

St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

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

Parish Priest - Father Brian Kenwick V.F.

Parish Church:- St Mary Immaculate, Falmouth serving St Edwards, Mawnan Smith
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All Masses live-streamed on our website: www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk

YouTube St Mary Immaculate Falmouth: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCoz2cJRb4BIwdJqtrBv8F6w>

Parish School: St Mary's RC Primary, Mongleath Road, 01326 314540

Safeguarding Officers: - Sheila Jordan (619648) Hilary Kiszczuk (07305602680)

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (YEAR B) Psalter 4 15th August 2021



FALMOUTH

SAT 6.00 pm FALMOUTH Sister Maria int.
SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH
SUN 10.30 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

Weekday Masses/Services (20th week in Ordinary Time)

MON St Stephen of Hungary 10.00 am Manuel Jesus Escalante Pasos RIP
TUES weekday 10.00 am John Hanshaw RIP
WED weekday 7.00 pm Sister Helen int.
THUR St John Eudes NO MASS
FRI St Bernard 10.00 am Priests, Sisters & Benefactors of Les Filles de la Croix RIP
SAT St Pius X NO MORNING MASS

HELSTON

St Mary's, Helston, serving St Michael's, Mullion. Facebook page: "Catholics on the Lizard Peninsula"

Resident priest: Father Paul Andrew. Email: paul.andrew@prcdtr.org.uk

The Catholic Presbytery, Clodgey Lane, Helston TR13 8PJ phone: 01326 572378 (or 075 1547 2547)

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Safeguarding reps: Meg Trevaskis 01326 564410 & Margaret Chambers (as above).

Helston masses are live-streamed on the churchcam: <https://rtsp.me/embed/SzdY4Qrn/>

& the parish website: www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk

Mullion masses are live streamed on our Facebook page (*see above*)

Masses are later uploaded to our YouTube site: Father Paul Andrew

MASSES THIS WEEK (all at Helston unless indicated otherwise)

SUN 09.30 ASSUMPTION of the BL. V.MARY for all parishes dedicated to Our Lady
11.30 ASSUMPTION BVM AT MULLION for our young people
MON 10.00 St Stephen of Hungary (*private mass*) for vocations to the priesthood & religious life
TUE 10.00 Mass "for the sick" for all our sick
WED no mass – priest's day off
THU 12.00 Mass in time of pandemic for Letitia (*for inner cleansing & filling with the Holy Spirit*)
FRI 10.00 St Bernard AT MULLION for living & departed members of a family
SAT no morning mass [*Evening mass at Perranporth*]
SUN 09.30 21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME for our parish priest, Fr Brian
11.30 21st SUNDAY AT MULLION for those still unable to return to church

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available before and after public masses by request.

Helston & Mullion News

A VERY WARM WELCOME to those visiting us for Mass at either of our churches today, and to all those returning after a while away. **The church hall at Helston is open again** so there will be coffee after mass; we hope our visitors will stay and enjoy a little hospitality.

It's lovely to see so many people returning to Sunday worship. Under the Stage 4 Restrictions, in our churches **the hand sanitiser must be used by all at entry and exit; face coverings must continue to be worn** at least on entry and exit and when singing and, in the designated area, AT ALL TIMES. Those who wish to keep a **social distance** should pick up one or two "space please" signs as they come in. The windows and doors will all remain open to increase ventilation.

Please read the full information on the red sheet. The Monday mass will continue to be said privately, so that we shall not need to clean the church except after events closer than 48 hours together. The hymn books and our usual mass cards can now be used once again.

THE SHAWL MINISTRY has resumed on Thursdays from 10 am until 12 Noon in the Church Hall, Helston. All are welcome with or without needles or crochet hooks. Our Ministry is to provide comfort, conversation and community in addition to knitted or crochet products and prayer for anyone who requests them at absolutely no cost. We accept donations of yarn, patterns, needles, etc and will make shawls or blankets for the sick, bereaved, lonely, homeless or new born. We also make scarves and hats for Seafarers and are currently making a Funeral Pall for St Mary's, Helston. Please stop by to join us or call Jane (01326-564410), Jackie (01326-221077) or Theresa (01326-617461) for more information.

Morning Prayer is recited publicly on Tuesdays and Thursdays at Helston 20 minutes before mass. All are welcome.

At public masses we are reciting the **"Prayer for Spiritual Communion"** by St Alphonsus Ligouri not only for the benefit of those who are watching on-line and for members of our own congregation present but unable to receive Holy Communion at this time for any reason; but also to remind those of us who *are* able to be at worship in church that we are all a part of a much larger worshipping community.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES:

- On **Sunday 29th August** (a "fifth" Sunday) at Helston we shall celebrate the first or our regular masses for children.
- On **Saturday 11th Sept at 12.30** Heather Ashton's ashes will be interred in our Garden of Remembrance.
- From after mass on **Sunday 12th Sept. until Saturday 25th Sept.** Fr Paul is expecting to be away on holiday and then at the Oblates Retreat at Buckfast.
- On **Sept 19th** Fr David Annear is looking after services at Helston and Mullion.
- On **Tuesday, 26th October at 11.30** the Baptism of Christine Cowan's latest grandchild will be celebrated at Mullion by Fr David Mead.
- On **Tuesday, 1st November at 4 pm** there will be the First Meeting of Christians Together on the Lizard at St Michael's Church

Falmouth & Mawnan Smith News

We are Open

Footsteps Community Cafe re-opens at Falmouth Methodist Church

We are delighted to announce that the popular Footsteps Community Cafe at Falmouth Methodist Church on The Moor is now open again – 10 Killigrew St, Falmouth TR11 3PG – **10am-12noon.**

Drop in any time for a very reasonably priced coffee, tea, hot chocolate, homemade cake and a chat! The Coffee Shop plans to open every Thursday and the team is looking forward to welcoming familiar faces and new customers too. Everyone welcome!



