

# St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

The Parish is a part of Plymouth RC Diocese, a Registered Charity no. 213227

Parish Church:- St Mary Immaculate, Falmouth serving St Edwards, Mawnan Smith

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1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR A)

Psalter week 1

1<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2020



## FALMOUTH

SAT	6.30 pm	FALMOUTH	John & Pat Pinhay int Golden wedding
SUN	9.00 am	MAWNAN SMITH	Thyra Martin RIP
SUN	10.45 am	FALMOUTH	People of the Parish

Weekday Masses (1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent)

MON	first week of Lent	10.00 am	Lori De Witt RIP	
TUES	first week of Lent	10.00 am	Leo Higgins RIP	
WED	St Casimir	7.00 pm	Cormac O'Neill RIP	
THUR	St Piran	10.00 am	Pip Owen RIP	MAWNAN SMITH
FRI	first week of Lent	10.00 am		
SAT	Ss Perpetua & Felicity	10.00 am	Sister Perpetua int. followed by holy hour	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION SATURDAY 10.30 to 11.15 am & 5.30 pm to 6.25 pm

EXPOSITION WED. 10.30 am to 1.00 pm (rosary at noon) SAT. 10.30 TO 11.30 am Benediction at 11.15 am

## HELSTON

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

email: [helston@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:helston@prcdtr.org.uk) phone 01326 572378

Resident priest - Fr Paul Andrew Email: [frpaulandrew@live.com](mailto:frpaulandrew@live.com) emergency contact 07548654893

See also our Facebook page: "Catholics on the Lizard Peninsula"



Safeguarding reps: Meg Trevaskis & Margaret Chambers. Hall contact: - Lorna Bean 07769176130

SUN 9.00 am HELSTON

SUN 11.15 am MULLION

Weekday Masses (1<sup>st</sup> week of Lent)

MON	first week of Lent	10.00 am		
TUES	first week of Lent	NO MASS		
WED	St Casimir	11.00 am	Bible Discussion & Divine Mercy Chaplet	MULLION
THUR	St Piran	12 noon		
FRI	first week of Lent	10.00 am	(1 <sup>st</sup> Friday)	MULLION
		12 noon	in Latin	
SAT	Ss Perpetua & Felicity	10.30 am	followed by 1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday devotions	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Helston: SATURDAY 11.00 am to 11.30 am, Sunday 8.15 to 8.45 am

Mullion: on request

Morning/Evening prayer 30 minutes before daily Mass

EXPOSITION Saturday from 11.00 with Benediction at 11.45, Angelus at noon.

## **All**

### **Stations of the Cross**

Falmouth Fridays at 6.00 pm

Helston Fridays at 6.00 pm

Mawnan Smith Fridays at 4.00 pm

### **CAFOD – Lent Fast Day**

Takes place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March, please take an envelope home, put in your donation and return to church next Sunday.

### **The God who Speaks: The Year of the Word.**

A presentation will be given by Fr Guy de Gaynesford and Fr Robbie Low on “Principles of Scriptural Interpretation and the link between the Old and New Testaments” at St. Austell Catholic church on **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March** starting at 10 am prompt (doors open 9.30)

### **Vacancy – Parenting Facilitator – Part Time**

**Location:** St. Boniface House, Ashburton TQ13 7JL but may consider home based

**Salary:** £25,000 pro rata (actual salary £14,289.60 pa), entry into the Diocesan pension scheme under Auto-Enrolment Regulations

**Hours:** 20 hours per week which need to be flexible

The Catholic Children’s Society (Plymouth) is looking to recruit an enthusiastic, energetic individual with experience of running/facilitating training programmes to plan and deliver group-based parenting education and support through Diocesan schools and parishes.

To apply please contact Jan Holton for the job description and application form [jan.holton@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:jan.holton@prcdtr.org.uk) or telephone **01364 645383**. To discuss the role, please contact Caroline Hambly on **01364 645422**.

