



# St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

Parish Priest - Father Brian Kenwick V.F.



11<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

Psalter: 3

18<sup>th</sup> June 2023



FALMOUTH

## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

SAT	6.00 pm	FALMOUTH	Kathleen & Robert Reoch RIP
SUN	9.00 am	MAWNAN SMITH	
SUN	9.30 am	HELSTON	
SUN	10.30 am	FALMOUTH	People of the Parish
SUN	11.30 am	MULLION	



HELSTON

### Weekday Masses/Services (11<sup>th</sup> week in Ordinary Time)

MON	St Romauld	10.00 am		FALMOUTH
		NO MASS		HELSTON
TUES	St Alban	10.00 am	in Thanksgiving	FALMOUTH
		NO MASS		HELSTON
WED	St Aloysius of Gonzaga	6.00 pm		FALMOUTH
THUR	SS.JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE	10.00 am	Dorothy McHugh int.	MAWNAN SMITH
		12 noon		HELSTON
FRI	St Edward	10.00 am		FALMOUTH
		10.00 am		MULLION
SAT	NATIVITY JOHN THE BAPTIST	NO MASS		FALMOUTH
		10.00 am	( no adoration, Benediction, confession)	HELSTON

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

Adoration, Benediction and Reconciliation available after morning Mass Fridays 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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### CHURCHES

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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:

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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)

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

### 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.

### Parish Pilgrimage to Rome and Assisi

We are making a parish pilgrimage to **Rome and Assisi** 12<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> October 2023. Approx price £1500. Limited single rooms available at approx. £420.

3 nights in Assisi and 4 in Rome, dinner, bed, and breakfast in the hotel. Flying from Bristol.

If you are interested in coming please give your names to the office, or one of the priests asap before we offer places to people from other parishes.

### Fairtrade Stall

Fairtrade and Mass cards will be on sale in the parish hall at Falmouth on **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June** after 10.30 am Mass

### Cornwall Hospice Care

Well, the Armed Forces weekend celebrations are almost upon us! The Falmouth Fundraising Group for Cornwall Hospice Care

are kicking off with a **Garden Party at the Penmorvah Manor Hotel on Thursday 22nd June 2pm - 4pm**. The ticket includes afternoon tea (sandwiches, meringues, strawberries and cream and tea/coffee)

Music is being performed by our very own Mark on the saxophone. The gardens are looking beautiful and these can be enjoyed by us all. Tickets are £23 each and names must be given in advance for catering purposes. Just ring Christine on 01326 319142 or Pat Fitzpatrick 01326 316566 It promises to be a great occasion and the last event of the season as we take a break for July and August  
Please come and join in the fun - everyone very welcome.

### Parish Pastoral Council

The Parish Pastoral Council is due to hold its next meeting on **Wednesday 28th June**. Any parishioner may submit items for consideration for the agenda and these should be submitted either to the secretary at the presbytery in Falmouth at "[falmouth@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:falmouth@prcdtr.org.uk)" or the Council Chairman, Chris Ohly at "[chris@ohly.co.uk](mailto:chris@ohly.co.uk)". If using post please send them to Chris Ohly at "Caris Lodge", Carwinion Road, Mawnan Smith, Falmouth, TR11 5JD.

### Day for Life

Next weekend **17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> June** the Catholic Church celebrates a 'Day for Life'. The Church teaches that life is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. A Day for Life reminds us of this teaching. On this weekend there will be a retiring collection to support the Church in protecting the dignity of human life.

### Calling all Eucharistic Ministers and Readers!

Fr Brian and Sister Damian will be leading a Day for Eucharistic Ministers and Readers on **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July** beginning with 10 am Mass. Lunch will be provided. More details to follow.

### Mass for Healing

Our annual Mass for Healing takes place on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July** at 2 pm in St Mary's Falmouth, followed by refreshments in the hall. This Mass is for everyone. If you would like to come but need help with transport please contact the office.

**CAFOD - Please sign our giant letter as you leave church today - to support our campaign to urge the World Bank to end all policies that restrict farmers' freedoms to choose which seeds they use to grow food. The letter will be at all 4 churches over the next few weeks.**

For generations, small-scale farmers have freely used, swapped and shared a wide variety of seeds, best suited to their own environmental conditions.

However, this freedom is under threat as the World Bank supports new laws which force farmers to use seeds sold by big agri-businesses. These seeds often need more fertilisers, destroying soil quality and local biodiversity. Please help us to achieve a sustainable food system by supporting small farmers across the world as they fight for control over their seeds.

### THE CASE FOR JESUS

Join us in the hall in Falmouth on **June 27<sup>th</sup>** at 6pm to watch the next two of these highly watchable films, (each only about 30 minutes). Refreshments provided. Thereafter we shall show a further two films once a month, July 25<sup>th</sup> and August 29<sup>th</sup> for the full story.

**PRAYER FOR UKRAINE:** You are invited to join those who pray a public Rosary for peace in Ukraine.

Time: 11am, every Saturday until further notice;  
Place: Lemon Quay, outside Hall for Cornwall.

### **This weekend**

The Catholic Church celebrates a 'Day for Life'. The Church teaches that all human life is sacred and is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. A Day for Life reminds us of this teaching. At the Masses there will be a retiring collection to support the Church in protecting the dignity of human life.

