

EMPOWER BY FOOD: FREE LIVE AND ON-DEMAND CLASSES: Tuesday, May 25 - Tuesday, July 13, 2021, 4PM -5PM EST (1PM-2 PM PT) weekly on Tuesdays. Improving your health can be as easy as deciding what you put on your plate! Join The Physician's Committee for Responsible Medicine, nutrition experts and weekly guests who will empower you with practical tips and inspiration to eat more plant-based foods for better health in this free class series. They will explain why and show you how to meal plan and get healthy as a household! Register now www.PCRM.org/NutritionClass! Take advantage of these weekly classes with a supportive friend or family member and watch recordings of anything you missed in the series.

ALIVE & IN COLOR is a Covid-19 community outreach initiative from Fulton County, Fulton County Board of Health, and The BLK+Cross. It's about engaging trusted community stakeholders and advocates to meet at-risk communities of color where they are. It's about incorporating simple behaviors into our everyday lives to halt the spread of the novel coronavirus. And it's about connecting our most vulnerable Fulton County residents to the information, care, and the resources they need to mitigate the impact of this pandemic. For more information and resources listing, please visit: www.aliveandincolor.com/careandresources.

JUNE IS EYE SAFETY MONTH: Most people do not know there are common objects in the home that can cause serious eye injuries to children. Watching children is the best precaution, but there are other steps you can take to ensure their safety and well being. Teaching kids eye safety is one way. Using eye protection for risky tasks is another. Adults who wear eye protection are teaching a valuable lesson. For additional information go to : Prevent Blindness America / www.preventblindness.org
- From The Health Promotions Ministry.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR JUNE: *The beauty of marriage.* Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience.

CATHOLIC FOUNDATION OF NORTH GEORGIA: "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.

CRISTO REY ATLANTA JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL is currently seeking qualified applicants for the position of **director of information technology**. Please see the position description for qualifications on the following link <https://cristoreyatlanta.org/Join-Our-Team/Join-Our-Staff>. The Director of IT oversees the school's technology operations, including the network and associated infrastructure, technical support services, deployment of all software, administrative databases and the information systems deployed by the school. Please send all resumes to hr@cristoreyatlanta.org.

CRISTO REY ATLANTA has an immediate opening for a full-time **receptionist**. Please see our website for a complete job description at <https://cristoreyatlanta.org/Join-Our-Team/Join-Our-Staff>. Please send resumes to hr@cristoreyatlanta.org.

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA CATHOLIC SCHOOL (SCS), in Kennesaw, is seeking a certified **elementary teacher** for the 2021-2022 school year. SCS is a National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence and offers a competitive benefits package. Requirements include a bachelor's or master's degree in education. St. Catherine of Siena offers a drug-free environment and is in full compliance with federal statutes for non-discrimination in its employment. Please email references, resume and cover letter to Kelly Wood, principal, at kwood@scsiena.org.

****For a listing of available vacancies within the Archdiocese of Atlanta visit <https://archatl.com/offices/human-resources/job-openings/> ****

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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

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

June 13, 2021



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. LeRell Ross, *Director of 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.



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

Livestream Mass
Sundays: 10:30 AM

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



Flocknote

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
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

TBD
Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P.
(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
Danielle Williams, 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
Joy Jordan, Grand Lady
jam.123.sykes@gmail.com



Today's Scripture Readings

Ezekiel 17:22-24; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10
Gospel: Mark 4:26-34

Next Sunday's Readings

Job 38:1, 8-11; 2 Corinthians 5:14-17
Gospel: Mark 4:35-41

Mass Intentions at 10:30AM Livestream Mass:

For the repose of the souls of †Raymond Burrows,
Percy Walker and Elaine Cole

Lourdes Stewardship

Weekly Church Support (06/05/21 - 06/11/21) **\$28,271**

Mailed in Offertory (06/05/21 - 06/11/21) - \$16,171

Online Offertory (06/05/21 - 06/11/21) - \$12,100

Weekly Church Budget (Fiscal Yr. 20-21): **\$24,536**

Consider setting up on-line giving today!

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

Visit: <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/4716>

2021 Archbishop's Annual Appeal "Our Joyful Return to the Lord."

Lourdes Share: \$122,800

Amount Paid to Date (06/11/21): \$32,764

Please visit <https://archatl.com/appeal/> for more information and
to donate on-line visit <https://donate.archatl.com/>. Thank you for your generosity.

Thoughts on Stewardship

Like the sower in today's Gospel, I scatter as seed my gifts of time, talent, and resources; and I trust that, by God's grace and in God's time, these small gifts of myself may grow and flourish and help to bring about the Kingdom of God.

