

## NEWS AT LOURDES

**KPCLA ANNUAL PRAYER BREAKFAST:** Please join us! The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary Court 300 will host our **25th Annual Prayer Breakfast** nextt **Saturday, August 14 at 9:00AM - 11:15AM**. We are excited to welcome our guests virtually for this special occasion. We invite all members of the parish to attend. Tickets are available for \$20 plus \$2.85 processing fees. Donations are also being received. We promise an amazing event featuring **our special guest Congresswoman Nikema Williams (GA-05)** and the highly anticipated announcement of this year's 2021 Scholarship Recipient. Virtual Auction details can be found at <https://go.dojiggy.io/kpcl/Campaign/Details>. For Prayer Breakfast tickets visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/knights-of-peter-claver-ladies-auxiliary-court-300-annual-prayer-breakfast-tickets-160330762627>.

**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, your existing username (email address) and password remain 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>.

**MOVING FORWARD IN FAITH CAPITAL CAMPAIGN: Love, Faith and Joy.** Please support our mission and vision with a gift or campaign pledge today <https://lourdesatlanta.org/ourfuture/>. To make a pledge: <https://lourdesatlanta.org/capitalcampaign/> or to make a one-time donation: <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/funds>.

## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST: The Church.** Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

**DEO GRATIAS!** We are grateful for all parishioners who have remembered our parish in their will or estate plans. Anyone who has made a planned gift to our parish becomes a member of the Deo Gratias Society. You will be invited to the annual Mass and Celebration with Archbishop Hartmayer on Sat., September 18, at 10AM. If you have included our parish, a Catholic school or other Catholic ministry in your will or estate plans, please contact Juliet Greco at 404.497.9440 or [jgreco@cfnga.org](mailto:jgreco@cfnga.org) so that we can honor you!

**THE WAY FOR WOMEN** is a three-day retreat for adult female survivors of abuse offered by the Archdiocese of Atlanta's Victim Assistance Program **September 10-12** at Carmel Retreat Center in Hoschton, Georgia. Continued but adjusted COVID-19 safety protocols will be followed. Registration deadline is Tuesday, August 31. Please contact Sue Stubbs at 404-920-7554 or [sstubbs@archatl.com](mailto:sstubbs@archatl.com) for more information.

**ST. STEPHEN THE MARTYR CATHOLIC CHURCH** has an opening for a **part-time (20 hours per week/ Monday through Thursday) administrative assistant**. This position is responsible for supporting the Pastor in varied administrative needs, including front office reception, updating the parish database and publishing the weekly bulletin. Requirements include strong working knowledge of the Catholic Church/teachings, proficiency in Microsoft Office, Parish Soft (ability to be trained) and excellent verbal and written communications. Please submit a cover letter with salary requirements, references and resume to [busmgr@sstmcc.org](mailto:busmgr@sstmcc.org). **No phone calls, please.**

**CRISTO REY ATLANTA JESUIT HIGH SCHOOL** is currently seeking to fill the position of **operations manager**. Please see our [website](#), for the job profile and requirements for the position.

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

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



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CATHOLIC CHURCH

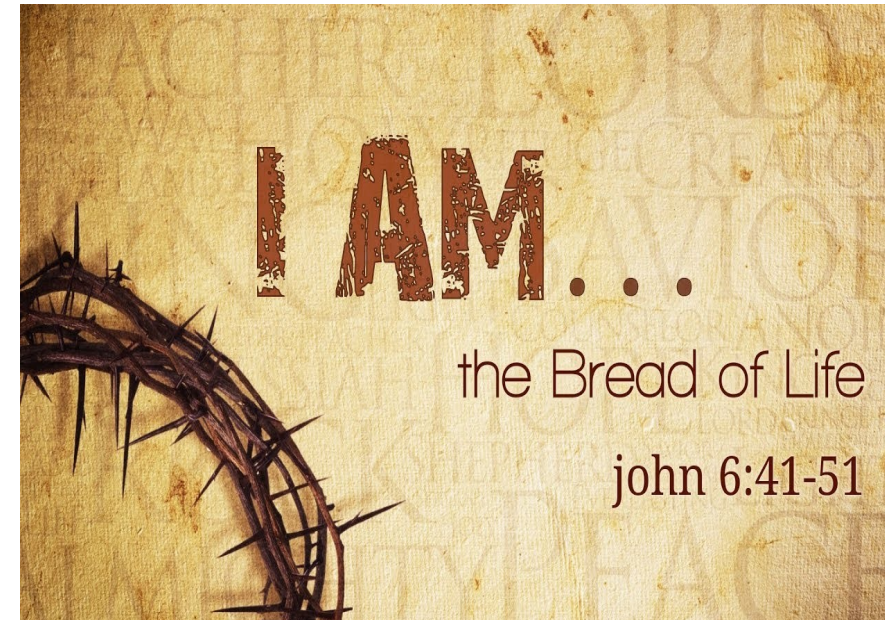
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Atlanta, GA 30312  
404.522.6776  
[www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org)  
Office Hours: M-F 9AM - 6PM  
Closed for Lunch: 1PM-2PM

## NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**August 8, 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. 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*

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We are committed  
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Flocknote

**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)  
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**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

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 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

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  
1<sup>st</sup> Mondays, 7PM  
Lisa Berkley,

