

St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

The Parish is a part of Plymouth RC Diocese, a Registered Charity no. 213227

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

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1st SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C)

Psalter week 1

10th March 2019



FALMOUTH

SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Peggy Keohane RIP & Michael Cronin RIP
SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH David Boulton RIP
SUN 10.45 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

Weekday Masses (1st week of Lent)

MON First week of Lent 10.00 am Deceased sisters of Les Filles de la Croix
TUES First week of Lent 10.00 am Janet Iovene RIP
WED First week of Lent 7.00 pm
THUR First week of Lent 10.00 am Philip Bertram Clark RIP MAWNAN SMITH
FRI First week of Lent 10.00 am
SAT First week of Lent 10.00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SATURDAY 10.30 to 11.15 am 5.30 pm to 6.25 pm

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

HELSTON

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

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Resident priest - Fr James Courtney O.S.B.

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SUN 9.00 am HELSTON

SUN 11.30 am MULLION



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THUR First week of Lent 6.30 pm
FRI First week of Lent 10.00 am
SAT First week of Lent NO MASS

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SUNDAY 8.30 am Helston, after Mass Mullion and weekdays after Mass

Morning/Evening prayer 15 minutes before daily Mass

Parish School, St Mary's, Mongleath Road 01326 314540

Stations of the Cross

Throughout the season of Lent there will be Stations of the Cross -

Friday in Mawnan Smith at 4.00 pm

Friday in Falmouth at 6.00 pm

Friday in Helston at 6.00 pm (from 15th March)

St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP)

Our next meeting is on **Wednesday 13th March** at 6.00 pm in the presbytery. This meeting is open to all parishioners who would like to know more about what we do.

Justice and Peace group

Tuesday March 12th 2pm in St. Mary's Church Hall Falmouth. Church Action on Poverty in the UK. Refreshments followed at 3.15pm when we remember and pray for Persecuted Christians. Everyone welcome

Lent Lunches -

Falmouth Wednesdays starting on **March 13th**

12.30 to 1.30 pm. Homemade soup and roll.

Sponsored by our SVP in aid of the Rose sisters in Kanji, India with deprived or disabled children.

There will be a short talk on their work. All are invited.

Mawnan Smith Fridays next on **15th March** 12.30

pm at The Methodist Schoolroom, Mawnan Smith. Proceeds to Christian Aid. All welcome

Mullion Wednesdays from 13th March 12.30 pm in the Methodist Chapel. All welcome

Walking together with Jesus

Parish Lenten Retreat

"For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them" (Matthew 18:20)

Sharing group meetings begin **Thursday 14th March**, St Mary's Hall, 7pm.

Gentle Keep Fit

On **Mondays** fortnightly from **18th March** after morning Mass so 10.35 am in the hall at Falmouth. All welcome, please bring your exercise mat.

Mother's Day Cake and Bake Sale

Sunday 31st March in the hall after 9am Helston mass there will be a sale of cakes and tray bakes to help raise funds for Lourdes DCSD Community Pilgrimage.

Any donations and support would be gratefully appreciated.

Contact Meg Trevaskis Helston 07813118426.

Helston Lenten Course – Churches Together

On Thursdays beginning **Thursday 14th March** in the hall then 21st & 28th March and 4th & 11th April. All very welcome, please join us.

CAFOD Lent Fast Day

Friday 15th March. Envelopes are available in the church for you to take and return next weekend with your contribution.

