



# St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

Falmouth

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

Helston

Parish Church:- St Mary Immaculate,

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with St Mary's, Helston, St Michael's, Mullion and St Edward's, Mawnan Smith

**Parish Priest - Fr Brian Kenwick**

**Safeguarding Officers: - Sheila Jordan (619648) Hilary Kiszczuk (212070)**

**Helston contact:- Lorna Bean (07769176130)**

**24<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)**

(Psalter 4)

**17<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

**SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Teresa McNulty RIP**

**SUN 9.00 am HELSTON Vicky Webb RIP**

**SUN 10.45 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish**

**Weekday Masses (24<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time)**

<b>MON</b> weekday	<b>10.00 am</b>	John Agg RIP	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>TUES</b> Ss. Theodore & Januarius	<b>10.00 am</b>	Daughters of the Cross - Torquay	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>WED</b> Korean Martyrs	<b>9.30 am</b>	Class 4	<b>ST. MARY'S SCHOOL</b>
<b>THURS</b> ST MATTHEW	<b>10.00 am</b>	Nora Caroline Lee RIP	<b>MAWNAN SMITH</b>
<b>FRI</b> DEDICATION OF CATHEDRAL	<b>10.00 am</b>	Mary Crouch RIP	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>SAT</b> St Pius of Pietrelcina	<b>10.00 am</b>		<b>MULLION</b>

Please join us for Morning Prayer at 9.45 am at Falmouth on Monday, Tuesday and Friday.

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

SATURDAY 11 am to 11.45 am Helston, 5.30 pm to 6.25 pm Falmouth

## **EXPOSITION**

WEDNESDAY 10.30 am to 1.00 pm Falmouth with Rosary at 12 noon

### **Parish School**

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

01326 314540

Please join us for tea and coffee after Sunday Masses in the halls at Helston and Falmouth

### **First Holy Communion 2018**

If you have a child who is a baptised Catholic and will be 8 years old (year 3) by next summer and you wish your child to prepare for First Holy Communion, please forward your child's name and date of birth and your contact details to the Parish Office, Killigrew Street, Falmouth TR11 3PR telephone 01326 312763. Details required by end of September 2017.

### **RCIA**

If you are interested in becoming a Roman Catholic or if you know of someone who may be interested please contact the Parish Office with details – telephone 01326 312763.

### **"Golden Oldies"**

Dance your calories away to the sounds of the 60's! A gentle and fun way to keep fit with Maureen D'Silva in the hall at Falmouth after Tuesday Mass starting on **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September** 10.45 to 11.45. Donations to church funds.

### **Bingo Evening**

The Guides and Brownies invite you to join them on a Bingo Evening. All proceeds to the Church Funds. This will take place in the church hall at Falmouth on **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September**, 6.30 for a 7.00 pm start. £3 per person. Raffle and refreshments. Come and have fun.

### **Will you take the first step to be an Intentional Disciple?**

in our regular meetings we do not expect that we shall all have had wonderful moments of bringing people to God, much as that would be lovely. We start with the idea that before we talk to others about God we have to be comfortable with the idea of talking about God between ourselves, so this is what we do. We do not expect that everyone who attends our meetings should openly contribute and we do not pass comments on any one's experiences. We support and encourage each other just as the original apostles did. Every one's attendance and contribution is valuable no matter what. Come along and see what we do at the next meeting of the Parish Group of Intentional Disciples on **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September** at 7.00 pm in the hall at Falmouth. Just trust in the Lord, take the first step and say "yes". Call Chris Ohly to find out more (01326 250569)

### **St Mark's Gospel a talk by Fr Brian**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September** at 7 pm in the church hall at Falmouth, an introduction to the Gospel of St. Mark by Fr Brian. It won't be long til advent, the beginning of the church's year and the gospel for that year will be mainly St Mark hopefully this evening will enable us all to prepare ourselves for the gospel in the coming year. All are welcome and encouraged to come.

### **100/200/300 club**

The first draw will take place on **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September** it's not too late to sign up call office for details.

