

# St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

The Parish is a part of Plymouth RC Diocese, a Registered Charity

Parish Church:- St Mary Immaculate, Falmouth serving St Edwards, Mawnan Smith

St Mary's Presbytery, Killigrew St, Falmouth, TR11 3PR -

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12<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

Psalter week 4

19<sup>th</sup> June 2016

## FALMOUTH



SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Bert Barnett RIP  
SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH  
SUN 10.45 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

### Weekday Masses (12<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time)

MON St Alban 10.00 am D'c'd Sisters of St Joseph  
TUES St Aloysius Gonzaga 10.00 am Holy Souls  
WED SS. JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE 7.00 pm O'Donoghe family int.  
THUR St Edward 10.00 am Sullivan family int. MAWNAN SMITH  
FRI NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST 10.00 am Griffin family int.  
SAT Weekday 10.00 am Matthew Costello RIP

EXPOSITION WEDNESDAY 10.30 am to 1 pm with Rosary at noon & SATURDAY 10.30 am to 11.30 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SATURDAY 10.30 am to 11.30 am and 5.30 pm to 6.25 pm

## HELSTON

St Mary's Helston, serving St Michael's Mullion.

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Safeguarding Officer: - Frieda Curnow (572497)

SUN 9.00 am HELSTON

SUN 11.00 am MULLION

### Weekday Masses (12<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time)

MON St Alban NO MASS  
TUES St Aloysius Gonzaga 6.30 pm  
WED SS. JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE 12 noon  
THUR St Edward 10.00 am  
FRI NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST 10.00 am MULLION  
SAT Weekday 10.00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SATURDAY 10.30 am – 11.00 am

### Parish School

St Mary's Primary, Mongleath Road, Falmouth, TR11 4PW

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### **The Big Picture**

**Please note:** The topic for our prayer and reflection for week 4 is The People. Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June**, 7pm, Parish Hall.

If you have not signed up for the course yet, it is not too late; please see Sheila McLoughlin or Pat Fitzpatrick, or let Fr Brian know if you would like to join.

### **Prayers for the Referendum**

From 7.30 to 8.15 pm in the hall at Falmouth on Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> June, praying with our fellow Christians. All welcome.

### **APF - MILL HILL**

Everyone is invited to the annual regional Mass at Plymouth Cathedral on **Saturday 25th June**. The main celebrant will be Rev Liam Durrant, with other Mill Hill Missionary Priests. Mass commences at 3pm, with light refreshments after.

### **Parish Barbecue**

On **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June** from 6 pm in the presbytery garden at Helston. Adults £2, children free. All very welcome. Food provided, please bring your own drinks.



### **Evangelisation (Intentional discipleship)**

You are warmly invited to join this friendly fellowship who are intent on developing spiritually and growing in love and relationship with Jesus in order to offer spiritual help to others. The next meeting is at 7pm on **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June** in the comfortable room at the back of the hall. We are beginning a new study of Pope Francis's encyclical Evangelii Gaudium. If you would like to join us you can order your copy of the book from Hilary the parish secretary on 01326 312763.

### **Helston Food Basket.**

As part of our Parish commitment to those in need, please support our monthly donations on the first Sunday in the month, **3<sup>rd</sup> July**

### **Collections this week**

£1,336.37 including standing orders thank you

### **Mass for the Sick and Housebound**

Saturday **2<sup>nd</sup> July** at 2.00 pm. At this Mass the anointing of the sick will also be celebrated. The Church tells us that the sacrament of anointing is not just intended for those who are close to death, for the sacrament brings peace to those who are in need of God's healing love. Refreshments will be served in the hall after Mass and the SVP will assist with lifts. Please contact Tony Schorah or the office for help with transport.

### **World Youth Day Fundraising Parish Family Walk on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.**

Everyone (and their friendly dogs) are warmly invited to meet at St Edward's Church, Mawnan Smith at 2.00pm for a circular walk of approximately 5 miles along the beautiful coastal path. Shorter variations available for tired or short legs.

A suggested donation for pilgrims going to World Youth Day of £5 per family. Free tea, coffee, soft drinks and cake served on return, and hot dogs will be on sale too. Further details Anna Middlewick 07784479315 Even if you're not a walker, please join us for tea and cakes and a chat!



### **Fairtrade Goods**

On sale after 10.45 Mass in the hall at Falmouth on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month, next on **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July**.

### **Pro-Life Prayer Vigil**

Outside Treliske Hospital on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July** from 11 am to 12 noon. Please join us if you are able to pray for the upholding of the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death.

### **Justice and Peace meeting (Falmouth)**

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month next on **Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> July** at 2 pm in the hall at Falmouth. All welcome.

### **Parish Outing!**

A coach trip to Pencarrow House and gardens on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August**. Coach departs Helston at 9.30am. Please sign the list in the church porch at Helston, or notify either Hilary Kiszczuk or Fr John Gilbert directly by email or telephone. There is a £5 deposit payable on booking.

### St Mary's Catholic Primary School News

We've had an extremely successful sporting year and we are all very proud of St Mary's success; -

#### **Netball**

The netball squad won the Falmouth league, went on to qualify for the Peninsula final and have now qualified for the Cornwall Games on the 1st July. Many thanks to Mrs Higham for coaching and encouraging the girls.

#### **Swimming**

A team of Yr 5 boys and girls along with a team of Yr 6 boys and girls entered the Falmouth Gala. The Yr 5 girls, boys and Yr 6 girls qualified for the Peninsula final.

For the second year running Anya, India, Katie and May qualified for the Cornwall games. Year 5 girls also qualified.

#### **Basketball**

St Mary's won the Falmouth/Penryn Tournament and subsequently qualifying for the Peninsular final and won. They too have qualified for the Games.