***The closing date for applications is Monday 9 March 2020 and interviews will be held on Tuesday 17 March 2020***

### **RESPONDING TO THE BIODIVERSITY CRISIS**

**WHAT IS THE PROBLEM – AND WHAT CAN WE DO ABOUT IT?**

**You are invited to a talk and discussion with Professor John Spicer, Marine Zoology, University of Plymouth, Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2020, 9.30 – 1300, Falmouth Methodist Church Falmouth. Free admission – donations welcome**

### **LENTEN QUIET DAY at Buckfast Abbey**

led by Fr Jonathan Stewart

10.00 - 3.30 14th March 2020 - Venue: Violet Evelyn hall, £10 Buckfast Abbey (*Buckfastleigh, Devon TQ11 0EE*)

Booking required, please ask in the office for a booking form

### **Walk With Me**

This popular little aid to prayer and reflection for Lent is available in all churches. £1.

### **Declaration on International Day for the Abolition of Slavery**

Caritas Plymouth will be holding their fourth event looking at Modern Slavery and Trafficking on **Saturday 7 March 2020**.

The event will be led by Bishop Mark O’Toole and include speakers from Border Force, the Medaille Trust and Apostleship of the Sea.

The event will be held on Saturday 7 March 2020 from 10.30 a.m. – 3.15 p.m. at St Boniface College, Plymouth. It is free and includes a buffet lunch.

Booking is essential at: [caritas@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:caritas@prcdtr.org.uk)

### **Lent Study Course 3 – 31 March 2020 Christianity & Creation: Green Discipleship for Cornwall**

A five -week course developed in Diocese of Truro. Tuesday evenings at 7.30pm, venue to be confirmed. Interested? Please contact Mary Bradley: 312768 or Pat Fitzpatrick 316566

### **Lourdes DCSD Community Pilgrimage 2020**

Friday 22nd May - Friday 29th May.

Flying from Bristol to Lourdes.

Accessible coach transfer from Plymouth and Exeter available.

Pilgrim and Youth Volunteer places both available. For more information see St Mary's Helston's bulletin board or contact Meg Trevasakis on 07813118426.

### **Falmouth and Mawnan Smith**

#### **Congratulations**

To **Pat and John Pinhay** on their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

#### **Falmouth & Penryn Students**

Fr Anthony is back on Monday so there will be Mass and lunch as usual. There will be red wine sausage casserole with a vegan version and doughnuts for dessert.

We will also meet as usual on Wednesday at Falmouth Campus.

For all enquiries please email Fran Freeman:

[Frances.Freeman@fxplus.ac.uk](mailto:Frances.Freeman@fxplus.ac.uk)

#### **First Holy Communion**

Next meeting for children will be on **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2020** at 3.30 pm at St Mary’s School, Mongleath Road, Falmouth.

#### **RCIA**

For those interested in becoming Catholic, sessions continue on **Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March** at 6.30 pm in the presbytery.

### **Social & Fundraising Team Meeting**

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 12.30.pm**

The team will meet in the presbytery meeting room  
**Everyone welcome.**

### **St Mary's School Fairtrade Coffee Morning**

For Fairtrade fortnight on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March** at 10 am with stalls, competitions, cake sale; drama and refreshment. Parishioners are warmly invited. Do come and support class 3 on their special occasion.

### **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2020**

#### **Praying with Zimbabwe**

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 10.30 am, All Saints Church Killigrew Street**

World Day of Prayer is a women-led, ecumenical movement. It is the only one that is actively embraced by all Christians traditions. This years' service has been prepared by the Christian women of Zimbabwe, a country that is very much in need of prayers at this time.

On the 6<sup>th</sup> of March there will be over 4,000 World Day of Prayer services taking place throughout England, Wales and Northern Ireland including between 40 – 50 in Cornwall. Please join us. Refreshments will be served after the service.

### **Persecuted Christians**

On **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March** at 2.00 pm in the presbytery. The Justice and Peace Group are having an open meeting to report on and pray for those persecuted for their beliefs. All are invited. We will be considering the Government's recent Parliamentary debate and the Bishop of Truro's special report. Christians and others are persecuted in over 50 countries in our world today. Many of them are our Catholic brothers and sisters.

**Intentional Disciples:** Our March meeting will be held on **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March**. We shall start with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the church at 7pm before continuing in the presbytery for the rest of our meeting. We aim to finish by 8.30pm at the latest. We are always very happy to see new faces and if you have not joined us before please come along and see what we get up to, maybe it could be something to do in lent. To find out more please phone Chris Ohly on 250569.

### **St Patrick's Night Ceilidh - Live music**

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2020, 7.30pm

Emmanuel Baptist Church, Western Terr., Falmouth  
Tickets £3 for adults, children up to age 16 free. Bring a plate of food to share. Tea, coffee and fruit juice provided. Please feel free to bring your own drinks if you prefer – glasses will be available.

