

## NEWS AT LOURDES

**VOLUNTEER COUNTERS NEEDED!** We are in need of a few faithful parishioner volunteers to assist us to count the weekly collection on Wednesdays. You would be required to undergo a background screening with a credit check and volunteer at least twice a month. If you are interested, email Fr. Jeffery for more details at [jott@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:jott@lourdesatlanta.org)

**LOURDES T-SHIRT!** Limited sizes are in stock. If you pre-ordered T-Shirts please arrange to collect them as soon as possible. T-shirts can be collected on **Mondays, Wednesdays or Fridays from 10am-1pm and 2pm -5pm.** If you still need a T-shirt(s) now for the remaining Summer T-Shirt Weekends: **Aug 13/14 and Sept 3/4.** Email Angela Massingale ([amassingale@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:amassingale@lourdesatlanta.org)) with your name, quantity and sizes. We have 2 payment options: Check or Online at <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/giving/funds>; select the Fund ' **Bookstore**'. Cost of T-shirts : Children's (S) and (M) are \$5; Youth (L) is \$8; Adult's (S), (M), (L) and (XL) are \$10. Adult 's 2XL - 3XL are \$13.

**KPCLA ANNUAL PRAYER BREAKFAST:** The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary Court 300 are excited to announce that we will host our **26th Annual Prayer Breakfast, virtually on Saturday, August 6 at 11am (ET).** We are excited to welcome our guests for this special occasion. All members, friends and families of our Lourdes community are invited 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 musician-theologian Julian Davis Reid. We will also announce the winner(s) of this year's 2022 Scholarship. Please join us for this highly anticipated event! Tickets can be purchased at the following link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/knights-of-peter-claver-ladies-auxiliary-court-300-2022-prayer-breakfast-tickets-366303121497>.

**AUTO SERVICES!** Automotive Perfection - Custom auto detailing services in Metropolitan, Atlanta - 20% off for Lourdes Parishioners. For details call 888-513-5556.

## AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR JULY: For the elderly.** We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

**ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL** has openings for a four-day **Pre-K assistant teacher** and a two-day **toddler teacher**. Qualified candidates should have a warm, nurturing approach to children and enjoy helping children learn and grow in a loving, Catholic environment. A degree in education or a related field and prior experience working with children is preferred, but not required. Preschool teachers work from 8:50 a.m. – 1:50 p.m. To apply, please email resume highlighting work or volunteer experience with preschool age children to Kathy Hampton, preschool director, at [khampton@sta.org](mailto:khampton@sta.org). 770-475-4501 x 210.

**SAINT JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH**, in Lithia Springs, a dynamic and diverse suburban parish in the Archdiocese of Atlanta, is seeking a part time **bilingual front desk receptionist** (28 hours a week). The position will be the first point of contact for our parish. Candidates will need to have excellent organizational skills with the ability to multi-task. People and time-management skills are necessary along with strong computer skills and excellent written and verbal communication skills. The position will provide administrative support across the parish. The candidate must be a practicing Catholic in full communion with the church. Please send cover letter and resume to Rubi Garcia at [rgarcia@sjvpar.net](mailto:rgarcia@sjvpar.net) and copy Fr. Jack Knight at [jknight@sjvpar.net](mailto:jknight@sjvpar.net). **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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Free Pregnancy Test – Pregnancy Aid Clinic – 404.763.4357 or Optionline.org



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

## EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 31, 2022



### 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*  
Mrs. Carmen Rancifer Jenkins, *Office Manager*  
Ms. Carol Ann Pinard, *Office Administrative Assistant*  
Mrs. Angela Massingale, *Assistant to the Pastor*  
Mrs. Theresa Bowen, *Director of Religious Education*  
Ms. Emily Kruse, *Teen Ministry Coordinator*  
Mr. Cong Dinh, *Maintenance Supervisor*

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

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We are committed  
We are LOURDES

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**Celebration of the Eucharist**  
Saturdays: 5PM  
Sundays: 8:00AM & 10:30AM