Soup & Sweet Lunch

Cornwall Hospice Care Falmouth Fundraising Group invites you to a Soup & Sweet lunch, **Tuesday 19th March**, 12 for 12.30 at St Mary's hall Falmouth. Cost £8. This is a ticketed event. Tickets can be purchased in advance from Pat Fitzpatrick - patfitz60@btinternet.com or telephone: 01326 316566

ST. MARY'S HELSTON, QUIZ NIGHT AND BRING A PLATE TO SHARE SUPPER 15th MARCH

We shall have our annual quiz and supper in the hall at Helston on **15th March** at 7.30 and the proceeds will again go to CHILDREN'S HOSPICE SOUTH WEST AT ST. AUSTELL..please don't be put off if you are not part of a team of 6, teams can be made up on the night. Please bring a plate to share for supper. Tea and coffee will be available but please bring your own wine. There will be a raffle and we would be grateful for any raffle prizes. These can be given to Rena McAllister and Pat Bowley as soon as possible. If you don't like quizzes or are unable to attend, donations will also be welcomed.

St Patrick's Eve – Ceilidh

We will be holding a St Patrick's Eve Ceilidh in the hall at Falmouth on **Saturday 16th March** from 7.30 pm. Numbers are limited so tickets are essential, available after Mass this weekend £2 per adult, £1 per child. Please bring a plate of food to share for the buffet. Tickets from Jan Schorah or Maureen Casey (Saturdays) or Sheila McLoughlin or Pat Fitzpatrick (Sundays).

Living with Loss

An invitation to meet for a cuppa and a chat is open to anyone living with loss. Whether bereaved recently or at any time, a place for mutual support and friendship. Please come along to our meeting on **Tuesday March 19th**, 2pm in the presbytery at Falmouth. Please see Julie Hession or call on 07799706036 or 01326 250623.

Diners Club Lunch

Tuesday 26th March 2019, in the Parish Hall. Arrival 12.30, (no earlier) for nibbles and sherry. Sit down at 1. pm to a two-course lunch of Pork Chops and all the trimmings, and a selection of desserts, followed by coffee/tea and mints all for £7.50. We can only cater for 20, so places are limited. **Please contact either Sheila Mcloughlin: 319524 or Mary Bradley: 312768 to book a place.**

St Mary's Fairtrade Stall

Can you help?

We are looking for new helpers to join our team. Fairtrade stall is 2nd Sunday of the month. If we have 6 members in the team, your turn would come round every three months. Goods are picked up from the Fairtrade Hub in Truro. We share the pick-up and returns with Falmouth Methodist Church. If you are interested, or want to know more, speak to Pat Fitzpatrick – phone: 316566 or email: patfitz60@btinternet.com

Children's Liturgy helpers!

A day of support & formation for you will take place on **Saturday 30th March**, 10.30am – 3.30pm at the Catholic Church of St Augustine of Hippo, St Austell. This will be led by Dr Caroline Farey who is employed to help provide formation support across the diocese. Please bring some lunch with you. Tea and coffee will be provided.

Parish Safeguarding Representative for the Helston side of the parish.

As a Safeguarding Rep you will provide a link between the parish and the Safeguarding Office, who will train and support you in this role. A new DBS may be required.

If you are confident in the use of IT, willing to also process recruitment paperwork and forms and would like to be considered for this ministry, then please speak to Father James.

Gift Aid Envelopes

Are now available please collect from Hilary or Jack in Falmouth or sacristy in Helston.

Nun on the Run!

Sister Augustine is doing the 'FunRun' again this year. This time for St Mary's Catholic Primary School. This event takes place in Dorchester organised by the Lions Club on **Sunday 5th May**. She would be most grateful for your support. Thank you for your generosity every year.

Sky-Diving Student!

I am taking part in a tandem skydive on **Sunday 5th May** 2019 in St Agnes, Cornwall. This is in aid of the local charity Surfers Against Sewage, Please feel free to donate using the sponsorship form in church or, alternatively, you can donate via: <https://mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/emilychambers1> Many thanks for your support and donations. Emily Chambers

Walk with Me

This popular little aid to prayer for Lent is available at the back of church.

Lourdes DCSD (Devon, Cornwall, Dorset and Somerset) Community Pilgrimage 2019

Friday 24th- Friday 31st May 2019 flying Exeter - Lourdes direct. Full bed and board 4* hotel £874.50.

