

NEWS AT LOURDES

THE CHURCH OFFICE is closed to visitors, however, Lourdes staff are available by phone (404-522-6776) and email, **Monday- Friday from 9AM - 6PM, except from 1PM - 2PM** when we are closed for lunch.

LOURDES NOTES' E-NEWSLETTER (FLOCKNOTE) - We would like to encourage all members with email access to sign up to receive our 'Lourdes Notes' E-newsletter (Flocknote). The link to sign up for Flocknote can be found near the bottom of our home page www.lourdesatlanta.org captioned 'Socialize with us on Flocknote'. Please enter your full name when registering.

OFFERTORY/STEWARDSHIP: We humbly appeal to you to please keep sharing your weekly offering (online or by mail) so that we can pay our hardworking staff and meet financial obligations. You can text your donation amount to 404-649-5276, OR you can visit the Lourdes website www.lourdesatlanta.org; click on the 'Give' tab and complete the 'Online Giving Form' select the fund 'Offertory 2020'. You may also send in your gifts via USPS, to Our Lady of Lourdes, 25 Boulevard NE, Atlanta, GA 30312. Your donation supports the mission of Lourdes. **Please note due to COVID - 19 the office is closed and receiving mail once a week right now so we strongly encourage online giving.** Thank you for your generosity.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS MONTH: June 2020 has been designated as the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Atlanta Human Trafficking Awareness Month. From the substantially increased time we are spending in isolation and online to the economic fallout being faced by many in our communities, from the pornography crisis to the increased numbers of poor and vulnerable - now is a key time for us all, as individuals and as Church, to educate ourselves about sex and labor human trafficking. While it may seem like a problem too large to solve, there are steps we can all take to start making a change. This June, Catholics in North Georgia are being encouraged to spend at least one hour of their time to become more educated about sex and labor human trafficking. We have partnered with the International Human Trafficking Institute (IHTI) to offer three courses tailor made for our Catholic community in North Georgia. For more information: <https://archatl.com/ministries-services/justice-and-peace-ministries/issues/human-trafficking/> or contact Kat Doyle, Director of Justice and Peace Ministries, at kdoyle@archatl.com or 404-920-7897. **National Human Trafficking Hotline 1-888-373-7888.**

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR JUNE: *The Way of the Heart* -We pray that all those who suffer may find their way in life, allowing themselves to be touched by the Heart of Jesus.

CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF NORTH GEROGIA - "Love never ends." - 1 Corinthians 13:8 - The love for your parish can live on forever when you include the parish endowment fund in your will. The parish endowment fund ensures the vitality of your parish long into the future. To request a free will planner, contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at jgreco@cfnga.org or go to cfngalegacy.org to learn more.

THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ATLANTA is accepting applications for **substitute teachers** for the 2020-2021 school year. Candidates for the positions of substitute classroom teachers must either possess a current teaching certificate, from Georgia or another state, or complete the validation process training sponsored by the Office of Catholic Schools. Interested candidates should submit a letter of interest and resume to the Archdiocese of Atlanta Catholic school nearest them (see directory here: <https://archatl.com/offices/catholic-schools/catholic-schools-directory/>) or contact Dr. Connie Urbanski at curbanski@archatl.com. **No phone calls please.**

MARY OUR QUEEN CATHOLIC CHURCH has an immediate opening for a part-time **parish administrative assistant** to serve as the initial contact for those visiting the parish office, as well as to provide administrative support to the parish and parish staff, volunteers and parishioners. The incumbent will be expected to work three (3) days (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) and up to a maximum of 18 hours per week. Qualified candidates must possess: high school diploma or GED and a minimum of two to three years of related work experience, preferably in a church setting. Strong computer skills are a must with intermediate knowledge in Microsoft Office Software (Outlook, Publisher, Word and Excel). Candidates should be able and willing to learn new software. Strong organ-

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

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD

June 14, 2020



Celebration of the Eucharist
Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:30 AM
and 12:30 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: 4:30 PM
and by appointment

