

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

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8th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

Psalter 4

27th February 2022



FALMOUTH

SAT 6.00 pm FALMOUTH Ann Clifford & son Jimmy RIP

SUN 9.00 am MAWNAN SMITH

SUN 10.30 am FALMOUTH People of the Parish

Weekday Masses/Services (8th week in Ordinary Time)

MON weekday

10.00 am Philippa Bradley RIP

TUES ST DAVID

10.00 am Derrick Berney RIP & Louise Burton int.

WED ASH WEDNESDAY

10.00 am

6.00 pm

THUR after Ash Wed.

10.00 am Aidan Carragher RIP & family

MAWNAN SMITH

FRI St Casimir

10.00 am D'c'd sisters, clergy & benefactors of Daughters of the Cross

SAT St Piran

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 parish website:

www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk [click on: live masses > Helston]

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

SERVICES THIS WEEK (at Helston unless indicated otherwise)

SUN 09.30 8th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

for benefactors of this church

11.30 8th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AT MULLION

for benefactors of this church

MON 10.00 feria (private mass)

for Gwen Crowle, RIP

TUE no mass – day off

WED 10.00 ASH WEDNESDAY Mass & Ashing

11.30 ASH WEDNESDAY Mass & Ashing

AT MULLION

THU 12.00 Thu after Ash Weds

for Niall Keohane, RIP

FRI 11.00 Holy Hour & confessions

18.30 Stations of the Cross

AT MULLION

SAT 10.00 St Piran & 1st Sat. Devotions

for the church in Truro

SUN 09.30 1st SUNDAY OF LENT

for Margaret Canty, RIP

11.30 1st SUNDAY OF LENT

AT MULLION

for Charles & Frances Zammit, RIP

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available as advertised & by appointment.

Helston & Mullion News

A VERY WARM WELCOME

to all who are worshipping with us today.

There is **coffee or tea after mass on Sundays** in the church hall at Helston.

The **LENT TIMETABLE** starts on Friday of this week. Please make sure you have a copy. An outline of HOLY WEEK is on the reverse.

Walk With Me Booklet – A Lenten Journey of Prayer for 2022, is available in both churches. Cost is £1, but feel free to take one without any cost if you will find it helpful.

On Friday this week: **The World Day of Prayer is at 2pm at Mullion Methodist Church.** There is no celebration in Helston this year – supporters please go to the Mullion or Falmouth services.

There appears to be a problem with watching the live-streamed mass at Helston on the ChurchCam app. Please use the parish website instead, as this appears to be OK (details on the front page).

A reminder that Fr Paul is Catholic duty chaplain for Treliske Hospital on a Monday, so if you phone or call at the Presbytery you may not find him home. Please use the mobile if urgent.

COLLECTION REPORT (excludes Standing Orders):

13/02/22: Helston £897.00; Mullion £83.00;
Envelopes £30.00; Intentions: £50.00
TOTAL £260.00

WE DESPERATELY NEED MORE COUNTERS!

Can we also urge you to think about giving by Standing Order, which would mean you wouldn't have to find the right money each week and we wouldn't have to count it!!! We are moving towards a cashless society in so many areas, let's do it in church too.

A reminder that **MORNING PRAYER** is usually said 20 mins. before mass on Mondays & Thursdays, and during Holy Hour on Fridays.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Mon. 7th Mar. 18.00: "First Monday" Holy Hour, Benediction & Chat at Mullion.

Sat. 13th Mar.: Young People's Activity Day in Helston Church Hall from 11.00 – 15.00

Falmouth & Mawnan Smith News

First Holy Communion

Classes resume on Tuesday 1st March at 3.25 pm at St Mary's School.

Lent 2022

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, 2nd March 2022. There will be two Masses at Falmouth, 9.00 am and 6.00 pm. At both Masses there will be the traditional blessing and distribution of ashes.

Lent – Stations of the Cross

Fridays during Lent at 6.00 pm at St Mary's Falmouth, beginning **Friday 4th March.** The Stations will also be live streamed. Last year we made available copies of the Stations of the Cross according to St Alphonsus and I do hope you have kept them for I intend to use them again this year for this will enable those who live stream to be involved and take part.

OH NO, NOT LENT AGAIN!!

A reflection by Father Brian at 6.30 pm on **Tuesday 1st March** in the church. The reflection will also be live-streamed and recorded for those unable to attend. Please go to www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk and click on Live Mass.

News for Students

Please join us for **Food4Soul** on **Monday 28th February** at the Multifaith Chaplaincy in Penryn from 12- 2 pm. As it is the eve of St. David's Day we will be having a Welsh soup and side dishes with Welsh cakes to finish with.

On **Wednesday 2nd March** there will be **Table tennis** in the hall from 3:30-5 pm. Join us for a chat or a play. £1 buys you a hot drink and a cake. On **Thursday 3rd March** there will be a **Drop-in** on Falmouth Campus from 2:30-4 pm with hot drinks and cake provided.