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Lisa Alexander,	Betty Davis,	Janet Lawrence,	Grace Rutherford,
Joseph Allen,	Eileen DeWane,	Tometra McClendon,	Alana Shepard,
Kennan Allen,	Gloria Dworet,	Jean McDonnell,	Bobby Shopshire,
Cherry Banez,	Clinton Elmore,	James McEwan,	Regina Smith,
Cherylle Bartholomew,	Barbara Hagan,	Melody McIntyre	Janet Stewart,
Sandy Bell,	Geton Harper,	James McMullen,	Wendy Stewart,
Susie Bell,	Anne Haase,	Maridel Moffett,	Johnnie Strong,
Deanna Blasingame,	Frank Howard,	Peggy Neeson,	Eugene Sturgis,
David Brower,	Jackson Igou,	Katie Price,	Jean-Luc Tahou,
Louise Bugajski,	Ronald Jean-Louis,	Eisenhower Raines,	Fritz Thomas,
Frederick Cannon,	James Jordan,	Libby Ricard,	Virgie Thomas,
Luella Chambers,	Marilyn Kapaun,	Thomas Rogers,	Michael Thompson,
Sam Cooper,	Felix Lawrence,	Josephine Rosario,	Frank Tighe,
Muriel Cureau,		Mildred Rucker,	Sandra Turner

The deadline for Bulletin and Lourdes Notes (Flocknote) 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

IN-PERSON MASS: We are excited to announce we will re-open for in-person Mass on **Father's Day, Sunday, June 20 at 10:30AM**. We ask you to register for attendance and follow protocols we will have in place to keep everyone safe and protected. Stay tuned for sign up and further details. We will continue to offer our Livestream at 10:30AM for all those unable to worship with us in-person.

CONGRATULATIONS! On Saturday, May 29 we welcomed Lourdes Member, Keme Hawkins into Full Communion of the Catholic Church. Lourdes family, we ask to keep Keme in your prayers as she continues on her journey of faith.

LOURDES CHAPTER OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL - monthly 2nd Collection, this **Sunday, June 13**. Lourdes SVDP provides assistance to Lourdes members and those in our community experiencing a temporary set-back due to illness or unemployment. The most common needs are rent assistance, utility bill payment or emergency food provisions. Donations can be made online at <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/4716> - Select 'Lourdes Chapter St. Vincent de Paul'.

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY! We will honor and celebrate the accomplishments our **2021 graduates** during our 10:30AM Livestream Mass on **Sunday, June 27**. This year we will honor **ALL** our Lourdes Graduates of any level. Please provide a high-resolution photo (no thumbnail) preferably in PNG or JPEG format. Be sure to label both your photo and graduate information document (word/excel) with the Graduate's name and upload both to <https://www.dropbox.com/request/Smuq7L55omkl5Wgz2yd5>. The Deadline for submission - **NOON on JUNE 24TH**. Note: Late submissions will not be accepted. See Bulletin insert dated May 25, 2021 for complete instructions.

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS: Our next Baptism Preparation Class for parents wishing to have their baby/child (under 6 years) baptized and anyone who has been asked to serve as a Godparent, will be held on **Tuesday, July 13 AT 7PM VIA ZOOM**. Registration is required. To sign-up visit <https://lourdesatlanta.flocknote.com/signup/58760>

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

June 13

Austin Branton
Barbara Rowe
Evan Bufford
Marli Nicholson
Matthew Maxwell
Micah Boyd
Myles Nicholson
Paul Thompson
Victor Estiverne
Wendy Walker

June 14

Carmelita Rogers
Quentin Hutchins

June 15

Drion Randolph
Kevin Cronin
LaVonda DeWitt

Preston Stanberry
Timothy Schlairet
Valentino Luscap Jr.

June 16

Alexander Isakov
Ann Heard
Ann Roesinger
Charles Hunter
Dionna Smith
Jacqueline Patterson
Jozetta DeJean
Selina Okonokhua
Terri Leftwich
Will Cowan

June 17

Arlice Prince
Ayanna DeSilva
Dallin Randolph

Dawna Fuqua-Whitley
Edgar Breaux
Elias Washington
Janiece DeCay
Julius Morgen
Kea Jones
Kristy Mugavero
Nshimirimana Aline

June 18

Darryl Bufford, Jr.
Donna McDowell
Dorothy Myles
Kevin Fowler
Margaret Jones
Mildred Harrell
Philip Roy

June 19

Angelina Fennell

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: Rev. Jeffery Ott
jot@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