

St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

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

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

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29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B)

Psalter 1

17th October 2021



FALMOUTH

SAT 6.00 pm FALMOUTH

Margaret and William Jones RIP

SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH

SUN 10.30 am FALMOUTH

People of the Parish

Weekday Masses/Services (29th week in Ordinary Time)

MON ST LUKE

10.00 am Kathleen Reoch RIP

TUES Ss Isaac Jogues & Paul of the cross NO MASS

WED weekday 7.00 pm John Shiell RIP

THUR weekday 10.00 am Bethany House Sisters int. MAWNAN SMITH

FRI St John Paul II 10.00 am Funeral Catherine Kelly Hallsworth RIP

SAT St John Capistrano NO MORNING MASS

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available on Saturdays 10 -11 am and 5 -5.45 pm in the hall.

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

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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 from both churches are later uploaded to our YouTube site: Father Paul Andrew



MASSES THIS WEEK (all at Helston unless indicated otherwise)

SUN 09.30 29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

for Ameld Connolly

11.30 29th SUNDAY AT MULLION

for John Shiell, RIP

16.00 Launch of the Diocesan Synodal Journey at Plymouth Cathedral – available online.

MON 10.00 St Luke, Ev. (private mass)

for all involved in healing professions

TUE no mass – priests' meeting in Honiton

WED no mass – priest's day off

THU 12.00 Mass in time of Pandemic

for Colin Neal, RIP

FRI 10.00 St John Paul II AT MULLION

for Our Holy Father, Pope Francis

SUN 09.30 30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

for Theresa Neal's intentions

11.30 30th SUNDAY AT MULLION

for Mark, our bishop.

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 current Stage 4 Restrictions, those who wish to keep a **social distance** should pick up one or two "space please" signs from the table as they come in and place them on the seat beside them; **the hand sanitiser must be used by all at entry and exit and face coverings must continue to be worn at least on entry and exit and when singing and, in the designated area, AT ALL TIMES. Please read the full information on the red sheet.**

It is **SHOE BOX** time again. Details are in church. Please take a leaflet if you are able to help, or click on this link to find out more:

<https://linktohope.co.uk/shoebox-appeal-2021/>

100+ club subscriptions from Helston & Mullion are now due. Please give to Fr Paul a.s.a.p.

A reminder that **on Mondays Fr Paul is the "on call" Catholic Chaplain for Treliske hospital** so if you can't reach him at the Presbytery please try the mobile number (as on the front of this bulletin).

A number of people have expressed an interest in becoming Catholics and joining the Church, in fact six people are undergoing preparation at the moment. If you are interested in joining them please let Fr Paul know a.s.a.p. Similarly, if you believe there is a barrier to you receiving Holy Communion at this time please talk to Fr Paul, as it may be possible to do something about it.

I have been asked to include details of our collections in this bulletin. Here is the information from the sheet for the 2-weeks counted on 10/10/21. (But, please note: since the pandemic, many people are now paying directly into the bank, that is not recorded here.)

Helston & Mullion CAFOD: £289.00

Helston Cash: £286.10, Mullion Cash: £128.70

Envelopes: £62.67 Total (excl. CAFOD): £590.43

There is no mass at Helston on Tues. 26th Oct, as Fr Paul has to attend a meeting at Buckfast Abbey.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES:

- on **Sunday, 31st October** Helston church will have another 5th Sunday Children's mass. This day is the Solemnity of All Saints this year.

- on **Sunday 24th October at 11.30 Mass**: the baptism of Harry Edward Mabgwe at Mullion
- On **Monday, 1st November at 4 pm** there will be the First Meeting of Christians Together on the Lizard at St Michael's Church, Mullion.
- **On Friday, 12th Nov.** there will be coffee & cake after the 10 o'clock Mullion mass at *The Chocolate Factory – All welcome from both churches*
- **On Saturday, 13th Nov. 10-3** Fairtrade Craft Fair at Helston Methodist Church.
- **On Sunday 14th Nov. at 2 pm** the baptism in Helston of Arthur James, Terry Cook's grandson.

Falmouth & Mawnan Smith News

Morning Prayer

We will pray morning prayer at St Mary's, Falmouth on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays at 9.45 am. Please join us

First Holy Communion 2022

There will be a meeting for parents only on Tuesday **16th November** at 6 pm in the Church Hall at St Mary's. catholic baptised children in school years 3 & 4 or older will be invited to celebrate their First Holy Communion in May 2022 after completing the preparation that will begin in January. Further details will be given at the parents' meeting on 16th November.

LET IT BE – INSPIRING NEW FILM COURSE ON MARY

This church is running the new film on the life of Mary past and present. As part of the course you will get your own Let It Be Book which includes the main content of the film plus lots of useful follow-on info and optional daily prayer reflections. continues on **Wednesday 20th October** starting at 7.45pm, (after the evening mass), in the Parish Hall. Free refreshments included but we do ask for a donation of £2 for the book.

Good News from Falmouth Cornwall Hospice Care Fundraising Team

Thank you to all who supported Cornwall Hospice Care by coming to the Coffee Morning on Tuesday - we raised over £1,000 which is astonishing. We all thought it was a great morning.