Rosary
Saturday: 4:30 PM

Journey of Faith (RCIA)
1st & 3rd Sundays 9:30AM-11:30PM
In Parish Hall
Contact: Ms. Kimberly Parrish
404.247.6628/kaparrish@hotmail.com
ON SUMMER BREAK

Religious Education
Contact: Mrs. Theresa Bowen
Director of Religious Education
thebowens4@bellsouth.net
ON SUMMER BREAK

Sunday School Classes
K - 7: Sunday: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Teens: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM
Contact: Ms. Samantha Smith
Teen Ministry Coordinator
lourdesteens1912@gmail.com
ON SUMMER BREAK

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



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

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*

Rooted in African-American Catholic history, Lourdes celebrates the Living Word of God, embraces inclusiveness, and inspires social action.

We are active
We are committed
We are LOURDES

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



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Ministries & Organizations

(OLLS) Alumni Association
Calvin Washington, President
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

October 14, 2019 - March 23, 2020
Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P. &
Julian Reid - Facilitators
(404) 522-6776

Book Store

Lisa Berkley
404-522-6776

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

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

Dream Green Team

Chandra Frank Fowler,
chanefrank@gmail.com; 678-591-0234

Finance Council

Quarterly Meetings
Dawn Leaner-Hall, Chairperson

Haiti Ministry

3rd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Reginald Grand-Pierre
(404) 309-7670

Health Promotions Ministry

4th Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Dana Avist, Co-chair
davisto313@att.net
Danielle Williams, Co-chair
danielle_wms@live.com

Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)

2nd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight
earoberts3@outlook.com

KPC Junior Knights

Kwame Nyaku, Junior Commander
knyaku@gmail.com

KPC Ladies Auxiliary

2nd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Patrice Barton-Smith, Grand Lady
(678) 371-2677



Today's Scripture Readings

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a ; 1 Corinthians 10:16-17
Gospel: John 6:51-58

Next Sunday's Readings

Jeremiah 20:10-13; Romans 5:12-15
Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33

Mass Intention at 10:30AM Livestream Mass:

For the repose of the soul of †Anthony Lucas
For the repose of the soul of †Carolyn Read
For the repose of the souls of †Mathilda and Greene Pannell

Lourdes Stewardship

Weekly Church Support (06/06/20 - 06/12/20) \$42,199

Mailed in Offertory (06/06/20 - 06/12/20) - \$29,621

Online Giving (06/06/20 - 06/12/20) - \$12,578

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'

2020 Archbishop's Annual Appeal "You are the light of the world."

Lourdes Share: \$113,300

Amount Paid to Date (06/12/20): \$46,840

Please visit <https://archatl.com/appeal/> for more information or to donate on-line.

Thank you for your generosity.

Thoughts on Stewardship

"In the end, everything has been entrusted to our protection,
and all of us are responsible for it.
Be protectors of God's gifts!"

~ Pope Francis

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen,	Mary Francis,	Felix Lawrence,	Josephine Rosario,
Kennan Allen,	Kimberly George,	Janet Lawrence,	Mildred Rucker,
Cherry Banez,	Miriam Gotay,	Dawn Leaner-Hall,	Grace Rutherford,
Cherylle Bartholomew,	Chester Griffin,	Thomas Lewis,	Barbara Schenk,
Cynthia Frazier,	Kenya Griffin,	Shirley Lucas,	Alana Shepard,
Sandy Bell,	Barbara Hagan,	James McEwan,	Regina Smith,
Susie Bell,	Jonathan Hankerson,	James McMullen,	Larry Soublet,
Jerry Billingslea,	Geton Harper,	Brendan Milton,	Janet Stewart,
Deanna Blasingame,	Frank Howard,	Maridel Moffett,	Wendy Stewart,
David Brower,	Jackson Igou,	Peggy Neeson,	Johnnie Strong,
Frederick Cannon,	Ronald Jean-Louis,	Evelyn Olds,	Eugene Sturgis,
Luella Chambers,	James Jordan,	Lynette Porter,	David Sweet,
Sam Cooper,	Linda Jordan,	Katie Price,	Fritz Thomas,
Muriel Cureau,	Albert Judge,	Eisenhower Raines,	Virgie Thomas,
Sallie Davenport,	Marilyn Kapaun,	Libby Ricard,	Jean-Luc Tahou,
Eileen DeWane,	Charlotte Keller,	Thomas Rogers,	Alva Wood

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.