1st TUESDAY COFFEE MORNING

Last chance to enjoy home-made cake before Lent begins!

Tuesday 1st March 2022 10.40 (after Mass)

St Mary's Parish Hall

Pop in for a hot drink, home-made cake, sausage rolls and fresh fruit.

Second-hand books and a raffle. Everyone welcome.

All profits to parish funds

LET IT BE – INSPIRING FILM COURSE ON MARY

For the benefit of those who missed the CaFE film course on Mary last year we are running it again. 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. Why not bring a friend and come and check out Session 1. We do ask for a donation of £2 for the book. Starting on **Thursday 3rd March** at 3pm in the Hall at St Mary's in Falmouth and continuing on Thursdays 17th, 24th, 31st March and ending on Tuesday 5th April all at 3pm. Refreshments included.

Walk With Me Booklet

A Lenten Journey of Prayer for 2022, now available in the church cost £1 but feel free to take on without any cost.

Regular Events at Falmouth

Mondays – Brownies & Guides 3.45 pm
Wednesdays – Craft Club 10 am -12 noon
Wednesdays - Table Tennis – 3.30 – 5.00 pm
1st Tuesday – coffee morning – 10.45 am
2nd Tuesday – Justice & Peace 2.00 pm
Last Tuesday – Living with Loss 2.00 pm
3rd Sunday – Fairtrade after 10.30 Mass

Dates for your diary

Lent celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. **Saturday 2nd April** from 10 am to 12 noon. Three priests will be available to hear individual confessions, including a Polish speaker. Do please try to come along and celebrate the gifts of God's mercy and forgiveness before Easter.

Book Sale

As with most charities fund raising for Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea) has been on hold for the past 2 years. On **Sunday 13th March** after the 10.30 am Mass we are holding a book sale. We have a range of books, to hopefully cover most peoples taste. Stella Maris will also be looking after tea and coffee on the day, with all monies raised going to Stella Maris local funds.



News for All 4 Churches

World Day of Prayer 4th March 2022

The service this year has been written by Christian women from England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

The Falmouth and Penryn service will this year be held in the Falmouth Parish Church of King Charles the Martyr, on Friday March 4th at 10.30 a.m. All welcome, women, men and children

St Patrick's Day Celebration

Irish sing-a-long, quiz, raffle, bring a plate to share, tea & coffee provided – bring your own wine.

Thursday 17th March in the hall at Falmouth 7 for 7.30 pm Tickets available from 7th March from the office, or ring Sheila Mac 01326 319524

LENTEN MEDITATIONS:

There will be a brief daily Lenten meditation and spiritual exercise available on the website www.stpaulrepository.com

HEALING MINISTRY COURSE:

Every Saturday in Lent there will be a Mass for healing and a teaching session on the Healing Ministry of Jesus in the Gospels. This will be at St Mary's Bodmin from 10am. The texts of the talks (and a Polish translation) will be available on the website www.stpaulrepository.com

ROSARY WALK

Every Tuesday in Lent Fr Robbie Low will be walking a section of the Saints Way on a Rosary Walk. The primary prayer intention of the walk is The Mission of The Church in this place and our part in it. Individual prayer requests are also welcomed and should be emailed to Fr Robbie at robbielow2@hotmail.com

An Ignation Retreat Day

Saturday 19th March 2022 10.30am-4.30pm

Epiphany House Retreat Centre Truro Christian Life Community (CLC) invite you to a day retreat during Lent in the beautiful tranquil setting of Epiphany House Truro. There is no cost to attend this day as it is sponsored by CLC; just a donation (on the day) towards the cost of a soup lunch which will be provided by Epiphany House. Places are limited and will be allocated on a 'first come first served' basis. Deadline for receipt of applications is 11th March 2022. Please see flyer at the back of church for details of how to book your place.

From Father Brian

This Wednesday is Ash Wednesday, a Day of Fast and Abstinence and the beginning of the season of Lent. For Ash Wednesday at Falmouth there will be Masses at 10.00 am and 6.00 pm. At both Masses there will be the traditional blessing and distribution of ashes. May God grant us all a holy and fruitful Lent.

Have a good and safe week

Points to Ponder

God never tires of forgiving us; we are the ones who tire of seeking His mercy.

(Pope Francis)

Lent is a time of grace, a time to convert and live out our baptism fully.

(Pope Francis)

Lent is a call to renew a commitment grown dull, perhaps by a life marked by routine rather than reflection.

(Joan Chittister)

Pope's Intentions for February

For religious sisters and consecrated women: We pray for religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.

Please keep in your prayers our sponsored seminarian in Malawi, **Brother Francis Achieng**.

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, David Stevens, Sheila Mulligan, Angela Toy, Jenny Davis, Francis Thompson, Veronica Robbins, Bishop Christopher Budd, Sister Augustine, Helen Finney and Lily Kingett.

Helston & Mullion:

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



Notice the Plank
of Your Own Eyes
Luke 6:41-42