

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

Psalter week 4

3<sup>rd</sup> February 2019



## FALMOUTH

SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Private Intention  
SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH  
SUN 10.45 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

Weekday Masses (4<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time)

MON	weekday	10.00 am	Requiem Gil Beaton	
TUES	St Agatha	10.00 am	Mark Fanning RIP	
WED	St Paul Miki & comps	9.30 am	Class 6	ST MARY'S SCHOOL
		7.00 pm		
THUR	weekday	10.00 am		MAWNAN SMITH
FRI	Ss. Jerome Emiliani & Josephine Bakhita	10.00 am		
SAT	weekday	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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SUN 9.00 am HELSTON  
SUN 11.30 am MULLION

Weekday Masses (4<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time)

MON	weekday	9.30 am		
TUES	St Agatha	NO MASS		
WED	St Paul Miki & comps	6.30 pm		
THUR	weekday	10.00 am	Requiem Tess Farelly	
FRI	Ss. Jerome Emiliani & Josephine Bakhita	10.00 am		
SAT	weekday	NO MASS		

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

Morning/Evening prayer 15minutes before daily Mass

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

### **Thanksgiving Light Lunch, - TODAY**

**Sunday 3rd February**, after 10.45am Mass at the Parish Hall, St Mary's, Falmouth.

Words are not enough to express our joy for the incomparable love, care, prayer and moral support of the whole parish during our darkest moments. We would like you to join us for a light Thanksgiving lunch to celebrate the gift of life. A million thanks for your true friendship. With Love, Eve and Patrick (O'Connor).

### **1<sup>st</sup> TUESDAY COFFEE MORNING 5th February 2019**

Join us for coffee/tea/cake, and a chat after Mass (10.35 – 11.30am), Parish Hall, **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2019**. Second-hand books for sale.



Everyone welcome.

### **CAFOD Deanery Meeting**

CAFOD is the official aid agency of the Catholic Church in England and Wales. We believe in a world where we can reach every woman, man and child so they can flourish. We have the potential to reach everyone because of the global reach of the Catholic Church but we have to turn away one in three requests for help because we don't have enough money to support them all. We want to change this. CAFOD in the Plymouth Diocese is holding a Lent Family Fast Day briefing for volunteers and parishioners in Cornwall interested in CAFOD's work on **Saturday 16 February**. All are welcome. We will meet from 11am to 1pm in the Parish Hall of St Mary Immaculate, Falmouth. Tea and coffee will be available from 10.30am, with a shared lunch following the meeting. For more information, please call 01752 268 768 or email [plymouth@cafod.org.uk](mailto:plymouth@cafod.org.uk).

### **Open Parish Meeting**

To discuss possible events to celebrate our anniversary year, on **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February** in the hall at Falmouth at 6.30 pm. No idea too silly to discuss! Please come along – Father Brian would appreciate input from as many people as possible.

### **Helston Discussion Group**

Meet for their second evening on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February** at 7 pm in the hall.

### **Film Night at Helston**

On **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February** we will be showing 'The Scarlet and the Black' in the hall at Helston at 7 pm. All welcome to come along to this highly acclaimed film.

### **Gentle Keep Fit**

On **Mondays 11<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> February** then fortnightly from 4<sup>th</sup> March after morning Mass so 10.35 am in the hall at Falmouth. All welcome, please bring your exercise mat.

### **Justice and Peace Group**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February** in the hall at Falmouth, 2 – 3 pm Seeking Peace in Conflict, 3 pm refreshments, 3.15 – 4 pm Persecuted Christians how can we help? A local ecumenical initiative.

### **SVP Living with Loss support group**

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 first meeting on **Tuesday February 19<sup>th</sup>**, 2pm in the Parish Hall at Falmouth. Please see Julie Hession or call on 07799706036 or 01326 250623.



### **Intentional Disciples**

Meet next on **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February** in the hall at Falmouth, please contact Chris Ohly on 01326 250569 for details.

### **FairTrade**

Our regular FairTrade stall will be in the hall after 10.45 am Mass on **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February** for all your FairTrade needs.

### **Lent Lunches**

Sponsored by the our SVP will be held on Wednesdays in Lent starting **13<sup>th</sup> March**. Proceeds to Community Development Project in India – details to follow.