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LOURDES GRADUATES - CLASS OF 2020!!! Lourdes would like to honor and celebrate the accomplishments of our Class of 2020 graduates. If you would like to recognize your high school, college, or trade school graduates in the Lourdes Notes as well as during the Live-Streaming Sunday Liturgy, we are asking graduates to:

- Complete the grad info survey found at this link:

<https://hello776547.typeform.com/to/errAQ3>

- Submit a picture or video to this Dropbox link: **(one still photo or one video per Grad)** <https://www.dropbox.com/request/iRMzgU1FYqny1ApE3oGb>

Picture and Video specifications can be found on Bulletin Insert dated June 14, 2020. **Deadline for submissions: Saturday, June 20, 2020**

SUSPICIOUS EMAILS/TEXTS: Periodically Lourdes Members and staff have reported receiving emails and or text messages from Father Jeffery asking for money, gift cards and or other assistance. While the name associated with the emails/text may seem familiar, please do not respond to these requests. They are not legitimate! Kindly ignore and immediately delete them. If ever in doubt about the legitimacy of any email, please call the office (404-522-6776).

YOU ARE INVITED! Aquinas Center at Candler School of Theology - Emory University invites you to an online webinar entitled **'Healthcare Work as a Vocation: Service in a Time of Pandemic'** on **Tuesday, June 30** from 1PM -2PM. The webinar will feature a panel of healthcare professionals including **Lourdes own, Dr. Eric Flenaugh**, who will reflect on their personal experience of the COVID-19 pandemic and consider how it has challenged or strengthened their sense of vocation, or mission. The event is **free** but registration is required. For event details and registration <https://bit.ly/HealthcareVocation>.

TUTORING SERVICES!! Many of our students education have been impacted due to the pandemic and distance learning. Sometimes having that one-on-one support is the extra boost a child needs in the summer to get ready for the next school year. Lourdes member and elementary school teacher, Akua Peprah is offering Math support to 2 elementary age students (Kindergarten through 5th grade) at no cost. Each student will have 5 online sessions (30 - 45 minutes each) and parents will receive notes after each session. Akua currently teaches 5th grade and has been teaching students in kindergarten through fifth grade for the past ten years. For more information email Akua Peprah at akuapeprah@gmail.com.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

June 14 Carmelita Rogers Laura Willis Quentin Hutchins	Jozetta DeJean Selina Okonokhua Terri Leftwich Will Cowan	June 18 Darryl Bufford, Jr. Donna MCDowell Dorothy Myles Kevin Fowler Margaret Jones Mildred Harrell Philip Roy	Noah Armour Maria Chukka Rodney Hogan Yvonne Fuller-Jones
June 15 Kevin Cronin Preston Stanberry Timothy Schlairet Valentino Luscap Jr.	June 17 Arlice Prince Ayanna DeSilva Dallin Randolph Dawna Fuqua-Whitley Edgar Breaux Elias Washington Julius Morgen Kea Jones Kristy Mugavero Nshimirimana Aline	June 19 Angelina Fennell Dmitri Nunan John Stringer Jordan Crawford McCray Josie Gould Justin Miller Kevin Rogers Sr.	June 20 Elisa Kunz Gino Bailey Jean-Gustave Penda Olivia Bransford

Happy
Birthday

Ministries & Organizations

KPC Junior Daughters
Lisa Berkley, Counselor
jrdaughterscourt300@gmail.com
(404) 522-6776

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

Life Issues
Conference Call 4th Sunday at 7PM
Kayellen Umeakunne, Coordinator
lourdesforlifeissues@gmail.com

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
404-522-6776

Mentoring Ministry
Louis Hubbard, Coordinator
lhubbardatl@yahoo.com

Parenting Ministry
Sunday at 9:30AM
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 10:30AM
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