

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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Parish Priest - Fr Brian Kenwick

Safeguarding Officers: - Sheila Jordan (619648)

Hilary Kiszczuk (212070)

13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

Psalter week 1

26th June 2016

FALMOUTH



SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Sr. Veronica Int.
SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH
SUN 10.45 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

Weekday Masses (13th week in Ordinary Time)

MON weekday 10.00 am Sr. Joseph RIP
TUES St Irenaeus 10.00 am Betty McKiernan RIP
WED SS. PETER & PAUL 10.00 am Sr. Pauline Int.
7.00 pm
THUR weekday 10.00 am Holy Souls MAWNAN SMITH
FRI St Oliver Plunkett 10.00 am Joseph Smith RIP
SAT Weekday 2.00 pm Mass for the Sick

EXPOSITION WEDNESDAY 10.30 am to 1 pm with Rosary at noon

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SATURDAY 5.30 pm to 6.25 pm

HELSTON

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

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Resident priest - Fr John Gilbert

Safeguarding Officer: - Frieda Curnow (572497)

SUN 9.00 am HELSTON Thomas Duckett RIP & John Chambers RIP.

SUN 11.00 am MULLION

Weekday Masses (13th week in Ordinary Time)

MON weekday NO MASS
TUES St Irenaeus 6.30 pm
WED SS. PETER & PAUL 10.00 am MULLION
7.30 pm
THUR weekday 10.00 am
FRI St Oliver Plunkett 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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Mass for the Sick and Housebound

Saturday **2nd 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 3rd 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!



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, **3rd July**

The Big Picture

Please note: No meeting this week, our next meeting is on **Tuesday 5th July**, 7pm, Parish Hall. The topic for our prayer and reflection for week 5 is **Incarnation**

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 28th 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 on 01326 312763.

Parish evening 'get-together' in aid of Medical Missionary Sisters in South Sudan

On **Saturday 9th July** from 7.30 pm in the hall at Falmouth.

Come and enjoy this annual event and bring your friends, a plate of food to share (and wine if you wish).

Donations for 3 missionary sisters who are providing family healthcare for 25,000 refugees in this war-torn country.

Enquiries to Mary Bradley on 01326 312768



Justice and Peace meeting (Falmouth)

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

Parish Outing!

A coach trip to Pencarrow House and gardens on **Thursday 11th 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.

Pro-Life Prayer Vigil

Outside Treliske Hospital on **Saturday 9th 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.

St Mary's Catholic Primary School News

St. Mary's Arts Week

We have had an exciting week as we have celebrated our Arts Week. The children have been immersed in a wide range of different art styles and mediums. All classes have had the opportunity to work with visiting artists, including Oliver West and Jamie Medlin. A particular highlight of the week was the squid ink printing workshop enjoyed by Classes 2 and 4. The outcomes across the school have been very impressive and demonstrate the artistic talents of all of our children.

Falmouth & Penryn Churches Together

Falmouth and Penryn Churches together, invite you to their AGM, Wednesday 6 July 2016 7.00pm, at New Life Church, Dracaena Avenue, Falmouth TR11 2EG.

Meeting will begin with a short time of prayer together, followed by a **brief** AGM and a report on the local needs of Falmouth. Evening will conclude with a **pasty supper and some time to socialise**.

Please come and join us. Please contact: Pat Fitzpatrick – email: patfitz60@btinternet.com or phone: 01326 316566 to order your veg or meat pasty.

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

Collections this week

£1,251.41 including standing orders thank you

July Rota (Falmouth)

Now available at back of church.

BAPTISM

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

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, 8th August; departing Friday after "coming out of retreat tea and cakes" Friday, 12th 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.

Fairtrade Goods

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

Congratulations

To **Lucy O'Boy** and **Mark Searle**, married at St Mary's, Falmouth this weekend



From Father Brian

This coming Wednesday (29th June) is the Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul, a Holy Day of Obligation In Falmouth to help you fulfil the obligation there will be two Masses, 10.00 am and 7.00 pm. Also in Mullion at 10.00 am and Helston at 7.30 pm.

Also this weekend there will be a retiring collection for Peter's Pence. This collection is offered to the Pope who uses it to help those throughout the world who are in most need. I apologise for the for the late notice of this collection.

REFLECTION

At his recent Jubilee Audience, Pope Francis spoke about the great importance of conversion: "Jesus made conversion the first word of his preaching: "Convert, and believe in the gospel." (Mark 1,15). It is with this proclamation that He presents Himself to the people, asking them to accept his word as the final and definitive word of the Father for humanity (cf. Mark 12,1-11). Compared to the preaching of the prophets, Jesus insists even more on the interior dimension of conversion. Indeed, the entire person is involved in it, heart and mind, in order to become a new creature.

"When Jesus calls to conversion, he does not set himself up as judge of persons, but he calls from a position of nearness, because he shares in the human condition, and calls from the street, from the home, from the table... Mercy towards those who needed to change their lives took place through his lovable presence so as to involve each person in his salvation history. With this way of being, Jesus touched the depth of people's hearts and they felt attracted by the love of God and invited to change their life. For example, the conversion of Matthew (cf. Matthew 9,9-13) and of Zacchaeus (cf. Luke 19,1-10) happened in exactly this manner, because they felt loved by Jesus and, through Him, by the Father. True conversion happens when we accept the gift of grace, and a clear sign of its authenticity is when we become aware of the needs of our brothers and are ready to draw near to them.

"Dear brothers and sisters, how many times have we also felt the need to effect a change which would involve our entire person! How many times do we say to ourselves: "I need to change, I can't continue this way. My life on this path will not give fruit; it will be a useless life and I won't be happy." How often these thoughts come! And Jesus, who is near us, extends his hand and says, "Come, come to me. I'll do the work: I'll change your heart, I'll change your life, I will make you happy." But do we believe this, yes or no? What do you think: do you believe this or not? Less applause and more voice! Do you believe or not? 'Yes!' So it is. Jesus who is with us invites us to change our life. It is He, with the Holy Spirit, who seeds in us this restlessness to change life and be a little better. Let us follow, therefore, this invitation of the Lord and let us not put up resistance, because only if we open ourselves to mercy will we find true life and true joy."

Fr John Gilbert.

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.