NEWS AT LOURDES

FAITH FORMATION SUMMER SERIES: An exciting, spiritually enriching and educationally rewarding 4 day series of Adult Faith Formation classes will be held on Monday August 19, Thursday August 22, Monday August 26 and Thursday August 29, 2019. The classes are sponsored by Our Lady of Lourdes Adult Faith Formation Ministry and will be held in the Katharine Drexel Parish Hall from 6PM - 7:30PM. The lecturer will be Lourdes own Kathleen O'Conner, PhD, theologian and retired university professor. Dr. O'Conner will lecture on Genesis Chapters 37 - 50 and will focus on four main areas that mirror the realities of our lives today: Slavery, Immigration, Incarceration and Family Mess. The total cost of the seminar is \$40 per person which covers class materials and food. Register online at www.lourdesatlanta.org click Give and select Adult Faith Formation. You may register by mail making your check payable to Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church. Deadline to Register is Sunday August 18.

LOURDES T-SHIRT: Pre-ordered T-Shirts, can be collected at the church office: Monday - Friday, 9AM - 6PM except between 1PM - 2PM when we are closed for lunch. We have a limited number of extra Adult (M, L, XL, 2XL and 3XL) and Children's (S and M) T-shirts available. Please contact the Church Office to reserve, as T-shirts will be given on 'First come; First serve'. Our final T-Shirt weekend for Summer 2019 is Saturday, August 31/ Sunday September 1.

2019 AIDS WALK ATLANTA & MUSIC FESTIVAL! Sunday, September 29 at Piedmont Park. This year there is an earlier start to the event. On-Site Registration opens at 9:30AM with the Opening Ceremony to begin at 11AM. The 5K Run begins at 11:30AM with the Walk stepping off at 11:45AM. The Music Festival is scheduled to begin at 2PM.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION DAY OF REFLECTION: Thursday, August 15 from 9AM - 3PM at Ignatius House Jesuit Retreat Center - 6700 Riverside Dr. NW Atlanta, GA. "Behold your Mother: A Day about Mary". The centerpiece of this day of reflection is the Mass of the Assumption. In reflections before and after we will look at this loving woman who remains present with us and who will bring us, if we ask, to her Son, and with him to the God he calls Abba. Come join us in prayer and loving silence as we see her in scripture and in the many songs that rejoice in whom God called her to be. Through her let God dwell in your heart and speak tenderly his love and commitment to you. Directed by Fr. Peter Fink, SJ Register at www.lgnatiusHouse.org or phone 404-255-0503

ESTATE PLANNING IS FOR EVERYONE will be held at The Catholic Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, located at 48 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta, 30303 on Sunday, August 18, 2019 at 9:30 a.m. Stephen Weyer, an estate-planning attorney and a parishioner at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church will present this program, co-hosted by the Catholic Foundation. This program provides an overview of the basic documents of estate planning: Wills, Advance Directives for Healthcare, and Financial Powers of Attorney. Other matters to be discussed include beneficiary designations and charitable gift planning. Attendees will receive information needed to start the process of practical and values-driven estate planning. For information and to RSVP, please call Jacqueline Bustin, at 678-390-4171.

YOU'RE INVITED: Blood Cancer Conference Georgia 2019 hosted by the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society - Saturday, September 7 from 9AM - 3PM at Renaissance Waverly 2450 Galleria Parkway, Atlanta GA 30339. This is a FREE Educational conference for Patients, Survivors, Caregivers and Healthcare professionals. Pre-registration for this free conference is required and if your plans change after and you are unable to attend please cancel your reservation.

AUGUST IS NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION AWARENESS MONTH: This the perfect time to promote immunizations and remind family, friends, and coworkers to get caught up on their shots. Immunizations (or vaccinations) aren't just for babies and young kids. We all need shots to help protect us from serious diseases and illness. Everyone age 6 months and older needs a seasonal flu shot every year. Talk to your doctor or nurse about which shots you and your family need.- From The Health Promotions Ministry

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POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST: Families, Schools of Human Development. That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth."

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404.522.6776 www.lourdesatlanta.org Office Hours: M-F 9AM - 6PM Closed for Lunch: 1PM-2PM

NINETEENTH 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

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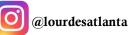
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We are LOURDES Be active. Your time, your talent, your Church







August 11, 2019

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

9:45AM - 11:45AM Ages: 3 Months - 4 Years old On Break for Summer

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 for Summer

> **Teens:** 10:30AM - 11:45 AM Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith lourdesteens1912@gmail.com On Break for Summer

> > **Pastoral Care Team**

Facilitator: Philip Verre Contact: Deacon Chester Griffin Prayer/Visit: call: 678.235.5469 lourdespct@gmail.com

2nd Saturday of the month at 10AM On Break until September



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 Tuesday, 7PM Fr. Jeffery Ott, Facilitator: (404) 522-6776

Book Store

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

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

1st Mondays, 7:00PM Lisa Berkley, bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org

Dream Green Team

Chandra Frank Fowler, chanefrank@gmail.com

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



Wisdom 18:6-9; Hebrews 11:1-2;8-19 Gospel: Luke 12:32-48

Next Sunday's Readings

Jeremiah 38:4-6,8-10; Hebrews 12: 1-4 Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

Mass Intention: **8AM** For the repose of the soul of †Vickie Lynn Hogan **10AM** For the repose of the soul of †Roger "Dan" Williams

Lourdes Stewardship

Church Support (08/04/19): \$25,801 Weekly Church Budget (Fiscal Yr. 19 – 20): \$28,400

Consider setting up on-line giving today!

