

**JOIN A PRAYER CALL:** All are invited to our Lourdes Prayer Call via ZOOM on **Wednesday, July 14, from 12PM - 12:45PM.** Hosted by our church Deacons and the **Pastoral Care Team (PCT)**, the call will connect us spiritually and offer prayer and comfort to those in need. The program includes readings from the Gospel, reflection, an opportunity for general intercession, and more. Join **Zoom meeting link:** [uso2web.zoom.us/j/82309074451](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82309074451) Meeting ID: 823 0907 4451 Passcode: 339844.

**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 **Wednesday, July 14 AT 7PM VIA ZOOM.** Registration is required. To sign-up visit <https://lourdesatlanta.flocknote.com/signup/58760>.

**TODAY IS THE PETER'S PENCE (SECOND) COLLECTION,** a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR JULY** *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:** *Receive income and help our parish:* If you are over 65, would like additional income, a tax deduction and to make a gift to the parish endowment fund, consider a Charitable Gift Annuity. Your rate of return is based on your age. For an illustration, please contact Juliet Greco at the Catholic Foundation at [jgreco@cfnga.org](mailto:jgreco@cfnga.org) or 404-497-9440, or visit <https://cfnga.org/>

**DEO GRATIAS** – Thanks Be To God! Have you planned a gift in your will or estate plan to support your parish, Catholic school or favorite ministry? Contact the Catholic Foundation to be included and honored in the Deo Gratias Society. This year's Mass and celebration with Archbishop Hartmayer will be Saturday, September 18, 10AM. Visit <https://cfnga.org/events/> to register. Questions? Call 404-497-9440.

**JULY IS REENTRY AWARENESS MONTH IN GEORGIA** : Reentry Awareness Month is meant to highlight the successes and challenges of reentry into society by formerly incarcerated individuals. Reentry even after a short period of incarceration can carry with it a host of collateral consequences, including lowered employability, disruptions in relationships on both an inter-personal and communal level as well as returning to environments that may not support the goals of transformative incarceration. All of the consequences of incarceration and reentry, in addition to interwoven systemic issues like racism, mental health stigma and drug addiction, contribute to the scourge of mass incarceration we face in our state and nation. The Archdiocese of Atlanta is committed to disrupting mass incarceration and the social injustices that contribute to it. For more information about the archdiocese's work on restorative justice and ending mass incarceration, contact Jayna Hoffacker, Associate Director of Justice and Peace Ministries, at [jhoffacker@archatl.com](mailto:jhoffacker@archatl.com) or 404-920-7898.

**OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL (OLA),** a PK-8 twice-recognized National Blue-Ribbon School of Excellence in Brookhaven, is accepting applications for a **certified fourth-grade teacher** for the 2021-2022 school year. Teacher certification required. This is a full-time position and offers a competitive salary with excellent benefits. OLA offers a drug-free environment and is in compliance with federal statutes for non-discrimination in its employment practices. Please send cover letter and resume to Lisa Cordell, principal, at [lcordell@olaschool.org](mailto:lcordell@olaschool.org). **No phone calls, please.**

**\*\*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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Office Hours: M-F 9AM - 6PM  
Closed for Lunch: 1PM-2PM

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 4, 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](mailto:kaparrish@hotmail.com)  
**ON SUMMER BREAK**

**Religious Education**  
Contact: Mrs. Theresa Bowen  
Director of Religious Education  
[thebowens4@bellsouth.net](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:lourdespct@gmail.com)

2<sup>nd</sup> 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](mailto:ollsalumni@gmail.com)

Amazing Grace Dance Company  
Wednesdays, 7:15PM-9:15PM;  
Sundays, 1:30PM  
Open Rehearsals every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday  
January - October at 2:30PM  
[amazinggracedancecompany@gmail.com](mailto:amazinggracedancecompany@gmail.com)

### Baby Boomers

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

### Bible Study TBD

Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P.  
(404) 522-6776

### Book Store

Lisa Berkley  
404-522-6776

### Cursillo Movement/Ultreya

1<sup>st</sup> Mondays, 7PM  
Lisa Berkley,  
[bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:bookkeeper@lourdesatlanta.org)

### Dream Green Team

Chandra Frank Fowler,  
[chanefrank@gmail.com](mailto:chanefrank@gmail.com); 678-591-0234

### Finance Council

Quarterly Meetings  
Dawn Leaner-Hall, Chairperson

### Haiti Ministry

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

### Health Promotions Ministry

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass  
Contact the Church Office

### Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass  
Eugene Roberts, Grand Knight  
[earoberts3@outlook.com](mailto:earoberts3@outlook.com)

### KPC Junior Knights

Kwame Nyaku, Junior Commander  
[knyaku@gmail.com](mailto:knyaku@gmail.com)

### KPC Ladies Auxiliary

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass  
Joy Jordan, Grand Lady  
[jam.123.sykes@gmail.com](mailto:jam.123.sykes@gmail.com)



## Today's Scripture Readings

Ezekiel 2:2-5; 2 Corinthians 12:7-10  
Gospel: Mark 6:1-6

## Next Sunday's Readings

Amos 7:12-15; Ephesians 1:3-14  
Gospel: Mark 6:7-13

**Mass Intentions at 10:30AM Livestream Mass:**  
For the repose of the soul of †Ryan Murray Thompson

## Lourdes Stewardship

**Weekly Church Support (06/26/21 - 07/02/21) \$20,819**

Mailed in Offertory (06/26/21 - 07/02/21) - \$4,011  
Online Offertory (06/26/21 - 07/02/21) - \$16,808

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

Consider setting up on-line giving today!  
Visit: [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org) click on the 'Give' tab or  
Visit: <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/funds>

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

Lourdes Share: \$122,800  
Amount Paid to Date (07/02/21): \$37,082

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

During this time, we celebrate the independence of our country. We would do well to echo the psalmist, saying, "Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for His mercy." May we always recognize and use wisely the gifts of freedom and abundance He has showered upon us.

## Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

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

**The deadline for Bulletin and Lourdes Notes (Flocknote) content is Wednesday at 12:00 noon.**

Please email [cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org). Bulletins and Inserts are always available on our website: [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org).

## NEWS AT LOURDES

## HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!

**THE LOURDES CHURCH OFFICE** will be closed on **Monday, July 5** in observance of Independence Day holiday. We will re-open on **Tuesday, July 6, at 9AM**. Our staff continue to work remotely Monday -Thursday but are available by phone (404-522-6776) and email. The church office is open to visitors on **Fridays from 10AM - 6PM (closed for lunch from 1PM-2PM)**.

**LOURDES ONLINE GIVING:** Our Online Giving has gotten an upgrade to a newer, easier-to-use platform hosted by Our Sunday Visitor (OSV)! If you currently give online, you should have received an email on July 1, with instructions on how to log into the new system. Your existing username and password remains the same. Best of all, your existing payment and donation information has been migrated over so you will not have to set up your gifts again! To access your online giving visit <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/funds>.

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN PLEDGE CONFIRMATION LETTERS** were mailed on July 1. We would like you to pay particular attention to the **pledge details (total amount for the three years, installment amount, frequency and amount paid to date)**, as we seek to ensure the details of your pledge are accurate. If there are any amendments, please email Carol Ann Pinard at [cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org). Although a 'Due Date' was included in the letter, we implore you **not** to focus on that date. If you would like to make a pledge to the Capital Campaign visit <https://lourdesatlanta.org/capitalcampaign/>. To make a pledge payment or one-time gift visit our online giving page at <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/funds>.

**IN-PERSON MASS:** Lourdes family and friends, we continue to make adjustments to better serve you, as we navigate the resumption of in-person Mass. If you were unable to attend Mass in-person this weekend, the sign-up for next weekend's Mass will be available from Sunday - Thursday on the Lourdes website [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org). We continue to offer our livestream at 10:30AM at [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org) for all those unable to attend in-person.

## LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

### July 4

Ariel Harrison  
Barbara White  
Betty Davis  
Christopher Womack  
Kai Jones  
Kinsley Johnson  
Rosemary Jean-Louis  
Sarah Koumtouzoua  
Skylar Fleury

### July 5

Andreane Anderson  
Candice Grant  
Evette Oates  
Lauren Turner  
Mason Rainey  
Shirley Palacio

### July 6

Chance Carter

Crystal Brown  
Dexter Johnson

Jace Vaughn  
Kendall Sims  
Nathaniel Crowe  
Reginald Poellnitz II  
Sheryl Horton  
Suzette Howell Carpenter  
Tom Key  
Trinity Tremblay  
Vanessa Johnson

### July 7

Anthony Battiato  
Christina Clodomir  
Evan Harward  
George Sneed  
Josiah McClary  
Karter Childs  
Nancy Rock  
Valerie Musey

Willis Smith

### July 8

Alicea Lovelace  
Anne Williams  
Catherine Carlisi  
Elane Stock  
Endre Jenkins  
Erin Davis  
Ewan Ducloux  
Joel Vazquez  
Miles Johnson  
Nicholas Polsinelli  
Stephen Polhamus  
Theresa Weber  
Uzoamaka Chukka

### July 9

Bianca Wimberly  
Blake Thomas  
Chandler Hassan

Damien Thigpen  
Jennifer Leach  
Leonardo Cocca  
Linda Huefner  
Reece Leftwich  
Ron Fortenot  
Russell Allen  
Sterling Hudson

### July 10

Anita Garnes  
Antoinette Roberts  
Denise Hood  
Francesca Eugene  
Reinye Bridges  
Yvonne McNeil



## Ministries & Organizations

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

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

**Life Issues**  
Conference Call 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 7PM  
Kayellen Umeakunne, Coordinator  
[lourdesforlifeissues@gmail.com](mailto:lourdesforlifeissues@gmail.com)

**Liturgy Committee**  
1<sup>st</sup> Monday at 7PM  
Contact: Rev. Jeffery Ott  
[jot@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto: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](mailto:lhubbardatl@yahoo.com)

**Parenting Ministry**  
Sunday at 9:30AM  
P.J. Lemuel, Facilitator  
(770) 981-7226

**Simon's Call (AIDS Ministry)**  
Quarterly on 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday at 12PM  
Janis Griffin

**Social Action Committee**  
1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after the 10:30AM  
Douglas Collins, (404) 317-4057  
[doug1234@me.com](mailto:doug1234@me.com)

**Stephen Ministry Leaders**  
Lennison Alexander, (404) 644-7554;  
Fr. Jeffery Ott, (404) 997-3867

**St. Vincent de Paul Society**  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 11:30AM  
Joanne Breaugh, Chair  
SVDP Hotline (678) 892-6163

**Women's Council**  
1<sup>st</sup> Sunday at 10AM  
Denise Hood, President  
(404) 752-9620

**Young at Heart (Seniors)**  
Contact the Church Office