

# St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

Parish Priest - Father Brian Kenwick V.F.

2<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

Psalter 2

15<sup>th</sup> January 2023



## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

SAT	6.00 pm	FALMOUTH	Stella Sawle RIP
SUN	9.00 am	MAWNAN SMITH	
SUN	9.30 am	HELSTON	Jane Trethowan RIP
SUN	10.30 am	FALMOUTH	People of the Parish
SUN	11.30 am	MULLION	



### FALMOUTH

### HELSTON

#### Weekday Masses/Services (2<sup>nd</sup> week in Ordinary Time)

MON	weekday	10.00 am	Josef Stasiak RIP & family	FALMOUTH
		No Mass		HELSTON
TUES	St Anthony	10.00 am	Paddy McKenna RIP	FALMOUTH
		10.00 am		HELSTON
WED	weekday	6.00 pm		FALMOUTH
THUR	St Wulstan	10.00 am	Terry & Dorothy McHugh int.	MAWNAN SMITH
		12 noon	Lisa Tripconey RIP	HELSTON
		12.45 pm	Churches Together Unity Service	HELSTON
FRI	Ss. Fabian & Sebastian	10.00 am	Sister Augustine RIP	FALMOUTH
		12 noon	Churches Together Unity Service	FALMOUTH
		10.00 am		MULLION
SAT	St Agnes	10.00 am	Dorothy May Cahill RIP	FALMOUTH
		No Mass		HELSTON

All Masses at Falmouth and Helston are live-streamed on our website: [www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk](http://www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk)

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is available on

Saturdays 10.30 am – 12 at Helston, Saturdays 1030 am – 11.30 am and 5pm – 5.45 pm at Falmouth

### PARISH CLERGY

Parish Priest – Father Brian Kenwick VF Dean of Cornwall, email: [brian.kenwick@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:brian.kenwick@prcdtr.org.uk)

Assistant Priest – Father Andrew Marlborough email: [andrew.marlborough@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:andrew.marlborough@prcdtr.org.uk)

Retired Priest in Residence at Helston – Father Paul Andrew email: [paul.andrew@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:paul.andrew@prcdtr.org.uk) 07548654893

### CHURCHES

St Mary's, Killigrew St, Falmouth, TR11 3PR email: [falmouth@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:falmouth@prcdtr.org.uk) phone 01326 312763

St Mary's, Clodgey Lane, Helston TR13 8PJ

St Michael's, Meaver Road, Mullion TR12 7AH

St Edward's, Old Church Road, Mawnan Smith TR11 5HJ

### USEFUL CONTACTS

#### Parish office:

St Mary's Presbytery, Killigrew Street, Falmouth TR11 3PR email: [falmouth@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:falmouth@prcdtr.org.uk) phone 01326 312763

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

Safeguarding Officers: - Falmouth & Mawnan Smith Sheila Jordan (01326 619648) Hilary Kiszczuk (07305602680)

Helston – Margaret Chambers (01326 240048) Meg Trevaskis (07813118426) Mullion Mary Keeley (01326 290008)

Helston Hall administrator: Margaret Chambers (01326 240048 or 07879 402932).

Website: [www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk](http://www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk)

### A VERY WARM WELCOME

to all who are worshipping with us today.

Tea & coffee are served in the parish halls at both Helston and Falmouth after Sunday Mass.

### We're giving you FORMED!

Learn and enjoy your faith at home and on the go, from any device. Sign up for free at [formed.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup)

Watch Award-Winning Programming. Diving into the beauty of the Faith has never been easier: at home, on the go, or from any internet connected device.

Discover thousands of books, audio talks, movies, documentaries, and studies... there is something for every member of the family to help them grow closer to Christ and His Church

**Registering on FORMED is easier than ever!**

**Go to [FORMED.org/signup](https://formed.org/signup)**

**Enter your parish post code or name to select your parish Enter your name and email**

### First Holy Communion

Sessions for the children continue on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> January at 3.30 pm at St Mary's School, with enrolment at 10.30 am Mass on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January at St Mary's Church Falmouth.