### **Taize Prayer Service**

Bless the Lord my soul  
And bless God's holy name  
Bless the Lord my soul

Who leads us into life (From Psalm 104)

Taize Prayer Service for Creation, **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September**, 6.30pm, St Budock Parish Church. Pray and care for creation together. **Everyone welcome.**

### **Justice and Peace – Open Meeting**

On **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September** from 2 pm in the hall at Falmouth. "Our responses as Christians to the call to work for justice and peace in our world today". All welcome. Prayers for the Persecuted church from 3 to 3.45 pm. Enquiries Mary Bradley 312758

### **Fair trade**

The usual Fairtrade stall will be available in the hall at Falmouth after 10.45 am Mass on **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October**

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

Please join us to pray quietly outside Treliske Hospital on **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October** from 11 am to 12 noon.

### **Alf and Dot Waddingham**

Many of us will have fond memories of Alf and Dot. Sadly, Alf died about 5 months ago and Dot is now in a residential home. Alf's family have kindly donated a statue of Mary with the infant Jesus. It is located on the altar next to St Joseph's statue. Our thanks go to the family and we will continue to pray for Alf and Dot.

### **Collection**

Thank you for your generosity, **£1,141.99** was collected last week, including standing orders

## **Focus on Your Marriage - Catholic Marriage**

### **Enrichment,**

**Saturday, 21 October 2017, 10.00 to 16.30**

St Peter's Church, Crownhill, 15 Boniface Lane,  
Plymouth. PL5 3AX.

Drinks provided, please bring a packed lunch.

Films, inspiration, couple activities (but no group work).

To book a place please contact - Deborah van Kroonenburg, [deborahvankroo@gmail.com](mailto:deborahvankroo@gmail.com)  
or text - 07961099173

### **We Care About Women**

This is a campaign of the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children (SPUC) to oppose decriminalising abortion. As part of the We Care About Women campaign SPUC is organising a Mass Constituency-based Lobby and is asking people to make an appointment with their MP to ask him/her to vote against any moves in Parliament to decriminalise abortion.

The Mass Constituency-based Lobby is taking place on 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> October. Please note SPUC is not asking people to come to Westminster to meet their MP.

Decriminalising abortion means removing all legal restrictions on abortion. This will leave women even more vulnerable to the unscrupulous abortion industry at work in our country. And more unborn babies will be lost to abortion.

Please contact SPUC for comprehensive materials on the issue of decriminalising abortion and how to organise a meeting with your MP. Please call SPUC on 0207 091 7091 or go to [www.spuc.org.uk](http://www.spuc.org.uk). Alternatively you can write to : SPUC, Unit B, 3 Whitacre Mews, Stannary Street, London SE11 4AB

### **Stations of the Cross**

Many of us remember fondly the Stations of the Cross written by Michael Guest during his time here with us. These have recently been accepted for publication and will be available at £3.95, if anyone would like to purchase this little book Michael will be happy to provide a signed copy. Please give your details to the office. The books should be published in time for Lent 2018.

### **OLD for NEW**

Please be aware that as of the **17th October** the old pound coins cease to be legal tender and can only be returned to the bank in units of £20.

This applies to **all collections**, for the church, red boxes or any other collections

### **Quiet Day at Buckfast**

*'Forgive and Forget, is it possible to forget?'*

Violet Evelyn Hall at Southgate, **Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**September** from 10.00am to 3.00pm. The cost is £15 to include refreshments and a light lunch.

See poster in porch. Booking forms available from office.

### **Plymouth Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land :** **18 – 25 February 2019**

Presentation and Facts Evening at 7 pm

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October – St Richard Reynold's Centre,  
29 Fore Street, Heavitree, Exeter EX1 2QJ

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October – Holy Trinity Centre, Culliford  
Rd North, Dorchester DT1 1QG

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October – Our Lady of the Portal  
and St Piran, St Austell Street, Truro TR1 1SE**

*Further details: Pilgrimage People, Stapleford  
Granary, Bury Road, Stapleford, Cambridge CB22  
5BP*

*Email: [info@pilgrimagepeople.org](mailto:info@pilgrimagepeople.org) Phone  
08006123423*

*Website <http://www.pilgrimagepeople.org>*

Price: £1380 per person sharing (£220 single supplement).

