

# 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

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**PALM SUNDAY of the PASSION OF THE LORD (YEAR B) Psalter week 2 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018**



## FALMOUTH

SAT 6.30 pm FALMOUTH Paul Jones RIP  
SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH Sr. Annunciata int.  
SUN 10.45 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

### Weekday Masses (Holy Week)

MON HOLY WEEK 10.00 am Jenny & Ben Davis 51<sup>st</sup> wedding anniversary  
TUES HOLY WEEK 9.30 am at St Mary's School  
WED HOLY WEEK 12 noon CHRISM MASS at Plymouth Cathedral

### Triduum

Maundy Thursday: Mass of the Last Supper

7.00 pm Falmouth (with watching until 10 pm)

6.00 pm watching until 9.00 pm Helston

Good Friday: Celebration of the Lord's Passion

3.00 pm Falmouth

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Holy Saturday

10.00 am Morning Prayer Falmouth

10.30 am to 12 noon Blessing of Polish food Falmouth

## HELSTON

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

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SUN 9.00 am HELSTON

SUN 11.00 am MULLION

### Weekday Masses (Holy Week)

MON HOLY WEEK 9.30 am  
TUES HOLY WEEK 12 noon  
WED HOLY WEEK 9.30 am

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

Morning/Evening prayer 15minutes before daily Mass.



### **Good Friday – Walk of Witness**

**Falmouth** – on **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March**, setting off from Emmanuel Baptist Church, Western Terrace at 10.00 am with stops at All Saints, St Mary's, Salvation Army, United Reform and Falmouth Methodist and finishing with a service in King Charles the Martyr at 11.15, followed by refreshments.

**Helston** – on **Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> March**, setting off at 10.00 am from the Co-op car park

### **Helston Easter church clean**

will take place on **Maundy Thursday, 29th March** at 10am.

It would be good if we could have a number of volunteers for this Springclean, as it is a large church to clean. Please bring cleaning materials as usual.

### **Diners Club**

On **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March**, 12.30 pm for 12.45 pm, a full roast pork lunch with choice of deserts. £7.50, places are limited so booking is essential, please book your ticket with Sheila McLoughlin on 01236 319524 or Mary Bradley 01326 312768. Bring your own wine – glasses provided.

### **Silence is Golden**

A number of people have approached Father Brian requesting some quiet in church before Mass. Obviously we need to greet and welcome one another, but loud or long conversations should be kept until Mass is ended. So may we do our best to respect the wishes of others and spend sometime in quiet and prayer before Mass.

### **Car Parking**

#### **Athenaeum Club**

Have now introduced a new system, we may still park on a Sunday but at any other time we will be clamped and there will be a £100 release charge.

#### **Church Car Parks within the Deanery**

These are all for church use only. Truro now operate a permit system and Newquay have a 'pay & display' system.

Please respect these as we expect others to respect the use of our car park.

### **Rosary on the Coast**

This is a national event taking place on **Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> April** at 3.00 pm when we are all asked to pray a rosary for Faith, Life and Peace in the British Isles. As a coastal parish we will be joining in and would like as many people as possible to come along. For Falmouth we will be at Swanpool beach – nice big car park and a café for afterwards, and for Helston/Mullion Fr James would welcome suggestions for suitable locations.

### **Parish Holy Land Pilgrimage**

After his pilgrimage to the Holy Land Fr Brian is considering a similar type for our parish in October or November 2019. Before he makes further enquiries with companies he needs some idea concerning numbers who may wish to go. The cost of a 7 day pilgrimage would probably be about £1,500. If you are interested please give your name to the parish office as soon as possible. No commitment is expected from you at this moment just an expression of interest.

### **Parish Fairtrade Stall 8<sup>th</sup> April 2018**

Due to holiday and family commitments, the Fairtrade stall due 8<sup>th</sup> April has had to be cancelled.

