

NEWS AT LOURDES

GRANDMA'S HANDS PROJECT: The Knights of Peter Claver Ladies Auxiliary invites youth ages 8 and up to participate in our Grandma's Hands crafting and service series! During this series of classes, seasoned ladies of our court will pass on their expertise in various life skill and crafting areas, with each unit culminating in a community service project. Our first unit is how to create plarn mats for people experiencing homelessness on **June 17th and 24th**. On **August 12th and 19th**, we will cover the basics of mending and sewing and create pillowcase dresses for children in need. Classes will be held from 10 am to noon in the Drexel Hall or cafeteria and are free of charge! Please see the **Lourdes Notes or the bulletin Insert - June 11, 2023** for more information or to sign up. We look forward to joining with our youth for crafting, connection, and community service!

LOURDES T-SHIRT WEEKEND! It is Summer 2023 and that means **T-Shirt Weekend is BACK**. Our first T-shirt weekend will be next weekend **Saturday June 24 & Sunday June 25**. Show your Lourdes Pride by wearing your OLL T-shirt!! We have a limited number of T-Shirts in a few sizes in stock. If you need to purchase, email Angela Massingale (amassingale@lourdesatlanta.org) with your name, quantity and size(s). There are 2 payment options: Check /cash or Online at <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/giving/funds/bookstore>. Cost of T-shirts : Children's (S) and (M) are \$5; Youth (L) is \$10; Adult's (S), (M), (L) and (XL) are \$13. Adult's 2XL - 3XL are \$15.

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY! Lourdes will celebrate our Class of 2023 graduates on **Sunday, June 25th during our 10:30AM Livestream**. Get those Graduation pictures ready! If you are a graduate of any level, we would like to recognize you. You will need a high-resolution photo (not a thumbnail) and preferably in PNG format. All pictures will be due **no later than (NLT) Wednesday, June 21**. **Late submissions will not be included**. Stay tuned for more details.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR JUNE: *For the abolition of torture.* We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

PREGNANCY AID CLINIC (PAC) DADS PROGRAM: Pregnancy Aid Clinic is excited to announce the beginning of our PAC Dads program. This program will offer support and learning opportunities to fathers-to-be. We are looking for volunteer men- fathers or grandfathers, who will share their time and talent mentoring the next generation of dads. We are also looking for fathers-to-be who have questions and who would like to learn more about fatherhood from someone who has walked this path. Some areas of concentration will be spirituality, childcare and rearing, career/job skills and leadership. We would like for you to be a part of our developing curriculum that will help men lead and protect their families, become present and involved fathers along with strengthening their life skills. Please contact Andre White (awhite@pregnancyaidclinic.org).

BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL, in Roswell, has an immediate opening for a full-time **business manager**. The business manager is a key member of the leadership team who manages the financial operations of the school and implements the policies of the Office of Catholic Schools. Being Catholic is preferable for this role, as the business manager will work within the context of Blessed Trinity Catholic High School's mission, values and faith-based activities. Interested candidates, please email your resume, cover letter and references to Cathy Lancaster at resumes@btcatholic.org.

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

THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 11, 2023



Parish Staff

Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P., *Pastor*
Rev. Thomas Jackson, 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. Sheena White, *Teen Ministry Coordinator*

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

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

Livestream Mass
Sundays: 10:30 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation
By appointment only
Call the Church Office
404-522-6776

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

Religious Education
Contact: Mrs. Theresa Bowen
Director of Religious Education
tbowen@lourdesatlanta.org

Sunday School Classes
For Pre-K - 8th Grade
SUMMER BREAK

Teens: 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM
Contact: Ms. Sheena White
Teen Ministry Coordinator
lourdesteens1912@lourdesatlanta.org

Parenting Ministry
SUMMER BREAK
Contact: Ms. PJ Lemuel
pj.lemuel@gmail.com

Pastoral Care Team
Contact: Deacon Chester Griffin
Prayer/Visit: lourdespc@gmail.com
2nd Saturday of the month at 10AM

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 2nd Sunday
January - October at 2:30PM
dancecompanyamazinggrace@gmail.com

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

Associates of Sisters of the Blessed
Sacrament
3rd Saturdays, 3pm
Brenda Manson
(404) 735-8120

Bible Study
Tuesdays 7:00PM- 8:30PM (Zoom)
Rev. Jeffery Ott, O.P.
(404) 522-6776

Book Store
Contact the Church Office
404-522-6776

Cursillo Movement/Ultreya
1st Mondays, 7PM
Patrice Barton Smith
psbarton901@gmail.com

Finance Council
Quarterly Meetings
Philip Verre, Chairperson

Haiti Ministry
3rd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Ron Apollon
404-441-3032
ronapollon@gmail.com

Health Promotions Ministry
4th Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Contact the Church Office

Knights of Peter Claver (KPC)
2nd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Clima White, Grand Knight
climajwhite@hotmail.com

KPC Junior Knights
Kwame Nyaku, Junior Commander
knyaku@gmail.com



Today's Sunday's Readings

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

Next Sunday's Readings

Exodus 19:2-6a; Romans 5:6-11
Gospel: Matthew 9:36 - 10:8

For Mass Intentions

For the repose of the soul of † Percy Walker & Elaine Cole

Lourdes Stewardship

Weekly Church Support (06/03/23 - 06/09/23) **\$28,704**

In-Pew & Mailed In Offertory (06/03/23 - 06/09/23) \$8,804

Online Offertory (06/03/23 - 06/09/23) \$19,900

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

Consider setting up on-line giving today!