**Livestream Mass**  
Sundays: 10:30 AM

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
By appointment only  
Call the Church Office

**Rosary**  
Saturday: 4:30 PM

**Journey of Faith (RCIA)**  
Contact: Ms. Kimberly Parrish  
404.247.6628/[kaparrish@hotmail.com](mailto:kaparrish@hotmail.com)

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

**Sunday School Classes**  
For Pre-K - 8th Grade  
Sundays: 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM

**Teens: 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM**  
Contact: Ms. Emily Kruse  
Teen Ministry Coordinator  
[lourdesteens1912@gmail.com](mailto:lourdesteens1912@gmail.com)

**Parenting Ministry**  
Sundays: 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM  
**SUMMER BREAK**

**Pastoral Care Team**  
Contact: Deacon Chester Griffin  
Prayer/Visit: [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](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  
[dancecompanyamazinggrace@gmail.com](mailto:dancecompanyamazinggrace@gmail.com)

Amazing Grace Youth Ministry  
Saturdays, 9:45am - 1:30pm  
Teresa Emmanuel  
[amazinggraceyouthministry@gmail.com](mailto:amazinggraceyouthministry@gmail.com)

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

Book Store  
Contact the Church Office  
404-522-6776

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya  
1<sup>st</sup> Mondays, 7PM  
Patrice Barton Smith  
[psbarton901@gmail.com](mailto:psbarton901@gmail.com)

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

Finance Council  
Quarterly Meetings  
Philip Verre, Chairperson

Haiti Ministry  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass  
Ron Apollon  
404-441-3032  
[ronapollon@gmail.com](mailto:ronapollon@gmail.com)

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 Sunday's Readings

Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23; Colossians 3:1-5,9-11  
Gospel: Luke 12:13-21

## Next Sunday's Readings

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

## Mass Intentions

For the repose of the soul of †Wallace G. Roberts

## Lourdes Stewardship

Weekly Church Support (07/23/22 - 07/29/22) **\$18,646**

In-Pew & Mailed In Offertory (07/23/22 - 07/29/22) \$6,693

Online Offertory (07/23/22 - 07/29/22) \$11,953

Weekly Church Budget (Fiscal Yr. 22-23): **\$25,750**

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>

## 2022 Archbishop's Annual Appeal - "Transformed in Christ"

Lourdes Share: \$119,200

Amount Paid to Date (07/29/22): \$39,208

For more information, visit <https://archatl.com/appeal/>

To donate on-line visit <https://archatl.com/appeal/make-a-gift/>

"Thank you for your generosity."

## Thoughts on Stewardship

The crowd in today's Gospel demanded a sign from Jesus. May our faithful stewardship be a sign to others that we, like the Ephesians in the second reading, have laid aside our former way of life and acquired a "fresh, spiritual way of thinking" in Christ.

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

Joseph Allen,	Muriel Cureau,	Janet Lawrence,	Josephine Rosario,
Karen Allen,	Betty Davis,	Jim Macke,	Mildred Rucker,
Kennan Allen,	Eileen DeWane,	Mary Ellen Macke	Grace Rutherford,
Olga, Atkinson,	Clinton Elmore,	Gloria Manson,	Alana Shepard,
Cherry Banez,	Barbara Hagan,	James McEwan,	Regina Smith,
Cherylle Bartholomew,	Geton Harper,	Melody McIntyre	Wendy Stewart,
Sandy Bell,	Pamela Haley,	Maridel Moffett,	Johnnie Strong,
Susie Bell,	Ronnie Horton,	Mary Moon,	Eugene Sturgis,
Deanna Blasingame,	Frank Howard,	Peggy Neeson,	Jean-Luc Tahou,
David Brower,	Jackson Igou,	Katie Price,	Frank Tighe,
Edward Branch,	Ronald Jean-Louis,	Eisenhower Raines,	Sandra Turner,
Raymond Branch	James Jordan,	Libby Ricard,	Michelle Wilkinson
Frederick Cannon,	Felix Lawrence,	Thomas Rogers,	
Sam Cooper,			

**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).

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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY FATHER JEFFERY!!!