The next Fairtrade stall will be Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2018

### **Nun on the Run**

Sr Augustine is doing the fun run in Dorchester organized by the Lions club on **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May** - this year for the St Vincent de Paul society. She would be most grateful for sponsorship. Thank you for your support every year.

### **Easter Offerings**

These are our gifts to our priests as a thank you for all they do for us throughout the year.

**Parish School St Mary's RC Primary**

Mongleath Road, Falmouth

01326 314540

**School News**

Last week we received a visit from our 'Challenge partner' who spent the morning visiting classes. We were delighted with her report and share the summary below; **'This is a self-improving school. Even though the school has been judged as outstanding, the school development plan shows the school is not complacent. Teachers continue to focus on improving achievement even further and ensure all groups of pupils do as well as each other. Staff take on new ways of working and strategies to deepen pupils learning skills.'** It's that time of year again when the senior leadership team and governors review the progress we have made during the year and identify areas of focus for continued improvement for the future. This self-review forms part of our ongoing school improvement cycle and helps us to devise the 'School Improvement Plan'.

**\*\*Helston collection bankers – Urgent!**

We now have no one to bank the collection on a regular basis, if just 4 people volunteer it will only be once a month each.

**Easter Eggs for Sailors (AoS)**

We are again collecting Easter eggs for seafarers – just £1 size in the box in church please

**Gift Aid Envelopes**

Now available for collection from back of church. If you are a tax payer and do not currently give under the gift aid scheme and would like to know more please contact Jack Orders on 01326 212440

**\*New\* DCSD (Devon Cornwall Somerset and Dorset) Community Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

Leaving from Exeter Airport Friday 25th May -Friday 1st June. Staying at very centrally located hotel, full bed and board very near the Lourdes Domain. Youth and pilgrims needed. Currently fundraising and any donations kindly accepted. Cost £699 incl. day trip to Pyrenees for all.

See poster in Helston vestibule.

Also please ask Meg Trevaskis in Helston for any and all further details 07813118426.

**Easter Cards**

There is a selection of Easter cards for sale on the card stand in the church in Helston.

**Thank you**

We would like to thank Fr James for his blessing on our 40th wedding anniversary and we would also like to thank all the Helston parishioners for helping to make our special day so very, very special. Linda and Simon Mack

### **From Father Brian**

This Sunday we celebrate Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord and the beginning of Holy Week, the most sacred seven days of the Church's year. I urge you, if you can, to attend the Triduum celebrations , Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday. I am aware that this is quite demanding but it is so rewarding and fruitful as we journey with Jesus at this special and sacred time.

### **Point to Ponder**

This time is a celebration of life over death. The whole message of Holy Week is the message of God to join Him.

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

### **Falmouth**

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> March 3.30 pm Table Tennis – hall**

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 12.30 for 12.45 pm – Diner's Club – hall (ticketed event)**

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 10.45 am – 11.45 am keep fit - hall**

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2.00 pm – Cream Teas – hall & lawn**

### **Helston**

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March 6.40 pm 'Mystery of God' course - hall**

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March end of Mass – 40<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary blessing Simon & Linda Mack – church**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March concert - church**

### **Other locations**

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> March -3.45 pm 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion children's session – St Mary's School**

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June 12.45 pm Parish Lunch for Fr Brian – Membly Hall Hotel**

### **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, Eve Anderson, Annette Biagini, Dot Waddingham, Chris Gee, Stan Gwynne, Margaret Wright, Theresa Sullivan, Kerry Chellew, baby Isabella Grace, 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, June Martin, Sylvia Rowe, Jozef Stasiak, Winn Xenaky, Thyra Martin, Raymond Mulligan, Sister Martin, Mary Froom, Steven Pellow, John Harkin, David Malloy, Hazel Wilkes, Peter Bott, Pat Berney, Marek Jurina, Slavo Pekar, Eileen Quilter and Hugh McLoughlin.

### **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 and Alex Mullaly.