Visit: www.lourdesatlanta.org click on the 'Give' tab or

Text your donation amount to '404-649-5276' and hit 'send'

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

Lourdes Share: \$104,300
Total Pledged & Received \$122,086
Amount Paid to Date: \$52,888
Outstanding Pledges: \$69,198

Thoughts on Stewardship

Assume the best of each other. The only wrong answer is to stop trying.

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen, Luella Chambers, Blanche Johnson, Benny Ricard, Josephine Rosario, Kennan Allen, Sam Cooper, James Jordan, Deborah Ambeau, Muriel Cureau, Linda Jordan, Mildred Rucker, Leonor Angarita, Sallie Davenport, Grace Rutherford, Ken Krautter, Saul Angarita Valencia, Eileen DeWane, Felix Lawrence, Barbara Schenk, Brooke Bailey, Joanne Doute-Couper, Janet Lawrence, Alana Shepard, Cherry Banez, Temaya Eatmon, Thomas Lewis, Regina Smith, Cherylle Bartholomew, Clinton Elmore, Jim Macke, Larry Soublet, Sandy Bell, Rita Engelhardt, James McEwan, Janet Stewart, Susie Bell, Mary Francis, James McMullen, Wendy Stewart, Jerry Billingslea, Miriam Gotay, Maridel Moffett, Johnnie Strong, Zachary Billingslea, Kenya Griffin, Bill Moon, Eugene Sturgis, Deanna Blasingame, Barbara Hagan, Mary Moon, Fritz Thomas, Addie Bowden, Geton Harper, Peggy Neeson, Virgie Thomas, Basil Brooks, Evelyn Olds, Jean-Luc Tahou, Rosa Holmes, Judy Brooks, Frank Howard, Lynette Porter, Barney Wheeler David Brower, Cheryl Ismael, Katie Price, Edna Bryant, Ronald Jean-Louis, Eisenhower Raines,

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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RECURRING ONLINE OFFERING: We are asking members who currently have recurring online donations to cancel your current recurring offering by emailing: Lisa Berkley (bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org no later than Friday August 30. Please visit: www.lourdesatlanta.org click on the 'Give' tab and complete the donation form or download the Online Giving App (see notice board for QR code) to reinstate your recurring donation.

LOURDES GREEN TEAM: Did you know? Care of God's Creation is one of the seven themes of Catholic Social Teaching. We show our respect for the Creator by our stewardship of creation. Care for the earth is not just an Earth Day slogan, it is a requirement of our faith. We are called to protect people and the planet, living our faith in relationship with all of God's creation. This environmental challenge has fundamental moral and ethical dimensions that cannot be ignored. Lourdes Green Team will soon be announcing a way for us to participate in this challenge as a community in September.

LEADERSHIP FOR LIFE ISSUES: For the past 12 years, our Lourdes Life Issues Committee has proudly supported the Catholic Church's consistent ethic of respect for life. As mandated by the US bishops, our group's task is "teaching respect for all human life from conception until natural death, and organizing for its protection, especially on behalf of those who are unborn, disabled, elderly, dying, or facing the death penalty." To help the Lourdes family continue addressing such potentially contentious concerns in a loving Christian spirit, we are seeking new leadership to organize and direct the work of our Life Issues team. Interested? Please email Father Jeffery at jott@lourdesatlanta.org at your earliest convenience.

EXCITING NEWS: The Health Promotions Ministry (HPM) is excited to present a second AED!! It is with your support of the Farmer's Markets and the generosity of HPM member, Mcarthur Cadet, and his wife, Denine, that we now have this lifesaving device in the Katharine Drexel Center. Training on the unit and CPR will be available soon. We are so grateful for your support!

JOURNEY OF FAITH (RCIA) INQUIRY SESSION for anyone interested in becoming Catholic will be held next **Sunday, August 25 at 11:30AM.** This session will be held in the RCIA Room on 3rd Floor in the Drexel Center.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

August 11 Amber Crawford Farrah Coleman Jullian Nash Michelle Turner Randy Abbott Zeke Saviello August 12 Charlie Hickey Dominic Fernandez Evette Bradford Gloria Manson Jala Dillard Janet Stewart Kieran Ferguson

Lekeisha Johnson

Leotha Eaglin

Mary Bahati Michele Hlavsa Tasgola Bruner Tiffany Yarn **August 13** Anthony Wood

Lucas Lopez

Anthony Woods George Simpson Noree McCord Regina Stephens Rwanda Holmes

August 14 Aba Rogers Alfonso Hernandez Artiane Saintil Bryce Honore Donar Thomas Lorraine Bell Maddox Williams Muriel Coles

August 15
Derek Baudy
Hillary Wilson
Madison Banks
Matthew Clauss
Michele Hudgins
Mikhaela Singleton
Tanjia Jackson

August 16

Addison LePlatte Aidan Brown Clifton Hadley Clinton Brooks Gillian Beckford Kerra Kelly Kyle Paul Matthew Stracke Tiger Dawson

August 17

Anaya Titus Deidre Smith Grant Lipscomb Jamez Wiley Joya Harris Lewanna Rucker Teneliaa Pouncey



Ministries & Organizations

KPC Junior Daughters Lisa Berkley, Counselor (404) 522-6776

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

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 at Heart (Seniors)
Contact the Church Office