

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

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55<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C)

Psalter 1

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2022



LAETARE SUNDAY

## FALMOUTH

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

Weekday Masses/Services (5<sup>th</sup> week of Lent)

MON St Isidore 11.00 am Funeral Sister Augustine RIP  
TUES St Vincent Ferrer 10.00 am Karl Hendy RIP  
WED of 5<sup>th</sup> week of Lent 6.00 pm David weaver RIP  
THUR St John Baptist de la Salle 10.00 am D'c'd Srs, clergy & ben. Of Sisters MAWNAN SMITH  
FRI of 5<sup>th</sup> week of Lent 10.00 am Sister Julian int.  
SAT of 5<sup>th</sup> week of Lent 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](mailto:paul.andrew@prcdtr.org.uk)

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Helston masses are live-streamed on the parish website:

[www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk](http://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 (all at Helston unless indicated otherwise)

SUN 09.30 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT for peace in Ukraine  
11.30 5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT AT MULLION for peace in Ukraine  
MON 11.00 Sister Augustine's Funeral in Falmouth (no mass at Helston)  
18.30 Passiontide Feria  
TUE no mass – day off  
WED 10.30 Passiontide feria AT MULLION for Sister Augustine, RIP  
18.30 Stations of the Cross  
THU 12.00 Passiontide feria for Sister Augustine, RIP  
FRI 11.00 Holy Hour & confessions  
18.30 Stations of the Cross AT MULLION  
SUN 09.30 PALM SUNDAY of the PASSION  
11.30 PALM SUNDAY of the PASSION AT MULLION

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available as advertised & by appointment ([see Lent poster](#)).

## 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.

**Please make sure you have a copy of the HOLY WEEK timetable** from the back of our churches. The **Wednesday morning bible study session** in Mullion at 11.00 was **accessible on ZOOM** last week, and this week's session will be the same. If you would like the link to join in just send an email to Father Paul *before Tuesday evening, please.* (No session: 13<sup>th</sup> Apr., resume on 20<sup>th</sup>.)

On **WEDNESDAY 13<sup>th</sup>** at 10 am there will be an **EASTER CLEAN at Helston.** We would appreciate many volunteers coming to spring clean our church, ready for Easter. Many thanks to all our faithful cleaners throughout the year.

*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).*

### COLLECTION REPORT (excludes Standing Orders):

20/03/22: Helston £111.12; Mullion £49.06;  
Envelopes: £48.00; masses: £10.00  
**TOTAL £218.18**

Can we please urge you to think about giving by Standing Order & (for tax payers) using Gift Aid.

**Forms are available in both churches.**

The annual **Gift Aid Envelopes** for those who use them, are now ready for collection from Fr Paul.

A reminder that **MORNING PRAYER** will usually be said 20 mins. *before* mass on Mondays & Thursdays, and *during* Holy Hour on Fridays; **AND EVENING PRAYER** will now be said at 6.10 on Wednesdays before Stations of the Cross.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Tues. 19<sup>th</sup>:** Day off (returning to Weds. next week)

**Weds. 20<sup>th</sup>:** 10.00 mass at Mullion (NOT Friday) and Bible Study session after.

**Thu. 21<sup>st</sup>:** 19.00 Church meeting at Helston to discuss arrangements for the Platinum Jubilee.

**Fri. 22<sup>nd</sup>:** no mass – Finance Committee meeting

**St George's Day** this year will be kept on **Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> April** (because 23<sup>rd</sup> falls in Easter Week).

**Fri. 29<sup>th</sup>:** Coffee at the Chocolate Factory after the mass at Mullion.

*Father Paul hopes to take an Easter break from Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> to Sat 7<sup>th</sup> May, so no services that week.*

## Falmouth & Mawnan Smith News

### First Holy Communion

Children will meet At St Mary's School at 3.25 pm on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April.

### Lent – Stations of the Cross

Fridays during Lent at

4.00 pm at St Edward's, Mawnan Smith.

6.00 pm at St Mary's Falmouth, The Stations will also be live streamed.

### Mass Intentions

A recent conversation has prompted me to share these words. I will always try to celebrate Mass on the date requested. However, there will be times when this will not be possible even when you have been given a date for the Mass. Requiem Masses always take priority even over booked Masses. This is because Masses are sometimes booked for weeks ahead and this could result in a family having to wait for a Requiem Mass a considerable time after their loved one died. This would not be desirable, practical and certainly not pastoral. Therefore I ask for your patience and understanding if your booked Mass has to be changed.