### HELSTON

youngsters' CAKE SALE raised £205. 55p in aid of CAFOD ALTERNATIVE GIFTS. Thank you to everyone for their support and generosity.

### Student News

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup>- Food4Soul** at the Multifaith Chaplaincy in Penryn with a prayer service at 12:30 followed by a soup lunch at 1 pm.

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>- Rosary** group at 8 pm. Come and say the rosary with other students at the Chaplaincy.

**Lectio-** at the Chaplaincy at 8:20 pm. Come and join other students in a study of the scriptures.

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>- Drop-in** at the Chaplaincy from 2:30- 4:30 pm. Join us for a drink, some cake and a chat.

For more information please see our Instagram- [@falcatchsoc1](https://www.instagram.com/falcatchsoc1)

If you need to talk to a chaplain please email Fran on [f.freeman@fxplus.ac.uk](mailto:f.freeman@fxplus.ac.uk)

### Fairtrade Stall

Traidcraft goods will be on sale in the hall during Coffee morning on **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2023.**

### **CAFOD Deanery meeting Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> January 11am – 1pm**

Our CAFOD group is hosting this deanery meeting in the Falmouth church hall. If you would like to find out more about CAFOD and the work they do throughout the world, you are very welcome to come along. Lunch will be served afterwards. The meeting will also be on Zoom so please contact the office if you would like to be sent the link.

### Cornwall Hospice Care

A belated Happy New Year to you all! Cornwall Hospice Care Fundraising Group are starting 2023 with a Coffee Morning on **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> January 10.30am - noon** at the Greenbank Hotel ( ground level lounge) a lovely place to spend a wintery morning! There will be a raffle, a book stall and a table of 'surplus' gifts available for donations. We do hope you can come - everyone very welcome. Tickets are £5 each to include homemade biscuits (refill of coffee £1). We look forward to seeing you.

### St Mary's Luncheon Club Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January

**2023 12noon for 12.30 lunch** If you live on your own, come and enjoy lunch on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at St Mary's Church hall Falmouth. 2 course lunch £8. To book: contact Sheila Mac on 319524 or Mary Bradley on 312768.

Menu: Welcome drink and Nibbles, Braised Sausage and Selection of Vegetables, Choice of two Desserts

Tea/Coffee and Mints

### SPUC Annual White Flower Appeal

Next weekend 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> January there will be a retiring collection at all Masses for the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children. Please be as generous as you can to support them in their vital work to protect the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death.

### Lunch at Mullion and Helston

Fr Andrew is proposing a parish lunch at Mullion on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> January after Mass, details to be confirmed.

Fr Andrew is also planning a pasty lunch in Helston on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February, Feast of the Presentation, to mark the end of the Christmas season.

For both/either, please let him know if you would like to come as he will need to book

### 'Synodality Series'

By popular demand, the diocese is offering 2 further talks by Dr Caroline Farey on vital aspects of synodality. Come and discuss in person or join the day online via zoom.

The talks will take place at St Peter's Catholic Church, Crownhill, Plymouth, PL5 3AX For those attending the day there will be 10.30am Refreshments and 12.15pm Lunch break. (Bring your own lunch). There is also Mass at 9.30am.

To request a zoom link please email: [carolinefarey@btinternet.com](mailto:carolinefarey@btinternet.com)

### **Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2023:**

11.00am: Talk 1. Sharing the priesthood of Christ.

1.15pm: Talk 2. Should women share in the hierarchy?

### Diary Dates

any items marked \* need to be pre-booked

15<sup>th</sup> Jan Fairtrade after Mass Fal hall

18<sup>th</sup> Jan 3.30 pm FHC St Mary's school

24<sup>th</sup> Jan 12 lunch club Fal Hall\*

29<sup>th</sup> Jan Mullion lunch\*

31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2 pm Living with loss Fal hall

2<sup>nd</sup> Feb Helston lunch\*

### Stella Maris Christmas appeal

We have now received all of the chocolate bars collected From St Marys Falmouth & Helston & St Augustine's St Austell.

181 bars collected, with many smaller chocolate items.