175th Anniversary of St. Bernadette's birth and 140th anniversary of her death.

2019 Pilgrimage theme: "Blessed are the poor, for the kingdom of God is yours".

All pilgrims, helpers and priests welcome to join our second annual pilgrimage.

For more info see poster in vestibule.

Contact Meg Trevaskis Helston 07813118426.

From Father Brian

Once again we have begun another season of Lent. This special time before Easter should be a challenge for all Christians. It is an opportunity for us to deepen our relationship with Jesus and appreciate even more the great sacrifice of the cross. Many of us try our best to spend more time with Jesus during Lent through the Mass, prayer and scripture. A happy and fruitful Lent to you all. As we did in Advent, during Lent we will be using the Apostles' creed.

Point to Ponder

During Lent, let us find concrete ways to overcome our indifference.

(Pope Francis)

Please pray for **Thyra Martin** who died last week. May the Lord grant her eternal rest.

Diary Dates – we are all welcome at all events – both sides of the parish!

Falmouth

Wednesday 13th March – 3.30 pm – table tennis – hall

Wednesday 13th March – 12.30 pm -Lent lunch - hall

Friday 15th March - 6.00 pm – Stations of the Cross - church

Saturday 16th March – 7.30 pm - St Patrick's Eve Ceilidh – hall – ticketed event

Tuesday 19th March –12 pm - CHC Soup & Sweet lunch - hall

Tuesday 19th March - 2.00 pm – Living with Loss - presbytery

Tuesday 19th March – 7.00 pm - confirmation candidates – hall

Tuesday 26th March – 12.30 pm Diners Club – hall – ticketed event

Tuesday 23rd April – 2.00 pm – Living with Loss - hall

Helston

Thursday 14th March 10.00 am - Shawl Ministry – hall

Thursday 14th March – 7.00 pm Lenten course – hall

Friday 15th March – 6.00 pm -Stations of the Cross - church

Friday 15th March - 7.30 pm Quiz night - hall

Other locations

Tuesday 12th March – 3.45 pm First Holy Communion candidates – St Mary's School

Friday 15th March – 12.30 pm – Lent Lunch – Methodist schoolroom, Mawnan Smith

Friday 15th March – 4.00 pm – Stations of the Cross – St Edwards

Saturday 30th March – 10.30 am Children's Liturgy course – St Austell RC church

Prayer Requests

Please pray for those in the Parish who are sick or housebound or in need of our prayers.

Falmouth:

Kathleen O'Flaherty, Pip Owen, Colin Campbell, Lynda Peace, Eve Anderson, Annette Biagini, Margaret Wright, Theresa Sullivan, Kerry Chellew, baby Isabella Grace, Finn Lyons, Katie Turner, Rebecca Emms, Ursula Emms, Suzy Hoyle, Pat Richards, Kerry-Ann Patrick, Peter Beaumont, Prue Sharrock, Victor Nicholson, Marta Castillo Capel, Nick Malone, Colin Jago, Jason Campbell, Stuart Fearn, Chelsea Robinson, Joe Ryan, Alison Wheatley, Dennis Scrace, Barbara Davis, June Martin, Sylvia Rowe, Jozef Stasiak, Winn Xenaky, Raymond Mulligan, Sister Martin, Steven Pellow, John Harkin, David Malloy, Hazel Wilkes, Pat Berney, Marek Jurina, Slavo Pekar, Eileen Quilter, Catherine Stark, baby Charlie Wilkes, Wilf Perham, James Crooks, Hugh McLoughlin, Rosemary Moffat, baby George Perry, Patrick O'Connor and Chris Batten.

Helston:

Lisa Tripconey, Mary Harry, Heather Ashton, Poppy De'Ath, Chris O'Brien, Mary Gilbert, May Gordon, Frieda Curnow, Joe Chapman, Isobel Ellis, Rita Eaton, Christine Cowen, Alex Mullaly, John Shiell, Chris Gilbert, and Betty Sposini.