**THANK YOU** to Lourdes members, Sheela and Doug Collins for the gorgeous altar flowers last Sunday, July 24!!!

**AUBURN AVENUE PARKING:** Beginning this weekend, July 30<sup>th</sup> - 31<sup>st</sup> and until further notice, the Auburn Avenue parking lot will be closed to all, **with the exception of** handicap parking, as we prepare to re-carpet and paint the Drexel Center. Please use our Edgewood parking lot. We thank you in advance for your cooperation.

**BAPTISM INFORMATION:** Parents/ guardians interested in having your baby/child (under 6 years) baptized at Our Lady at Lourdes must be active, registered members of the parish for a **minimum of 3 months** and attend a Baptism Preparation Class. Our next Baptism Preparation Class for Parents and Godparents is **Tuesday, August 2 at 7PM**. To sign-up visit <https://lourdesatlanta.flocknote.com/signup/94768>. For more information email Carol Ann Pinard [cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org](mailto:cpinard@lourdesatlanta.org) or call the church office. Parents of children over 6 years interested in baptism, should also contact Mrs. Theresa Bowen (Director of Religious Education) for information on our Religious Education Program and Sacraments.

**LECTOR PREP** for the month of September will be held in the church on **Tuesday, August 2, at 7PM and Saturday, August 6 at 10:30AM in the Church**. All lectors are encouraged to attend at least one session. If you are interested in becoming a Lector, you are also invited to attend at least one of the Lector Prep sessions listed above. For more information, call the Church Office.

**MASS AT LOURDES: Saturdays at 5:00pm; Sundays at 8:00am and 10:30am.** Registration is longer required to attend Mass. However, to keep everyone safe and healthy and also to minimize the risk of infection, we continue to ask **ALL** attendees (over 2 years) to wear a mask. We look forward to you joining us in person. Our 10:30am Mass is Livestreamed every Sunday.

## LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

### July 31

Ariel Iluyomade  
Helga Ojinmah  
Kurt Collier  
Lena Reid  
Michael Dula  
Michelle Hession Griffith  
Sara Elizabeth Sides  
Susan Parsons  
Teri Lewis

### August 1

Addie Bowden  
Avon Howse  
Brigitte Flannery  
Carter Middleton  
Cecilia Paprocki  
Christopher Spencer  
Elizabeth Craig  
Jordache Avery  
Marcus Smith Jr.  
Reikelle Coppins

### August 02

Anthony Hannah  
Darryl Woods  
Gail Holmes  
Helen Greenfield  
Ian Daniels  
Imani Jenkins  
**Fr. Jeffery Ott**  
Jennifer Harper  
Kathy Daly  
Mary Moon  
Mary Ujda  
Mason Gause  
Noemie Saintil  
Omari Joseph

### August 3

Berdean Simmons  
Brandon Davis  
Frank Fashina  
Jaia Alli  
Johnathan Roberts

Josh Casbon  
Patrick Turner  
Paula Gaffney  
Tometra McClendon

### August 4

A'lyiah Ray  
Bernard Eustache  
Christopher Miller  
Elizabeth Labat  
Erica Dunbar-Smith  
Meon Ingram  
Sianna Simmons  
Wendy Strassner

### August 5

Adam Harris  
Asako Ferguson  
Cassandra Tavarez  
Dorothy Johnson  
Ketiwe Zipperer  
Kimberly Hicks

Maria Lizarraga  
Shana Laster  
Tonii Dean  
Tori Moore  
Wynnetta Simmons

### August 6

Damany Ransom  
Erika Ducloux  
Kenneth Slade  
Kiran Flenaugh  
Lamond Godwin  
Lily Flenaugh  
Reginald Turner  
Tanya Iluyomade



## Ministries & Organizations

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

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

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  
Nathaniel Papillion, 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