Dream Green Team  
Chandra Frank Fowler,  
chaneffrank@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

KPC Junior Knights  
Kwame Nyaku, Junior Commander  
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



Today’s Scripture Readings

1 Kings 19:4-8; Ephesians 4:30- 5:2  
Gospel: John 6:41 -51

Next Sunday’s Readings

Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-6a;10ab; 1 Corinthians 15:20-27  
Gospel: Luke 1:39-56

Mass Intentions at 10:30AM Livestream Mass:  
For the repose of the soul of †Sally Campbell Waldron

Lourdes Stewardship

Weekly Church Support (07/31/21 - 08/06/21) \$25,607  
Mailed in Offertory (07/31/21 - 08/06/21) - \$11,135  
Online Offertory (07/31/21 - 08/06/21) - \$14,472  
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.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/funds

2021 Archbishop’s Annual Appeal “ Our Joyful Return to the Lord .”

Lourdes Share: \$122,800  
Amount Paid to Date (08/06/21): \$46,846

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

The gifts of God that the angel brought to Elijah – food, water, rest, and encouragement – were given, not for his own good alone, but to strengthen him for service. How am I using my gifts to serve others?

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Lisa Alexander,	Betty Davis,	Tometra McClendon,	Alana Shepard,
Joseph Allen,	Eileen DeWane,	Jean McDonnell,	Bobby Shopshire,
Karen Allen,	Gloria Dworet,	James McEwan,	Regina Smith,
Kennan Allen,	Clinton Elmore,	Melody McIntyre	Janet Stewart,
Cherry Banez,	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,	Virginie Thomas,
Frederick Cannon,	Ronald Jean-Louis,	Libby Ricard,	Michael Thompson,
Luella Chambers,	James Jordan,	Thomas Rogers,	Frank Tighe,
Sam Cooper,	Marilyn Kapaun,	Josephine Rosario,	Sandra Turner,
Muriel Cureau,	Felix Lawrence,	Mildred Rucker,	Michelle Wilkinson
	Janet Lawrence,	Grace Rutherford,	

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.

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**BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS:** Our next Baptism Preparation Class for parents wishing to have their baby/child (under 6 years) baptized at Our Lady of Lourdes and anyone who has been asked to serve as a Godparent, will be held on **Tuesday, August 10 at 7PM VIA ZOOM**. Registration is required. To sign-up visit <https://lourdesatlanta.flocknote.com/signup/63125>.

**BIBLE STUDY IS BACK!** Starting on **Monday, August 30**, and continuing every Monday through November 15 (with the exception of Labor Day, September 6), 7:00PM - 8:30PM via ZOOM. Join Father Jeffery and Lourdes members Nyrva Cadet, Mike Thompson, Sheena White, Keme Hawkins, and Philip Verre as they facilitate a lively interactive discussion of the Old Testament Book of Amos. While recorded over 2800 years ago, the words of Amos carry an impact and relevance in today’s world. Register at <https://lourdesatlanta.flocknote.com/signup/64222>. The class will be capped at 40 participants, so sign up soon as slots fill quickly."

**REGISTRATION FOR IN-PERSON MASS** is open from Sunday at 12PM - Wednesday 11:59PM each week for the following weekend’s 10:30AM Mass. To sign-up visit [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org). You can also view the livestream of our 10:30AM Sunday Mass on [www.lourdesatlanta.org](http://www.lourdesatlanta.org).

**JOIN US TO SERVE TOGETHER!** We are delighted many of you have joined us for in-person Mass. With our return to worship at Lourdes, we are seeking additional help. Opportunities to serve include Check-in Team, Video Team, Altar Servers and Altar Guild (Launder altar linens). To Sign up visit <https://form.jotform.com/212058418961155>. See Bulletin insert dated August 8 for more details.

**JOIN A PRAYER CALL:** All are invited to our **Lourdes Prayer Call** via ZOOM on **Wednesday, August 11, 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/8230...](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8230...) Meeting ID: 823 0907 4451** Passcode: 339844.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

<b>August 8</b> Andrette Francois Anthony Jones Irving Williams Margaret Kratz Myles Blouin Rita Figaro Shontelle Conner Terrence Turner Travis Young	Ilse Moon Sherri Kelly  <b>August 10</b> Dimon Burnam Gabrielle Verre Gregory Verre Jenna Montgomery Shanny Burge Tammy McHugh	Dominic Fernandez Evette Bradford Gloria Manson Jala Dillard Janet Stewart Kieran Ferguson Lekeisha Johnson Leotha Eaglin Lucas Lopez Michele Hlavsa Tasgola Bruner Tiffany Yarn	Rwanda Holmes  <b>August 14</b> Aba Rogers Alfonso Hernandez Artiane Saintil Bryce Honore Donar Thomas Lorraine Bell Maddox Williams Muriel Coles
<b>August 9</b> Ambra Hannah Autumn Lee Cameron Brown Caroline Smith Dana Richie Griffin Richie	<b>August 11</b> Farrah Coleman Jullian Nash Randy Abbott  <b>August 12</b> Charlie Hickey	<b>August 13</b> Annemarie Cardell Anthony Woods George Simpson Noree McCord	

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 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 7PM  
Kayellen Umeakunne, Coordinator  
lourdesforlifeissues@gmail.com

Liturgy Committee  
1<sup>st</sup> 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 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