



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

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**4<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)** (Psalter week 4)

**29<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

**SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH** Ian & Joan Campbell wedding ann.

**SUN 9.00 am HELSTON** Private Intention

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

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

<b>MON</b> weekday	<b>10.00 am</b>	Sister Teresa int.	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>TUES</b> St John Bosco	<b>10.00 am</b>	Dr. Michael Walsh int.	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>WED</b> weekday	<b>12 noon</b>		<b>HELSTON</b>
	<b>7.00 pm</b>	Christine & George Surfleet RIP	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>THUR</b> PRESENTATION OF THE LORD	<b>10.00 am</b>	Anthony Palmer RIP	<b>MAWNAN SMITH</b>
		<i>(body of Ben Davis RIP being received in Falmouth at 6.00 pm)</i>	
<b>FRI</b> Ss. Blaise & Ansgar	<b>10.00 am</b>	<u>Funeral Ben Davis RIP</u>	<b>FALMOUTH</b>
<b>SAT</b> weekday	<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

### **Bacon Butty Sunday**

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

Bacon Butty's still only £2.50

### **St Vincent de Paul Society**

We next meet at 6 pm on **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February** in the presbytery at Falmouth. If you would like to know more about the work we do please come along, we would particularly like to invite anybody from the Helston side of the parish to come along for a taster session.

### **Discipleship and Parish Evangelisation**

**Friday February 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7 pm in the church in Falmouth.**

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

### **Retreats in the Diocese of Plymouth 2017**

All in Southgate Retreat House, Buckfast.

March 11<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) Lenten Quiet Day

May 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> (Fri - Sun) Weekend Retreat

May 29<sup>th</sup> – June 2<sup>nd</sup> (Mon – Fri) Midweek Retreat

May 26<sup>th</sup> – June 2<sup>nd</sup> (Fri – Fri) 6 day Retreat

October 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> (Fri - Sun) Weekend Retreat

October 9<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> (Mon – Fri) Midweek Retreat

October 6<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> (Fri – Fri) 6 day Retreat

November 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> (Fri – Sun) weekend Retreat – a 'taster' for anyone who would like to try a retreat for the first time.

All retreats are silent and individually guided by members of the Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Team.

:01548 852670,adriantoffolo@yahoo.co.uk

### **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/FFNE Buckfast Application Form 2017\(2\).pdf](http://schooloftheannunciation.com/uploads/FFNE 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.

### **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. If you can mark on your form which church you would like your book to be kept in that would be very helpful.

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

Last week a group of 18 children from Class 4 represented the school at the Peninsula Athletics competition. They all participated to the very best of their ability showing great determination and dedication to the different sporting events. It is such a great achievement for the children to have reached this stage of the competition.

The School Council welcomed the Mayor of Falmouth, Grenville Chappel to their first meeting this term and gave him a guided tour of the school.

Mr Chappel was very impressed with the way all the school council representatives conducted themselves in such a mature and sensible way at the meeting. He invited the School Council to his Chambers for a future meeting.

Eliza, Chair of the School Council and Maisie who is the secretary said that the Mayor was very interested to hear their ideas and thought it was important to get the views of young people. 'We had lots of questions and learnt that our School Council meetings are very similar to the meetings Mr Chappel attends. His visit helped us to understand that everyone has a voice and how important it is to work together as a community.'

### **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.

### **Collection this week**

£1,072.53 including standing orders thank you

### **Visit to Shelterbox**

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> February** from 2 to 3 pm at the new visitor centre in Truro. This visit has limited places and we have only 12 available for the whole parish. If you would like to come please phone or email the parish office to reserve your space. Full details and directions will be given then. Organized by FPCT justice & peace group.

### **Unclaimed Raffle Prize**

We have a raffle prize for Cyril Cogan. Please contact Cyril, or the person who sold him the ticket, make contact with the office so we can arrange to get his prize to him.

### **Pro Life prayer vigil**

Please join us to pray for the upholding of the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death. We will be on the pavement outside Treiske Hospital on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month from 11 am to 12 noon. Next on **Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February**. We hold no banners and make no statements, we simply pray.



### **Fairtrade Goods**

These will be available in the hall after 10.45 am Mass on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month. Next on **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> February**.

### **From Fr Brian**

In today's Gospel we have the Sermon on the Mount, also known as the Beatitudes. The Sermon on the Mount turns the values and expectations of the world upside down. For the world tells us to seek success, power and money. In the Beatitudes Jesus tells us to seek humility, service and love.

### **Point to Ponder**

Your talent is God's gift to you. What you do with it is your gift back to God.

### **First Holy Communion**

Meeting for children on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> January at 3.45 pm in St Mary's School at Falmouth.

### **Confirmation**

Meeting for candidates on Tuesday 31<sup>st</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 10<sup>th</sup> February at 6.30 pm in St Mary's hall at Falmouth.

**Please pray** for **Kathleen Calvert, Ben Davis** and **Paul Lowe** who died last week. May the Lord grant them eternal rest.

### **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, 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, Stuart Wiseman, Stuart Fearn, Chelsea Robinson, Anthony Weaver, Joe Ryan, Alison Wheatley, Veronica Robbins and Dennis Scrace.

### **Helston:**

Lisa Tripcone, 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.