Our next event is LADIES DAY which is on Thursday 18th November at the Pemorvah Hotel. It starts with coffee at 10.30 then our first speaker about the work of a Harbour Master followed by a delicious two course lunch and coffee. The afternoon session is a floral demonstration by Angela Hyland - a very well known lady in flower arranging. Both Pat Fitzpatrick and I have forms for the event and will bring them to church at the weekend. Numbers are limited this year so if you would like to come - be quick!!

Table tennis

Table Tennis is back. Every Wednesday at 3.30 pm in the Hall.

Come and join us for a chat and play.

News for Students

Here is what is happening for students this week:

On **Monday 18th** there is **Food 4 Soul** at the Multifaith Chaplaincy in Penryn from **12:00- 2:00 pm**.

Join us for prayers and lunch. There will be soup, bread, quiche and something sweet to finish with.

On Wednesday 20th there is no Sea at 3 but students are welcome to join parishioners in the church hall from **3:30 p.m.** for **table tennis**.

For more information on these events please email Fran at f.freeman@fxplus.ac.uk or follow us on Instagram- @falcathsoc

Catholic Children's Society

Copies of the latest newsletter are available in the porch.

Autumn Fayre

Thank you to all who helped or supported we raised £823.86

News for All 4 Churches

World Mission Sunday

This Sunday, 17th October, is World Mission Sunday, when the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for Missio, his charity for world mission. Please support Missio in helping missionaries to work alongside communities throughout the world that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. Join in on this special day, that unites Catholics all over the world in prayer and celebration of our Church's mission to share God's love with all people. Please call 0207 821 9755 (office hours) or visit Missio's website to give a single gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation, if possible: missio.org.uk

CORNISH CHRISTMAS CARD:

Want to send a real Cornish Christmas card?

Fr. Robbie Low writes:

'The Rest on the Flight into Egypt', by Harold Harvey, is available from the Aid to the Church in Need website shop. (<https://acnuk.org/shop/>)

Harvey, a convert and the only genuine Cornishman in the famous Newlyn School of artists, painted this beautiful image of the Holy Family in 1927. The Christ Child gives His blessing from the harbour wall, the signpost is the Cross, the inn is the Lamb and Flag and the background to Our Lady and Joseph are the hills of Penwith. The image is available courtesy of the Trustees and all revenues go to the wonderful work of ACN. It was the wish of the late Rachel John, Catholic Historian and Cornish Bard, that this converting image be as widely known as possible and each of our church schools has a copy.



For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, Mission – The launch of the Diocesan Phase of the Synodal Process.

This month, Pope Francis opens a two-year Synodal Journey with three phases (diocesan, continental, universal) of consultations and discernment, culminating with an assembly in October 2023 in Rome. The overall theme is "For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation, Mission". Pope Francis will start the Journey in Rome on 10th October.

The Synodal journey is concerned with how teaching can be lived and applied in the changing contexts of our time. This journey is an opportunity to listen to each other and the Holy Spirit and to reflect on our future path. We want everyone to have an opportunity to express their views. Resources will be provided by the Diocese to parishes, schools and groups to support this listening and discernment process.

Our local listening phase will take place over the coming months, starting with a Liturgy led by Bishop Mark at the Cathedral at 4pm on Sunday 17th October. All are welcome to attend in person, but the Liturgy will be live streamed and available to access on the Diocesan You Tube Channel.

Everyone is also warmly invited to attend one of our initial introductory online events to explain the Synodal journey in more detail and how we plan to go forward in our Diocese. There are two options:

Wed. 20th October from 7-8.30 pm [[register here](#)] or Sat. 23 October from 10.30-12.00 noon [[register here](#)]

You can also register via email to synodfeedback@prcdtr.org.uk

These sessions will not be recorded but the presentation will be available on our Diocesan Website <https://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/synod/>

100+ club

Congratulations to our September winners: 1st no. 23 - £50, 2nd no. 68 - £25 and 3rd no. 167 - £10

We are now looking for payment for the coming year, please contact Maureen Casey to renew or join. If you pay by bank transfer please use 50/50 as the reference and let the office know.

Bulletin Deadline

Thursday is Hilary's day off so all items for the bulletin need to be sent in by Wednesday midday at the latest.

From Father Brian

When I was taught at school in the 1960's that through the actions of William Wilberforce slavery was abolished in the British Empire in 1833 I never imagined that slavery would still be with us in the 21st century. However, Modern Slavery is a reality in our world today even in our county of Cornwall. This weekend, on Sunday, in Cornwall is an Anti-slavery Day. Modern Slavery is the illegal exploitation of people for personal or commercial gain. Therefore, this weekend we have the opportunity at our Masses to pray for the victims of Modern Slavery and those working to free them. Have a good and safe week

Points to Ponder

No man is good enough to be another's master.

(William Morris)

To subjugate another is to subjugate yourself.

(Elbert Hubbard)

Nature made no person a slave.

(Alcidamas)

Please pray for Catherine Hallsworth who died recently. May the Lord grant her eternal rest.

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, Theresa Sullivan, Isabella Grace, Jason Campbell, Sister Martin, Steven Pellow, Pat Berney, Hugh McLoughlin, Rosemary Moffat, David Stevens, Sheila Mulligan, Angela Toy, Jenny Davis, Francis Thompson, Veronica Robbins and Bishop Christopher Budd.

Helston:

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

Prayer for the Synod: We stand before you Holy Spirit.

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time,

in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