MISSIO (Red Box)

We have now banked £1573.37 from the Red Boxes opened this year.

We know that several of our box holders have sent donations directly to Missio headquarters. We take this opportunity to thank all those who have donated to the missions and we thank our promoters who counted all the coinage. We have plenty of new Red Boxes looking for a new home, so give us a call if you would like to take one home.

John & Pat Pinhay
07738761157

Saturday Readers

If you attend Mass on Saturday evenings please consider volunteering to read, we need to add to our pool of readers for this Mass.

Please Note - Car Parking

On a Sunday the bottom car park will be closed at 2 pm and the top car park will be closed at 6 pm.

Orange Box

You may have noticed an orange box in the porch, this is a collecting box for Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth) in which we can put various items – used stamps, old coins and notes (from anywhere) broken jewellery etc. a full list is on the front of the box.

Craft Group

The craft group will be meeting again from Wednesday 1st September from 10 am to 12 noon in the hall at Falmouth, all welcome.

News for All 4 Churches

Diary Dates

Thurs. 16th September Mass 11 am Sr Julian 50th

Sun. 19th September 10.30 am First Holy Communion Mass

Sat 25th September 11 am Requiem Mass for all those in the parish who died since April 2021, many of course were unable to have Mass or even a service in the church. Refreshments will be served in the hall after Mass.

Sat. 2nd October – Autumn Fayre – Falmouth hall

Diocese of Plymouth Environment Policy – Online Workshop 14 September 5-6pm.

'Praise to you, my Lord, through sister Mother Earth, who sustains us and governs us and who produces varied fruits with coloured flowers and herbs.'

St Francis of Assisi (from Canticle of the Sun)

Everyone is warmly invited to join an online event on 14 September organised by Caritas Plymouth to enable people to learn more about our Diocesan Environment Policy and plans for next steps. We also want to hear views from parishes and individuals. The Season of Creation runs from

1 September to the Feast of St Francis on 4 October. During this season we are encouraged to pray and engage in community events in order to deepen our relationship with our God, our neighbour and the earth we share, being ever more attentive to the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor.

You can register for the event here

<https://forms.office.com/r/VH2ZZXaBQ0k> and will receive an email with Zoom details nearer the time.

Youth Events

16th October Youth Workers Conference

Venue: St Rita's, Honiton 10.00 – 2.30 People are welcome to make a voluntary contribution on the day.

I am inviting everyone across the diocese who either works with young people or would like to work with young people (this includes catechists) to join me at Honiton. Rise Theatre will be joining us to celebrate all the youth work and events (and what used to happen before COVID) across the diocese. I hope it is an opportunity for us to reflect on what is happening in our parishes and across the diocese, offering each other support and a chance to share our talents. My aim is to build a forum where we can continue to share ideas and experiences along with a chance to call upon each other for help when needed. Rise Theatre will offer a workshop for everyone, offering suggestions of activities that can be used in the parish either as part of the catechesis programme or informal events. Lunch will be provided. For further information or to simply join the forum, please email Saskia Hogbin:

youth@prcdtr.org.uk

Young Catholic Adult Group:

Ian Jackson is volunteering with Youth Events to set up a new group for young adult Catholics.

Check out the Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/738397836590050> As the group starts to form, we hope to organise informal gatherings.

Gift Aid envelope box 86

Please could the holder of box 86 contact the office.

From Father Brian

From the 1st August until the 13th August I will be away from the parish on my annual summer holiday. I am very grateful to Canon David Annear for supplying for me in my absence. The parish office will be open as usual to respond to any concerns or problems etc.

Take care and you remain in my thoughts and prayers.

Have a good and safe week.

Points to Ponder

Sharing the Gospel is not a burden but a joy.

(Anon)

Failure to speak out against and oppose evil is a failure to obey God.

(John Macarthur)

If the Lord sees greatness in you, how then should you see yourself?

(L. Tom Perry)

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, Jason Campbell, Winn Xenaky, Sister Martin, Steven Pellow, Pat Berney, Hugh McLoughlin, Rosemary Moffat, David Stevens, Sheila Mulligan, Angela Toy, Jenny Davis and Bishop Christopher Budd.

Helston:

Ian Bond-Stocks, Bishop Christopher Budd, Sister Thérèse Canty, Frances Chapman, Chris Cowen, Frieda Curnow, Poppy DeAth, Mary Gilbert, Mary Harry, Walter & Jenny Hayes, Frances Meeks, Alfred Merritt, Barry Mundy, Theresa Neal, Paul Ronan, John Shaw, John Shiell, Daniel Williams, May & Gordon Stewart, Tony Vyvyan, Marie Kennan and Lorna Bean.

