

St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

Parish Priest - Father Brian Kenwick V.F.

2nd SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR A)

Psalter 2

5th March 2023



FALMOUTH

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

SAT	6.00 pm	FALMOUTH	Fr Keiran Kirby int.
SUN	9.00 am	MAWNAN SMITH	
SUN	9.30 am	HELSTON	Irene & Harold Waddington RIP
SUN	10.30 am	FALMOUTH	People of the Parish
SUN	11.30 am	MULLION	



HELSTON

Weekday Masses/Services (2nd week of Lent)

MON	2 nd week of Lent	10.00 am	Tony Tozer RIP	FALMOUTH
		10.00 am		HELSTON
TUES	Ss Perpetua & Felicity	10.00 am	Andy & Robert Hocking RIP	FALMOUTH
		10.00 am		HELSTON
WED	St John of God	9.10 am	years 2 & 3	ST MARY'S SCHOOL
		11.00 am		MULLION
		6.00 pm	David Boulton RIP	FALMOUTH
THUR	St Frances of Rome	10.00 am	Nola Bagot RIP	MAWNAN SMITH
		12 noon		HELSTON
FRI	2 nd week of Lent	10.00 am	Pat & Brian Watmore int.	FALMOUTH
		10.00 am		MULLION
SAT	2 nd week of Lent	10.00 am	Valerie Dalton int.	FALMOUTH
		10.00 am		HELSTON

All Masses at Falmouth and Helston are live-streamed on our website: www.falmouthcatholicchurch.org.uk

Adoration, Benediction and Reconciliation available after morning Mass Wednesdays at Mullion, Saturdays at Helston and Falmouth

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION is also available on Saturdays 5pm – 5.45 pm at Falmouth

PARISH CLERGY

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

Website: 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.

Student News

For further information on student events please go to our Instagram [Falcathsoc1](#)

First Holy Communion

Sessions for the children continue on Wednesday 8th March at 3.30 pm at St Mary's School,

Diary Dates

any items marked * need to be pre-booked

8th March 3.30 pm FHC St Mary's school

9th March 1 pm Winter warm Helston hall

9th March 7 pm Study Group Helston hall

10th March 6.30 pm RCIA Fal hall*

11th March 7 pm Quiz Helston hall*

12th March 11.35 AOS Bacon Butties Fal hall

18th March Ceilidh Fal hall*

25th March 12 pasty & talk Helston hall

28th March 2 pm Living with loss Fal hall

Winter Quiz at Helston

Quiz change of date

Please note the Winter Quiz will now take place on Saturday March 11th at 7 pm Please bring a plate of food to share (list in Church porch) and your own drinks (tea and coffee provided) Please place any raffle prizes in the basket in the Church porch Entry £1.00 everybody welcome!

Further information to follow. Margaret Chambers 07879402932

Walk with Me

This helpful little booklet of daily reflections is again available in all our churches.

Reception of Holy Communion under both kinds

The Bishops of England and Wales have given permission for communion of both kinds to resume from the Mass of the Lord's Supper in Holy Week (6th April 2023). The decision to receive the chalice is your personal choice. The totality of the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of the Lord is received in either or both the Host and the Precious Blood.

CAFOD envelopes

If you are returning your envelopes this weekend please place them in the plates available in the churches at the end of Mass.

Fran Freeman

We bid farewell to Fran who is leaving her role as a chaplain at the university and is also leaving the parish. We sincerely thank Fran for her great work with the students and we keep her and her family in our prayers and wish her well for the future.

Coffee Morning

Tuesday March 7th 10 .30 am in the hall at Falmouth come along and join us for delicious coffee and homemade cake and sausage rolls. and much more,

Items made by our parish craft group for Easter will be on sale and there will be a raffle and books for sale.

Enjoy a chat and bring along your friends. All welcome

Social & Fundraising Group will meet afterwards



ST MARY'S FALMOUTH FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT AND TRADE JUSTICE



St Mary's is registered as a Fairtrade Church This means that we support Fairtrade and Trade Justice, ensuring that millions of poor farmers in the world get a just wage and decent livelihood and are able to respond to the devastating effects of climate change by using new farming methods, and encouraging biodiversity. Fairtrade fortnight has started and you are invited to

our special FAIRTRADE COFFEE MORNING

on Saturday 11th March 10.30 - 12.30pm in the Council Chambers. There will be FREE tea, coffee and biscuits, Chocolate tastings, a Fairtrade Stall, Cake Sale, Film and Quiz. It is always a lovely opportunity to promote Fairtrade, meet others and enjoy all that is on offer. So come along and bring your friends and support and meet the Mayor! See poster in the porch for more information. Mary Bradley



Stella Maris Bacon Butty Sunday

Your Winter warmer will be available on Sunday 12th March after the 10.30 am Mass in Falmouth.