### **Falmouth Armed Forces Day June 24<sup>th</sup> –**

We have been advised that all the roads around the church will be closed or have very limited access. Therefore, because of the extreme difficulty in reaching our church there will be no Saturday morning Mass and Holy Hour. For obvious reasons the church car park will be closed until the 6.00 pm Mass. Hopefully, by the early evening access will be easier for those wishing to come to the 6.00 pm Mass which will be celebrated. Any inconvenience caused is regretted.

### **Stella Maris**

#### **Ahoy dear Parishioners.**

Announcing the ROUND BRITAIN SAILING PILGRIMAGE – celebrating STELLA MARIS' 100+ years of service to Seafarers & Fishers. Please come and join skipper Russ Fairman & Crew in the Mass, celebrated by Fr Brian Kenwick at St Mary Immaculate in Falmouth on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 7 pm. Hospitality will be provided in the church hall afterwards, hosted by John Pinhay, Stella Maris Port Chaplain for Falmouth & Fowey. This voyage of 2,200 miles over 10 weeks will stop in over 50 ports and holy sites around the UK, with as many crew changes.

Parishioners are welcome to take part in the sailing, or any of the shoreside Gatherings – for more details go to

<https://sailingpilgrimages.co.uk/stella-maris/>

To apply for a sailing slot, please email

[sailing.pilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:sailing.pilgrimages@gmail.com)

To join a Gathering, please email

[info@stellamaris.mail](mailto:info@stellamaris.mail) Thank You

### **Diary Dates**

any items marked \* need to be pre-booked

18<sup>th</sup> June 11.45 Fairtrade Fal Hall

25<sup>th</sup> June 1 pm Lunch Membly Hall\*

27<sup>th</sup> June 2 pm – Living with Loss – Fal Hall

8<sup>th</sup> July 2 pm Mass for Healing- Fal church

15<sup>th</sup> July – 10 am – EM & Readers

**Missio & Mill Hill Missionaries** invite all red box holders and supporters to a

### **Mission Animation**

To explore & celebrate Mission in the Diocese of Plymouth

There are two occasions for you taking place:

Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July

1.00 pm - 3.30pm

2.00 pm - 3.30 pm

St Richard Reynolds Centre

St Peters RC Church

Blessed Sacrament Church

15 St Boniface Lane

Fore St, Heavitree

Crownhill

Exeter EX1 2QJ

Plymouth PL5 3AX

Light refreshments will be available.

For planning and catering, please RSVP:

[redbox@missio.org.uk](mailto:redbox@missio.org.uk) or Tel 07593 544622

### **NEWS FROM OUR SPONSORED SEMINARIAN IN KENYA.**

We are pleased to have received a letter from Brother Francis Achieng at Christ the King major Seminary in Nyeri , Kenya . He is now in his seventh year of training for the priesthood and is looking forward to being ordained Deacon soon. He thanks us for sponsoring him both financially and for our prayers. He tells us that Kenyan church and Kisumu's Church is vibrant and full of life, bringing the good news to all corners of the diocese and promoting peace and awareness among her faithful. (his letter is on the porch notice board)

Our parish donates £500 annually to the Society of St Peter the Apostle. Since the year 2000 we have sponsored 5 priests. We also promise to keep them Bro Francis in our prayers. He is grateful for our support and sends his good wishes and thanks

### **Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian Spirituality Group**

#### **SUMMER RETREATS**

Jun 30<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> July (Fri - Sun) Weekend Retreat

July 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> July (Mon - Fri) Midweek Retreat

Jun 30<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> July (Fri - Fri) 6-day Retreat

Venue: Sclerder Abbey, nr Looe, Cornwall

Cost includes full board & lodging.

Recommended donation: 6 day Retreat £450.

Weekend Retreat £140; Midweek Retreat £240;

Please contact Plymouth Diocesan Ignatian

Spirituality Group at

[diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:diocesan-ignatian-retreats@prcdtr.org.uk)

or phone 01752 769164 or 07823 447637

for further information or booking form.

**From Father Brian**

This Sunday, at the 10.30 am Mass, Harrison John Nash will receive the sacrament of Confirmation. Because the Plymouth Diocese does not have a Bishop at the moment I have been granted facilities to celebrate the sacrament of confirmation for Harrison. When we invited the teenagers of our parish back in September 2022 to put their names forward to celebrate Confirmation Harrison was the only one who responded. Therefore, I have great admiration for Harrison for his faith and commitment. I would also like to thank the family of Harrison for their support and contribution in preparation for him to celebrate Confirmation. Please keep Harrison in your prayers. As this Sunday is also 'Fathers' Day' I would like to wish all fathers a happy 'Fathers' Day'. Have a good and safe week.

**Points to Ponder**

Let us keep the flame of faith alive through prayer and the sacraments: let us make sure we do not forget God.

*(Pope Francis)*

The sacraments are the manifestation of the Father's tenderness and love towards each of us.

*(Pope Francis)*

In prayer we lift ourselves up to God. In the sacraments He comes down to us.

*(Scott Hahn)*

**Pope's intentions for June**

For the abolition of torture: we pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

**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, Theresa Sullivan, Isabella Grace, Sister Martin, Steven Pellow, Pat Berney, Hugh McLoughlin, David Stevens, Sheila Mulligan, Jenny Davis, Francis Thompson, Veronica Robbins, Peter Luckman, Lily Kingett, Audrey Holley, 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, the Mosely family, Colin Campbell, Jason Campbell, Daniel Williams, Valerie Dalton, Bridget Van de Pool, Cynthia Millward, Mairead McInerney, Baby Edward Bromage, Marie Lockeridge and Eve O'Connor.

**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.**