#### **Cross Country**

Over 45 children entered the Falmouth/Penryn Cross Country from years 4, 5, and 6.

11 qualified for the Peninsula final. Erin and Phoebe qualified for the county final, Erin came 2nd.

#### **Aquathon**

Four children from Yr 6 entered the Aquathon. Anya won!

#### **Tag Rugby**

The Yr 5 team, coached by Mr Boyes, came 2nd in the local tournament and qualified to play in the West at Redruth Rugby Club.

#### **Football**

A team entered the Falmouth/Penryn League.

Other festivals entered include **multi sports, indoor athletics, and the Futsal.**

Every child in year 6 (that wanted to), has had the opportunity to represent the school in a sporting event this year before leaving, whether it be a league, a festival, a tournament or a non-competitive event.

**We wish the three teams who have qualified for the Cornwall Games every success on the 1st July.**

#### **BAPTISM**

To avoid disappointment, please give the priests of the parish at least 3 months notice when planning your child's baptism.

#### **Thank You**

To everyone for supporting the 'Bring & Buy' - £434 was raised to help send our 3 pilgrims to World Youth Day in Krakow, Poland.

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July,  
**Parish evening 'get-together'**  
Falmouth Hall in aid of Medical Missions of Mary

#### **SVP PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE, HELP – LIFTS**

*We still have members of our church community who can't get to mass because they don't have transport. They are elderly or sick. We currently have three members of our community who can't get to mass.*

*Attending mass is a very important part of their life.*

*Please contact me if you can help. Offering to give a lift to one of the less able in our community doesn't mean you have to commit to every week. I am compiling a list of people who can offer lifts on a regular or less regular basis. The more of us that offer the more we can share our kindness and generosity.*

*I do hope you are able to offer support. Please contact me. Tony Schorah, SVP, 317655, [a.s.schorah@gmail.com](mailto:a.s.schorah@gmail.com)*

Retreat 3: now taking bookings, from Falmouth parish, and after this w/end Wadebridge, Bodmin, Liskeard and Saltash parishes. Ten places in total on third retreat, with possibly 2 already taken by extra applicants from Truro, and Newquay.

Arriving Monday morning, 8<sup>th</sup> August; departing Friday after "coming out of retreat tea and cakes" Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> August, 4.00pm.

In addition I have managed to secure some limited funding. All enquiries, whether about bookings for the retreat, or funding to facilitate such a booking are all dealt with in complete confidence through Rosemary Moffat on 01326 617023 (retreat co-ordinator).

Please note: Falmouth parishioners will be accompanied by Fr. Paul, as Rosemary is replacing Margaret Brittan as the second person accompanying retreatants in Retreat 3.

### **From Father Brian**

A big thank you to all who contributed to our lovely First Holy Communion Mass last Sunday, so many people worked very hard to make this day so meaningful for the children and the family and, indeed, the whole parish. Also I take the opportunity to wish all the Dads of the parish a very happy 'Fathers' Day'.

### **REFLECTION**

*Pope Francis on the subject of prayer at a General Audience on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2016:*

“Dear Brothers and Sisters: In our continuing catechesis for this Holy Year of Mercy, we now turn to the parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector (Lk 18:9-14). Jesus contrasts the arrogance and self-righteousness of the Pharisee’s prayer with the tax collector’s humble recognition of his sinfulness and need for the Lord’s mercy. True prayer is born of a heart which repents of its faults and failings, yet pleads for the grace to live the great commandment of love of God and neighbour. Indeed, the proud disdain of the Pharisee for the sinner at his side prevents him from being righteous in God’s sight. To pray well, then, we need to look into our own hearts and there, in humble silence, let the Lord speak to us. The honesty and humility which God asks of us is the necessary condition for our receiving his mercy. The Blessed Virgin Mary is the model of such prayer. In her Magnificat, she tells us that God looks with favour on the humility of his servants, and hears their plea. May she, our Mother, help us to pray as we ought.”

Fr John Gilbert.

### **The Knots Prayer**

Dear God

Please untie the ‘knots’ that are in my mind, my heart and my life.

Remove the have not, the cannot and do not, that I have in my mind.

Erase the will not, may not and might not that may find a home in my heart.

Release me from the could not, would not and should not, that obstruct my life.

And most of all dear God, I ask that you remove from my mind, my heart and my life all the am not’s that I have allowed to hold me back, especially the thought that I am not good enough.

Amen.

### **Sick**

Please pray for those in the Parish who are sick or housebound.

### **Falmouth:**

Kathleen O’Flaherty, Pip Owen, Gill Beaton, John Jenkin, Colin Campbell, Bill Cummins, Joan Lesk, Lynda Peace, Eve Anderson, Diana Momber, Annette Biagini, Sheila Mooney, Maureen Crosthwaite, Marjorie Brady, Peter Moffat, Chris Gee, Stan Gwynne, Margaret Wright, Brian Harry, Theresa Sullivan, Fr Louis Rieunier, Ben Davis, Sheila Mongey, Kerry Chellew, Caitlin Bee, baby Isabella Grace, Fr Robbie Low, Sheila Parsons, Marguerite Molyneux, Finn Lyons, Tony Bartlett, Katie Turner, Rebecca Emms, Mark Fanning, Ursula Emms, Kevin Allen, Suzy Hoyle, Howard Brebner, Beryl Blewett and Francis O’Hara.

### **Helston:**

Lisa Tripconey, Mary Harry, Heather Ashton, Nancy Bowkett, Poppy De’Ath, Pam O’Brien, Bill Collins, Chris & Mary Gilbert, May Gordon, Lilian Gilbert and Frieda Curnow.