Visit: <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/funds>

Thank you for your support of the mission and ministry of Our Lady of Lourdes

2023 Archbishop's Annual Appeal - "Do this in Memory of me"

Lourdes Share: \$103,400

Amount Paid to Date (06/09/23): \$44,957

For more information or to donate online

visit www.archatl.com/appeal

"Thank you for your generosity."

Thoughts on Stewardship

The Scriptures today remind us that, "we, though many, are one body for we all partake of the one loaf." How are we using our gifts of time and talent to build up the Body of Christ? See 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

Please pray for our sick and shut in members:

Joseph Allen,	Betty Davis,	Melody McIntyre	Johnnie Strong,
Karen Allen,	Christian Doute,	Maridel Moffett,	Eugene Sturgis,
Kennan Allen,	Clinton Elmore,	Mary Moon,	Jean-Luc Tahou,
Cherry Banez,	Barbara Hagan,	Peggy Neeson,	Frank Tighe,
Sandy Bell,	Geton Harper,	Evette Oates,	Sandra Turner,
Susie Bell,	Pamela Haley,	Katie Price,	Josette Walker,
Deanna Blasingame,	Ronnie Horton,	Eisenhower Raines,	Michelle Wilkinson
David Brower,	Frank Howard,	Libby Ricard,	
Edward Branch,	Jackson Igou,	Thomas Rogers,	
Pam Buckmaster,	James Jordan,	Josephine Rosario,	
Frederick Cannon,	Felix Lawrence,	Mildred Rucker,	
Sam Cooper,	Janet Lawrence,	Grace Rutherford,	
Muriel Cureau,	Gloria Manson,	Alana Shepard,	
Damien Danavall,	James McEwan,	Wendy Stewart,	

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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MINISTRY BETWEEN THE MASSES: Each month, a different ministry will be hosting donuts and coffee. This is a great time to connect with your Lourdes family and learn about various ministries, as well as other happenings at Lourdes. Please join us today **June 11th in the cafeteria from 9:30AM - 10:30AM**. Our host this month is the Social Action Committee.

VISION FOR MINISTRIES AT LOURDES: At our Ministry Buzz Session on May 20th, we began the process of creating a vision for ministries at Lourdes. We want to invite everybody to provide your thoughts and ideas by completing a brief 3-minute survey on the needs of Lourdes and our broader community at <https://form.jotform.com/231468039173155>. Thank you for your participation!

"AN AFTERNOON OF PRAISE": Amazing Grace Dance Company & Youth Ministry will present an "Afternoon of Praise," today, Sunday, June 11, 2023 at 3PM here at Lourdes. Admission is free. Donations accepted towards continuing ministry and creating a Legacy Scholarship to honor the contributions of Kenya M. Griffin to OLL and the larger Atlanta dance community. For further information, please email dancecompanyamazing-grace@gmail.com.

TODAY OUR SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE FOR THE LOURDES CONFERENCE SVDP (GREEN ENVELOPES). Lourdes Conference of St. Vincent de Paul helps clients who live within zip code 30312, and Lourdes parishioners who are experiencing a temporary set-back due to illness or unemployment. The most common needs are utility bill payment, emergency food provisions and rent assistance. Your donations allow us to help them and give them hope. Thank you for your continued support. Donations can be made online <https://www.osvhub.com/lourdesatlanta/giving/funds/lourdes-conference-st-vincent-de-paul>.

LOURDES PRAYER CALL: All are invited to our Lourdes Prayer Call via ZOOM this Wednesday, June 14, from 12PM - 12:45PM. Hosted by the Pastoral Care Team (PCT), the call will connect us spiritually and offer prayer and comfort to those in need. Join Zoom meeting link: us02web.zoom.us/j/82309074451 Meeting ID: 823 0907 4451 Passcode: prayer.

LOURDES BIRTHDAYS

June 11 Anderson Hill Beth Gylys Carolyn Meadows Claudia Okonkwo Kyler Owens Marc Wallace Michael Arceneaux Piper Rose Zegers Thania Cantave	June 13 Austin Branton Barbara Rowe Darlene Lanier Evan Bufford Marli Nicholson Matthew Maxwell Micah Boyd Myles Nicholson Paul Thompson Victor Estiverne Wendy Walker	June 15 Drion Randolph Edmond Franklin 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 Ayanna DeSilva Dallin Randolph Dawna Fuqua-Whitley Elias Washington Janiece DeCay Julius Morgen Kea Jones Kristy Mugavero Nshimirimana Aline
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Happy Birthdays

Ministries & Organizations

KPC Ladies Auxiliary
2nd Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
Joy Jordan, Grand Lady
jam.123.sykes@gmail.com

KPC Junior Daughters
Lisa Berkley, Counselor
jrdaughterscourt300@gmail.com

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
jott@lourdesatlanta.org

Men's Ministry
Deacon Kenneth Bell, Facilitator
Contact the Church Office
404-522-6776

Parenting Ministry
Sunday at 9:00AM
P.J. Lemuel, Facilitator
(770) 981-7226

Social Action Committee
1st Sunday after the 10:30AM Mass
John Schwenkler & Beatrice Soublet

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
Nathaniel Papillion, Chair
SVDP Hotline (678) 892-6163

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

Young Adult Group
Nikki Mooror

Young at Heart (Seniors)
Contact the Church Office