



# St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

Falmouth

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

Helston

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**3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A) (Psalter week 3)**

**22<sup>nd</sup> January 2017**

**SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Ben Davis int.**

**SUN 9.00 am HELSTON Edward Michael Keely RIP**

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

**Weekday Masses (3<sup>rd</sup> week in Ordinary Time)**

<b>MON</b>	<b>weekday</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>Pat &amp; Tony Dickenson int.</b>	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>TUES</b>	<b>St Francis de Sales</b>	<b><u>11.00 am</u></b>	<b>Funeral Bill Cummins RIP</b> (Reception of body 6.00 pm Monday)	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>WED</b>	<b>CONVERSION OF ST PAUL</b>	<b>12 noon</b>		<b>HELSTON</b>
		<b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Dr Michael Walsh</b>	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>THUR</b>	<b>Ss. Timothy &amp; Titus</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>Frances Adams int.</b>	<b>MAWNAN SMITH</b>
<b>FRI</b>	<b>St Angela Merici</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>Graham Pemberton RIP</b>	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>SAT</b>	<b>Bishop's Ordination ann.</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>		<b>MULLION</b>

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

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

## **EXPOSITION**

WEDNESDAY 10.30am to 1 pm Falmouth (with Rosary at 12 noon)

### **Parish School**

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

01326 314540

### **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**

**18<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> January 2017.**

United service on Sunday **22<sup>nd</sup> January** at 4 pm at Central Methodist Church, Helston and at 6 pm at Falmouth New Life Church, Dracaena Avenue.

Service at St Mary's Helston on Monday **23<sup>rd</sup> January** at 12.45 pm followed by soup lunch.

### **Eucharistic Ministers Meeting**

Would all those that Fr. Brian has approached and invited to become Eucharistic Ministers please do their best to attend the meeting on **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January at 7 pm**. In the hall at Falmouth. Current Eucharistic Ministers are also encouraged to come.

### **Being the Body of Christ**

An FPCT study day on **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January** from 10 am to 4 pm at Emmanuel Baptist Church, Western Terrace, Falmouth.

**'Live Simply that others may Simply Live'**

One of the main speakers will be Mary Conway our Diocesan Justice and Peace advisor.

Lunch included, no charge, donations accepted.

See details on porch noticeboard.

### **Bacon Butty Sunday**

The Apostleship of the Sea are putting on their popular Winter Warmer on **Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> January** following the 10.45 Mass in Falmouth.

Bacon Butty's still only £2.50

### **Discipleship and Parish Evangelisation**

**Friday February 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Please come along and join this friendly and informal group as we look at ways to grow together in confidence to greater serve our Lord, our parish and the wider community. There is no great time commitment other than to attend a monthly meeting. Enjoy prayer and fellowship and see how exciting it is to discuss the work of the Holy Spirit and grow in a sense of personal discipleship. This is a part of a worldwide growing community of Catholic Christians deeply committed to growing and sharing the Faith.

If you would like to know more please call Michele 07940 45360

### **New Hymn Books**

We are hoping to buy new hymn books for the parish (all 4 churches) and would like to invite you to sponsor a book! For just £6 you can have your dedication inside the front of a new Laudate hymn book. Please complete an order form (available at back of churches) and return to the office.

### **New Diocesan Certificate**

Bishop Mark has endorsed a study course offered by the School of the Annunciation, delivered online with 6 study days at Buckfast Abbey, which is aimed at parish level for any and all who would like to deepen their understanding of the Faith. Useful for parish evangelisation teams, for parents and for catechists, the course runs for 18 months, and the Bishop will issue diocesan certificates for those who complete it. Fuller details of the content of the course are available on the School's website

(<http://schooloftheannunciation.com/site.php?id=74>). The course begins with a study day at Buckfast on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February, and applications need to be in by Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February. Application forms are available from your Parish Priest, or can be downloaded at [http://schooloftheannunciation.com/uploads/FF\\_NE\\_Buckfast\\_Application\\_Form\\_2017\(2\).pdf](http://schooloftheannunciation.com/uploads/FF_NE_Buckfast_Application_Form_2017(2).pdf)

### **Church Security**

We are pleased to be able to tell you that we have installed cctv in St Mary's, Falmouth meaning that it will once again be possible for the church at Falmouth to remain open during the day. The cctv is not continuously monitored but does record so that in the event of any incident we would be able to provide the police with evidence. It may be necessary to add an extra camera if we find there are blind spots.