Itinerary sheet available from office.

### **Catholic Newspapers**

We are finding that most of the Catholic papers remain unsold and are being recycled and so from 1<sup>st</sup> November we will be reducing our order and will only order sufficient for those people who have told us they want one. Please let us know in the office if you would like one ordered for you. This is not a commitment to buy just a chance for us to manage our order more efficiently.

### **From Father Brian**

In today's Gospel Jesus talks about forgiveness. The ability and the strength to forgive is one of the major qualities we associate with our Lord. Yet we, as His followers, so often find it is difficult to follow His example. It is very hard to forgive those who have hurt us. However, may we never give up in our efforts to forgive as Jesus forgives.

### **Point to Ponder**

To forgive is to set a prisoner free and discover that the prisoner was you.  
*Lewis B. Smedes, ethicist and theologian*

### **Important Notice – Change of Mass times**

From weekend of 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> October 2017 our Sunday Mass times will be as follows:-

Saturday 6.30 pm Falmouth

Sunday 9.00 am Helston

Sunday 9.00 am Mawnan Smith

Sunday 11.00 am Mullion

Sunday 10.45 am Falmouth

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

#### **Falmouth**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 'Golden Oldies' 10.45 am in hall**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September 7.00 pm – Fr Brian talk on Gospel of St Mark – hall**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September 7.00 pm Intentional Disciples - hall**

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September 6.30 pm Bingo evening in hall presented by our Guide group**

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September Justice & Peace meeting with prayers from 2 pm**

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October FPCT volunteers party in hall 7.30 pm**

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October 7.30 pm AoS Quiz and Pasty night - hall**

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October 11.30 am Autumn Fair -hall**

#### **Helston**

#### **Other locations**

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September community walk from St Edwards Mawnan Smith 11 am approx.**

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 10 am Quiet Day at Buckfast Abbey**

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September Taize Service at Budock Church 6 pm, Theme - Celebrating Creation**

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October 7 pm Transforming Mission, All Saints Church, Falmouth**

**Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October 10 am Marriage Enrichment, St Peter's, Crownhill**

#### **Sick**

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

#### **Falmouth:**

Kathleen O'Flaherty, Pip Owen, Gill Beaton, Colin Campbell, Lynda Peace, Kathleen Weaver, Eve Anderson, Annette Biagini, Sheila Mooney, Dot Waddingham, Maureen Crosthwaite, Marjorie Brady, Peter Moffat, Chris Gee, Stan Gwynne, Margaret Wright, Theresa Sullivan, Kerry Chellew, baby Isabella Grace, Marguerite Molyneux, Finn Lyons, Katie Turner, Rebecca Emms, Mark Fanning, Ursula Emms, Kevin Allen, Suzy Hoyle, Pat Richards, Kerry-Ann Patrick, Peter Beaumont, Prue Sharrock, Victor Nicholson, Marta Castillo Capel, Nick Malone, Colin Jago, Jason Campbell, Stuart Wiseman, Stuart Fearn, Chelsea Robinson, Joe Ryan, Alison Wheatley, Dennis Scrace, Barbara Davis, Keith Holmes, Tony Worrall, June Martin, Sylvia Rowe, Beth Hall, Jozef Stasiak, Winn Xenaky, Thyra Martin, Theresa Lawrence, Raymond Mulligan, Sister Martin, Sam Micciche, Mary Froom, Steven Pellow and Pat Berney.

#### **Helston:**

Lisa Tripconey, Mary Harry, Heather Ashton, Nancy Bowkett, Poppy De'Ath, Chris O'Brien, Mary Gilbert, May Gordon, Frieda Curnow, Joe Chapman, Isobel Ellis, Rita Eaton and Christine Cowen.