### CAFOD

The students did a walk against hunger to raise funds for CAFOD on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> March from St Mawes to the St Just in the Roseland Church and back to St Mawes. Please donate via our Just Giving Page: <https://walk.cafod.org.uk/fundraising/falmouth-catholic-chaplaincy-walk-against-hun>

### News for Students

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April Table Tennis** from 3:30-5 in the church hall. Join us for a game and a chat with a hot drink and a cake. Only £1

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April Drop-in** on Falmouth Campus. I will be in the Chaplaincy room from 2:30-4 so pop by for a chat, a hot drink and a cake.

There will be no organised student activities for a couple of weeks for the Easter break. We will be back with **Food4Soul on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April**

### LET IT BE – INSPIRING FILM COURSE ON MARY

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. We do ask for a donation of £2 for the book. This course is ending on Tuesday 5th April all at 3pm. Refreshments included.

### Hymn Books

When replacing hymn books in the benches please place them on their spines to prevent damage.

### 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

1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday – coffee morning – 10.45 am

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday – Justice & Peace 2.00 pm

Last Tuesday – Living with Loss 2.00 pm

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – Fairtrade after 10.30 Mass

### Easter Eggs for Seafarers

It's that time of the year when we collect easter eggs for seafarers. £1 box size please

As always, we are grateful for all your contributions.

There is a box to place your eggs in as you enter the church. The photo is of a Ukrainian seafarer from the "Anita" in port at Fowey.

His name is levgen and was delighted to hear that prayers were being said at St Mary Immaculate for all mixed up in war.

He was also very pleased to receive Easter Eggs on behalf of the crew, along with various prayer cards and newspapers in Russian & Ukrainian.

The "Anita" is a small coaster with just 6 crew, made up of 1 Lithuanian, 1 Russian & 4 Ukrainian.

levgen stated that they were like a happy family on board. His own family are now in Czechoslovakia and safe and well.

### News for All 4 Churches

#### Cornwall Hospice Care - knitathon

Our next event for raising money for Cornwall Hospice Care is a sponsored knit on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April. This is Taking place at the Penmere Manor Hotel at 2.30 pm. Both Pat Fitzpatrick and Christine Morris have sponsor forms. tea and biscuits are being supplied by the hotel and as it is being held in the lounge it will be very comfortable. all you need is one ball of double knitting wool and a pair of no 8 knitting needles. If you do not want to knit still come along - you can always sponsor someone who is knitting!! we look forward to seeing you there!

#### Catechetical Camps

Will be happening this summer – details to follow

### Holy Week

#### Falmouth

#### Helston

#### **Palm Sunday**

**Falmouth Vigil Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April 6.00 pm**

**Falmouth Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April**

**Mawnan Smith 9.00 am**

**Helston 9.30 am**

**Falmouth 10.30 am**

**Mullion 11.30 am**

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April**

**Falmouth 10.00 am**

**Helston 10.00 am**

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April**

**Falmouth 10.00 am**

**Helston no Mass**

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April Chrism Mass at Cathedral at 12 noon**

**Maundy Thursday – Mass of the Lord's Supper (with watching)**

**Falmouth 7.00 pm**

**Helston 7.00 pm**

**Good Friday – Celebration of Lord's Passion**

**Falmouth 3.00 pm**

**Helston 3.00 pm**

**Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil**

**Falmouth 8.00 pm**

**Helston 8.00 pm**

**Easter Sunday**

**Mawnan Smith 9.00 am**

**Helston 9.30 am**

**Falmouth 10.30 am**

**Mullion 11.30 am**

### **From Father Brian**

We have now reached the Fifth Sunday of Lent, the time of preparation for Easter will soon be over. Next weekend we celebrate Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, which marks the beginning of Holy Week, the most important week of the year for the Church. For Palm Sunday there will be the traditional blessing of the palms at the Masses. For the 6.00 pm Vigil Mass and the 9.00 am Mass at Mawnan Smith the blessing will take place in the churches. For the 10.30 am Sunday Mass we will assemble in the Parish Hall and after the blessing we will process into the church. Have a good and safe week

### **Points to Ponder**

What we have done for ourselves alone dies with us; what we have done for others and the world remains and is immortal.

*(Albert Pike)*

Love is not possible without sacrifice, and sacrifice is not possible without love.

*(Anon)*

Service to others leads to greatness.

*(Jim Rohn)*

### **Pope's Intentions for March**

For a Christian response to bioethical challenges. We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

**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, 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.