St Johns Camborne & The Assumption Redruth also contributed to the appeal and our Ship visitor Bill Krey is holding onto the 50 plus bars collected, to hand out when he visits Fowey Port in the coming year.

With over 200 bars, this will keep us going for the next few months when visiting the ports. When handing over these bars of chocolate to the seafarers, we ensure they understand that it is down to the generosity of our parishioners that we can do this.

Thank you once again  
John Pinhay (Port Chaplain)

### Save the date - LOUDfence in the Diocese of Plymouth (15<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> February)

The diocese will be holding a LOUDfence at Christ the King Church in Plymouth starting on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> February and concluding on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February. A LOUDfence is a visible display of support and solidarity with those who have been affected by abuse. Attendees are encouraged to tie ribbons around a fence which could also include a message of support. We want survivors to know that we hear you, we believe you and that we are here to support you. We hope that you can join us. More details will follow soon.

### Congratulations

To our 100+ club December winners – first 154 £50, second 14 £25 and third 8 £10

### WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 18-25

#### JANUARY 2023

**Be-Longing: Praying for Unity Amidst Injustice. Please come and join us as we pray together for Christian Unity. Everyone welcome**  
**Services throughout this special week are open to everyone.**

#### **Services in Falmouth & Penryn**

Wed. 18 January: St Budock Church 12noon

Thurs 19 January: Emmanuel Baptist 12noon

**Friday 20 January: St Mary's 12noon**

Sat. 21 January: Highway Church, Penryn 12noon

Sunday 22 January: Prayers for unity in each of the individual churches

Mon 23 January: Salvation Army, 12noon

Tues 24 January: St Gluvias Church, 12noon

**Wednesday 25 January: All Saints Church; 11.00am WPCU prayers**

#### **WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY** in

Helston. Short service and soup lunch at 12.45 at St Mary's on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January. All other service details on poster in porch..

### Helston Church Clean

We need 2 or 3 new volunteers as we have retired two 85 year olds, and another who is not physically able to help with this anymore. If we have a full rota, the job involves cleaning twice a year plus Christmas and Easter, and takes one and half hour.

Please see Anne Randall if you can help.

**From Father Brian**

This Sunday we break from our reading of Matthew's Gospel for Year A to hear the Gospel from John. This Sunday we hear John the Baptist's testimony about Jesus. John recognizes Jesus as the Chosen One of God, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.

Have a good and safe week

**On a lighter note:**

Two women called at my door and asked what bread I ate. When I said 'white' they gave me a lecture on the benefits of eating brown bread... I think they were both 'Hovis Witnesses'!

**Points to Ponder**

Not only do we not know God except through Jesus Christ, we do not even know ourselves except through Jesus Christ.

*(Blaise Pascal)*

Without a sense of caring there can be no sense of community.

*(Anthony J. D'Angelo)*

Alone, we can do little. Together we can do so much.

*(Helen Keller)*

**Pope's intentions for January**

For educators: We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

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

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

Kathleen O'Flaherty, Colin Campbell, Theresa Sullivan, Isabella Grace, Jason Campbell, Sister Martin, Steven Pellow, Pat Berney, Hugh McLoughlin, David Stevens, Sheila Mulligan, Jenny Davis, Francis Thompson, Veronica Robbins, Bishop Christopher Budd, Peter Luckman, Colin Davis, Lily Kingett, Audrey Holley, Sheila Jordan, Lorna Bean, Ian Bond-Stocks, Frances Chapman, Chris Cowen, Frieda Curnow, Lucy Daish, Poppy DeAth, Joan Duffy, Jenny Gilbert, Mary Harry, Jenny Hayes, Marie Kennan, David & Carmel Kerslake, Frances Meeks, Theresa Neal, John Ronan, Paul Ronan, Tony Ronan, May & Gordon Stewart, Lisa Tripconey(RIP), Mike Hughes, Susan Barrow, the Mosely family, Daniel Williams, Valerie Dalton and Bridget Van de Pool.

Thank you for your prayers, it is a pleasure to say that we have been able to take some people off the list because they have recovered.