### **Helston informal planning meeting**

Please join us in the hall after 9.00 am Mass next Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> January, to discuss our social calendar for 2017.

## **St Mary's School News**

As we begin a new term we would like to welcome you to all our weekly Masses and Acts of Worship. We really value the attendance of our parishioners. This week the Mass will be led by Class 4 and begins at 9.30am.

Future Masses are as follows

- 1<sup>st</sup> February Act of Worship led by Class 2 at 9.15am
- 8<sup>th</sup> February Act of Worship led by Class 1 at 9.15am
- 22<sup>nd</sup> February Act of Worship led by Reception Class at 9.15am

At the end of last term the children showed their commitment to the local community by collecting food for the Falmouth and Penryn Foodbank. Through such acts of charity the children are developing their awareness of those less fortunate than themselves.

Our School Council welcomed the Mayor to their last meeting. They enjoyed having the opportunity to ask questions and find out more about his role and responsibilities in the local community. Our representatives from Class 6 took the mayor on a tour of the school and he was very impressed with their confident and knowledgeable approach.



### **Catalyst Group (18 – 40 ) Adoration**

Weekly Adoration for young adults is being held at Our Lady of the Portal and St Piran, St Austell Street, Truro, between 8pm and 9pm every Wednesday.

The Catalyst Group is a fellowship group for young Catholic adults (18 to 40) giving people the opportunity to socialise with other Catholics of a similar age, make friends and share their Faith and how they practice it in everyday life. They currently meet on Wednesday evenings at Our Lady of the Portal and St Piran Catholic Church, St Austell St, Truro for Exposition and Benediction. For more information please contact Ben on 07850 016367.

### **Helston Church cleaning**

We need a few more volunteers as several have had to give up for various reasons. It entails one and half hrs at the most every 3 months. We find that male cleaners are especially proficient. We would be grateful for the help to keep our rota working well. Please see Anne Randall.

### **Collection this week**

£1,120.82 including standing orders thank you

### **Visit to Shelterbox**

Advance notice – book this date in your diary. Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> February from 2 to 3 pm at the new visitor centre in Truro. More details nearer the time.

**From Fr Brian**

Sunday's Gospel reminds us that, like the Apostles, we too are called by Jesus to follow Him. May all of us try to discern how best we can serve our Lord in our daily life.

**Point to Ponder**

“To be saints is not a privilege for the few, but a vocation for everyone.”  
(Pope Francis)

**First Holy Communion**

Meeting for children on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 3.45 pm in St Mary's School at Falmouth.

**Confirmation**

Meeting for candidates on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00 pm in St Mary's hall at Falmouth.

**R.C.I.A.**

For those preparing to be received into the church at Easter, next meeting this coming Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January at 6.30 pm in St Mary's hall at Falmouth.

**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, Joan Lesk, Lynda Peace, Kathleen Weaver, John Jenkin, Eve Anderson, Diana Momber, Annette Biagini, Sheila Mooney, Alf & Dot Waddingham, 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, baby Isabella Grace, Fr Robbie Low, Marguerite Molyneux, Finn Lyons, Katie Turner, Rebecca Emms, Mark Fanning, Ursula Emms, Kevin Allen, Suzy Hoyle, Howard Brebner, Liam Rogers, Pat Richards, Kerry-Ann Patrick, Peter Beaumont, Prue Sharrock, Chris Offord, Victor Nicholson, Marta Castillo Capel, Nick Malone, Colin Jago, Jason Campbell, Chelsea Robinson, Anthony Weaver, Joe Ryan, Alison Wheatley and Dennis Scrace.

**Helston:**

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