## Walking together with Jesus

### **Parish Lenten Retreat**

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

You are warmly invited to a short meeting on **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February** 2019, at 7pm, St Mary’s parish hall Falmouth, to introduce this weekly retreat.

Paper copies of prayer material required for Lent will be provided. This material will also be available online. Those taking part will be invited to meet weekly in the parish hall, either to share in small groups some of the fruits of their prayer time with the Lord or just to listen if preferred. Small group meetings will begin Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March.

### **Liturgy of the Word with Children (Children’s Liturgy)**

Thanks to the dedicated service of some of our catechists we are blessed to have children’s liturgy in our parish, which gives children from 5 onwards the opportunity to celebrate the Word of God in a way that is suitable for them. Children’s liturgy is not meant to be a creche for younger children who, because of their age, are unable to understand and take part. Therefore, from **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February** the 5+ children who take part in the liturgy will be with the catechist in the presbytery and the parents of younger children are invited to take them to the crypt where they must stay with their children. All children are expected to return to the church for the liturgy of the Eucharist. My sincere thanks to all who enable children’s liturgy to be celebrated.

**Please Note** in accordance with our Diocesan Safeguarding policy, parents are responsible for the safety and behaviour of their children at all times. From Fr Brian.

### **Children’s Liturgy helpers!**

A day of support & formation for you will take place on **Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> 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.**

This is a vital volunteer ministry for our community, providing a supportive presence in the parish, alongside promoting good and safe practice and referring on any concerns. 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.

### **Sky-Diving Student!**

I am taking part in a tandem skydive on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2019 in St Agnes, Cornwall. This is in aid of the local charity Surfers Against Sewage, which is working to protect oceans, waves, beaches and wildlife in and around Cornwall. Studying at the University of Exeter’s Cornwall campus has inspired a self-proclaimed city girl like myself that we need to do more for the environment to ensure that it remains intact for future generations to enjoy the natural beauty that Cornwall has to offer. 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

### **FairTrade Fortnight Event**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March**, 11.30 am to 2.30 pm at the Council Chambers, Municipal Buildings, Falmouth.

### **Retreats in the Diocese**

Please see the poster in the porch giving details of the retreats happening in the diocese this year, most at Buckfast with one at Sclerder.

### **100+ club**

Congratulations to our January winners: 1<sup>st</sup> – 109, 2<sup>nd</sup> – 19, 3<sup>rd</sup> – 103.

**Notice** is given of the forthcoming marriage of Robert Andrew Walker and Mary Andrea McElroy at St Michael’s, Mullion on 16<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

### **From Father Brian**

This coming **Friday** (8<sup>th</sup> February) has been chosen by the Church to be a 'Day of Prayer for Victims of Human Trafficking and Those who wish to combat it'. Even today in our world many suffer as a result of being bought, sold, transported into slavery for sexual exploitation, domestic servitude and forced labour. We pray for them and for those within the Church who offer pastoral support and for all agencies working in collaboration to combat human trafficking.

### **Point to Ponder**

Whenever you find yourself on the side of the majority, it is time to pause and reflect.

*(Mark Twain)*

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

#### **Falmouth**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February – 10.35 am – Coffee morning - hall**

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> February – 3.30 pm – table tennis – hall**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February – 6.30 pm RCIA – presbytery**

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February – 11.45 am FairTrade stall – hall**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February – 7.00 pm - confirmation candidates - hall**

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> February – 10.35 am CAFOD day – hall**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February – 2.00 pm – Living with Loss - hall**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> February – 6.30 pm – Parish meeting – hall**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February – 7.00 pm – Intentional Disciples – hall**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February – 7.00 pm – Lenten retreat meeting - hall**

#### **Helston**

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February 10.00 am - Shawl Ministry – hall**

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February 7.00 pm – discussion group – hall**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> February 7.00 pm – Film 'The Scarlet and the Black' - hall**

#### **Other locations**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February – 3.45 pm First Holy Communion candidates – St Mary's School**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March FairTrade Event 11.30 am – Municipal Buildings, Falmouth**

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> 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, 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, June Martin, Sylvia Rowe, Jozef Stasiak, Winn Xenaky, Thyra Martin, 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, Chris Batten and Norma Smith.

#### **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.