Prices in the shops and cafes may be on the rise, but not our bacon butties, still only £2.50



Cornwall Hospice Care

Soup and Sweet lunch

Tuesday 21st March, 12 for 12.30pm Falmouth Hall For catering purposes tickets need to be purchased in advance as there are only 60 places available. Tickets £8 per person. Choice of 4 home made soups and desserts. Tickets can be purchased from Pat Fitzpatrick telephone: 01326 316566, email: patfitzpatrick70@btinternet.com or see me after Sunday Mass.

Mullion

During Lent **Mass at 11 am on Wednesdays** followed by Adoration, confessions and benediction.

Helston

Thursdays in Lent Ecumenical Study Group 7 – 8 pm in the hall

Pilgrimage to Fatima: 11th - 15th May, 2023

Dear Friends,

I have been asked by Tangney Tours to lead a 5 day pilgrimage to Fatima in May. I have been going to Fatima for over 20 years, so it will be wonderful to be returning after a gap of three years because of the pandemic. I have stayed at the hotel we are using a number of times, and know that the accommodation and food are very good. The itinerary and further information and a booking form are at the back of church. If you would like to talk to me about the pilgrimage, please give me a call on 075 4865 4893. It would be great if a number of people from our parish could join me.

Every blessing,
Father Paul.



Stations of the Cross

Falmouth Fridays at 6.00 pm – live streamed using St Alphonsus Stations

Helston Tuesdays after 10 am Mass

Mawnan Smith Fridays 4pm

Mullion Fridays after 10 am Mass

Helston & Mullion

On **Sunday 12th March** Fr Andrew will conduct a meeting after each of the Masses at Helston and Mullion for people to discuss any issues of concern for parish life.

Date for your diary.

Celebrate **St Patrick's night** with Ceilidh music and a Cornish pasty supper Saturday 18th March, St Mary's hall after Mass. More details to follow.

Come to our Quiet Day

...no demands...no distractions...turn your eyes towards Jesus and prepare for Holy Week...Saturday 1st April...more details to follow



Saturday 25th March

Falmouth Model Railway Society Exhibition in the hall at Falmouth, 10 am to 4 pm.

Celebrate the great Solemnity of the Annunciation

Saturday 25th March 2023

St Mary's Catholic Church Hall, Helston



Alison Davis: Saying "Yes" to Life

12 noon pasty lunch followed by a talk

To mark the great feast of Mary's "yes" at the Annunciation we have a special talk about Alison Davis and her extraordinary "yes" to life. Alison was a pro-abortion atheist who tried to end her life, yet became an inspiring defender of life from conception to natural death and an exemplary Catholic, living in Plymouth diocese until her death in 2013. Though she suffered intensely she radiated joy and many hope a cause for her canonisation will be started soon. The talk will be given by Alison's friend and carer Colin Harte.

In St Mary's Church there will be a Holy Hour with Confessions from 10am and Holy Mass at 11am.

All are welcome. For further details and to request your pasty (including vegetarian options) contact the parish on 01326 312763 or andrew.marlbrough@prcdtr.org.uk

Josie Bee

As of April this year our Brownie Pack will celebrate its 70th Anniversary, and Josie Bee, who has been a Uniformed Guider with Cornwall Guiding for over 50 years, both as Guide Guider in St. Agnes, her home village, and here with St. Mary's Brownies as Brown Owl, and for the past few years as Assistant to Elizabeth, is now retiring.

It is essential that if the Pack is to continue a new Assistant Guider must be found to work with Elizabeth. If not the Unit will have to close. Guiding experience is not essential, but useful!! It means one hour per week, for the meetings, with extra hours for training, planning and other County events etc.

As a Girl led Organization only young women are asked to apply, and this should be to Miss Elizabeth Bee. Brownie and Guide Leader,

on Elizabeth.bee@live.com or 07776116960 or 01326 313048

From Father Brian

As reported in the bulletin last week reception of Holy Communion under both kinds will resume at the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Thursday 6th April. I am aware that some will be very nervous about receiving the chalice. However, it is your personal choice and I would remind us all that the totality of the Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of the Lord is received in either or both in the Host and the Precious Blood. It is a positive step that those of us who wish to do so have the opportunity to receive the chalice. For the Church tells us that "when communion is given under both kinds, the form of communion in which the Eucharistic banquet is more clearly signified."

Have a good and safe week.

Points to Ponder

If the only prayer you ever say in your entire life is thank you, it will be enough.
(Meister Eckhart)

May every sunrise bring you hope and may every sunset bring you peace.
(Anon)

More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of.
(Tennyson)

Pope's intentions for March

For victims of abuse: We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

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 Kerlake, Frances Meeks, Theresa Neal, John Ronan, Paul Ronan, Tony Ronan, May & Gordon Stewart, Mike Hughes, Susan Barrow, Matt Higham, the Mosely family, Daniel Williams, Valerie Dalton, Bridget Van de Pool, Cynthia Millward, Mairead McInerney, Julie Hession and Susan Parr.

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.