There will be a raffle. Irish Coffee can be ordered (donation)

**Everyone welcome.**

### **St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP)**

We will be meeting next on **Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March** at 6 pm in the presbytery. This is an open meeting and all are welcome.

### **CORNWALL HOSPICE CARE**

Falmouth Fundraising Group March Event

You are invited to a Flower Arranging Demonstration at The Ord Statter Pavillion, Mylor Bridge, Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2020 10.30am. Demonstration by Elizabeth Doidge "Flowers My Way". Tickets £5 includes refreshments. Tickets from: Pat Fitzpatrick, 01326 316566 Raffle will include the flower displays. All proceeds to Cornwall Hospice Care.

### **Helston and Mullion**

In preparation for the **DEDICATION OF ENGLAND TO OUR LADY** on 29th March a Marian anthem will be said before or after mass every day.

See the **Behold2020** website for more information.

Fr Brian will be celebrating at Helston & Mullion NEXT Sunday.

in Mullion every Weds. from 4th March at 12.30 in the Methodist School Room: Soup & Reflection following Bible discussion at 11.00 and Divine Mercy Chaplet at 11.15 in St Michael's

**Ecumenical study sessions** in Helston every Thursday at 6.45 p.m. in our Church Hall.  
(see leaflet for more information).

**Bible Discussion** in each church 15 minutes before a service on previous reading from Matthew

**World Day of Prayer: Friday 6th March, 2 p.m.**

**Helston:** St Mary's will be hosting this year - see poster in the Narthex

**For Mullion** in St Keverne Parish Church Hall - see poster in the porch for details

The **quiz night** has raised £95 so far (more is expected!). Many thanks to all who supported it.

### **Family Movie Afternoon**

**Saturday 14th March** 2pm in St Mary's Hall, Helston  
St Mary's Helston's Youth will be showing Disney Pixar film Coco which is suitable for all ages to enjoy - young and young at heart.

Free but refreshments available for purchase provided by the children. Donations for Refugee children welcome.

If well supported we are wishing to hold more with films such as Saving Mr Banks, Life of Pi etc.

Suggestions welcome.

### **From Father Brian**

This coming Friday (6<sup>th</sup> March) is a CAFOD Lent Fast Day and a day of prayer for the Needy and Hungry of the World. In the church CAFOD envelopes are available to take home, make your contribution and return at the Masses next weekend. The theme for the Fast Day is 'No one beyond reach'. Your love expressed through the hands of CAFOD

### **Point to Ponder**

Every moment of resistance to temptation is a victory.

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

#### **Falmouth**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March – 10 am – Chat'n'Craft – presbytery

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March – 6.00 pm – SVP – presbytery

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March – 6.30 pm – RCIA – presbytery

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 7.00 pm – Intentional Disciples - presbytery

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March – 2.00 pm – Living with Loss - presbytery

#### **Helston**

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March – 10 am – Shawl Ministry – hall

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March – 2.00 pm – World Day of Prayer - church

#### **Other locations**

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – 3.30 pm First Holy Communion session – St Mary's School

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March – 10.30 am – World day of Prayer – All Saints, Killigrew Street

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March – 2.00 pm – World Day of Prayer – Str Mellanus - Mullion

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March – 10.30 am Caritas Day – St Boniface College, Plymouth

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> March – The God Who Speaks – St Austell

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March – The God Who Speaks – Launceston

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> November – The God who Speaks - Camborne

#### **Prayer Requests**

Please pray for those in the Parish who are sick or housebound or in need of our prayers.

#### **Falmouth:**

Kathleen O'Flaherty, Colin Campbell, Annette Biagini, Theresa Sullivan, Isabella Grace, Colin Jago, Jason Campbell, Sylvia Rowe, Winn Xenaky, Sister Martin, Steven Pellow, +Pat Berney, Hugh McLoughlin, Rosemary Moffat, David Stevens, Noelle Elliott and Mary Froom.

#### **Helston:**

Heather Ashton, Frieda Curnow, Poppy DeAth, Isobel Ellis, Mary Gilbert, Mary Harry, Walter Hayes, Celia Kirkland, Colin & Theresa Neal, John Shiell and May & Gordon Stewart.