Sunday's Readings(Ascension of the Lord)

Acts of the Apostles 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23
Gospel: Luke 24:46-53

Mass Intention: **5PM** For the repose of the souls of †Rodrick Gibson
8AM For the repose of the soul of †Nada Arnetha Frank
10AM For the repose of the soul of †Paul Weathers

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (05/19/19): \$28,854
Weekly Church Budget (New Fiscal Yr. 18 – 19): \$28,400

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

2019 Archbishop's Annual Appeal "Go therefore and make disciples."

Lourdes Share: \$104,300
Total Pledged & Received \$92,956
Amount Paid to Date: \$29,397
Outstanding Pledges: \$63,559

Thoughts on Stewardship

Life is simply a stewardship and not an ownership, a trust and not a gift.
With a gift you may do as you please, but with a trust you must give an
account. Whether it is my talents, my time, my treasure or the temple of
my body, in all of these I am only a steward. - D. L. Moody

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, Susie Bell, Jerry Billingslea, Zachary Billingslea, Addie Bowden, Basil Brooks, Judy Brooks, David Brower, Edna Bryant, Luella Chambers,	James Chisholm, Sam Cooper, Muriel Cureau, Sallie Davenport, Eileen DeWane, Joanne Doute-Couper, Temaya Eatmon, Clinton Elmore, Rita Engelhardt, Mary Francis, Miriam Gotay, 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, Maridel Moffet, Peggy Neeson, Lynette Porter, Katie Price, Eisenhower Raines, Benny Ricard, Josephine Rosario, Mildred Rucker,	Grace Rutherford, Barbara Schenk, Alana Shepard, Regina Smith, Larry Soublet, Janet Stewart, Wendy Stewart, Johnnie Strong, Eugene Sturgis, Sargiena Thomas, Jean-Luc Tahou, Barney Wheeler
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The deadline for bulletin content is Wednesday at 12:00 noon.

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

NEWS AT LOURDES

LOURDES OFFICE will be closed on Monday, May 27, for the Memorial Day holiday.
We will re-open on Tuesday, May 28 at 9AM.

CONGRATULATIONS to our newly commissioned Stephen Ministers: Carolina Harris,
Emily Kruse, Deacon Kenneth Bell, Kaspal Thumma and Janice Wallace. They join
our existing team of Stephen Ministers who have been trained to be there for you,
to walk with you and care for you in your difficult times. We thank them for answer-
ing the call to serve our community. We encourage all parishioners who are experi-
encing any of life's concerns and finding it hard to cope, to take advantage of this
wonderful ministry. You can call the church office at **404- 522-6776**, state that you
are interested in having a Stephen Minister and a Stephen Leader will return your
call.

TAIZÉ PRAYER: There will be **no Taizé prayer** this **Monday, May 27**, Memorial Day.
The next Taizé prayer will be held on **Monday, June 24 at 8PM** and we look forward
to sharing the prayer with many of you.

LECTOR PREP for the month of May will be held **Saturday, June 1 at 10:30AM** and
Tuesday, June 4, at 7PM. Both sessions will be held 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 (6 years and under) bap-
tized, will be held on **Tuesday, June 4, at 7PM**, in the St Augustine Room, 2nd
Floor, KDCC Building. Please call the church office (404-522-6776) to **RSVP**.

LOURDES NEWS: We're delighted to announce that Lourdes has been given a be-
quest from the estate of the late, Joyce Cutshaw Tallman. The bequest will be used
to fund a special program to help those in need. Joyce gave the bequest to honor
her desire to help the less fortunate and to honor her long-time friendship with Fa-
ther Bruce. May God grant her and all of our dear departed ones eternal rest. Be-
quests and other planned gifts to benefit Lourdes both now and in the future can be
made through the Catholic Foundation of North Georgia. For more information, vis-
it www.cfnga.org/donors/ or contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation
jgreco@cfnga.org or 404-497-9440.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

May 26

Alyssa Waddy
Jody Hatcher
Kristin Mize
Malcolm Laurent Sr.
Marcel Benoit III
Martin Williams
Maureen Kelly
Stone Miller
Victoria Calvert

May 27

Beth Ann Herndon
Erwin Shatzen
Karyn Tiller
Kathleen Sanon
Kevin O'Gara Jr.
Michael Allowitz
Myron Cahill
Nicele Summers
Sandra Bridgeman
Sydney Jones

May 28

Addison Sublett
Beatrice Soskin
Bryson Bien
Catherine Crosby
Dana Duncan
Dorothy Stephenson
Gillian Turner Hines
Kim Colossale
Leslie Haydel
Racquel Quarless
Tiffanye Davenport
Walter Conway

May 29

Allison Lane
Ashlee Spraggins
Ivo Vissenberg
Jeffrey Zokovitch Jr.
Mary Volkert
Norman Carmichael
Obinna Ogene

Paris Wood

May 30

Candy Coveney
Chardia Mason
Diana Hayes
Kaniqua Robinson
Kennan Allen
Moraima Ivory
Nancy Desousa Williams
Nancy Jamison
Steven Benjamin
Sydney Honore

May 31

Candice Cannon
Dawn Castro
Laura Guerin
Melanie Archie
Nowel Holmes
Tiffany Ireland
Timothy Sullivan

June 1

Audria McMullins
Danielle Lucas
Edowaye Asemota
Francisco Fedullo
Jarrod Huey
Henry Pastel
Lauren Davis
Luetta Brooks
Michael Anderson
Michelle Gould
Peregrine Devine
Ralph Woolfolk III
Stephen Scarborough
Susan Belmonte
Sylvia Cora
Sydney Galtney
Yvette Youngblood



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

Deacon Kenneth Bell, Facilitator
Contact the Church Office

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

Lennison 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
(On Break)

Young at Heart (Seniors)

Contact the Church Office