



# St. Mary's Falmouth & Helston RC Parish

Parish Priest - Father Brian Kenwick V.F.



21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (YEAR A)

Psalter: 1

27<sup>th</sup> August 2023



## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

SAT	6.00 pm	FALMOUTH	
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	



### FALMOUTH

Weekday Masses/Services (21<sup>st</sup> week in Ordinary Time)

MON	St Augustine	10.00 am	Sister Rose int.	FALMOUTH
TUES	Passion St John the Baptist	10.00 am	Sister Annunciata int.	FALMOUTH
WED	Ss. Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line, & Margaret Ward	10.00 am 6.00 pm		HELSTON FALMOUTH
THUR	St Aidan	10.00 am	Kathleen Weaver RIP	MAWNAN SMITH
FRI	weekday	10.00 am	Woods Family int & Becky RIP	FALMOUTH
SAT	weekday	10.00 am		MULLION

### 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 <http://www.st-marys-fal.cornwall.sch.uk>

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** the **date has changed**. 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.

### Books from Bethany House

Over 250 books have now been rehomed! The remainder will be collected from Bethany House by a bookseller at the beginning of September so if you want any you have limited time. Please contact the office or Paul Murphy on [paul.murphy.ref@gmail.com](mailto:paul.murphy.ref@gmail.com).

### THE CASE FOR JESUS

The enthralling series concludes on the 29th August with the last session dealing with the resurrection of Jesus Christ. To be held in the hall in Falmouth at 6pm. Refreshments provided.

The reason for the change is that I have been unable to link the projector to my computer so the session will be audio only, (which most of the parishioners last month thought was an improvement).

### Receiving Holy Communion

Following the recommendation of the Bishops of England and Wales communion by intinction (i.e. dipping the Host in the chalice) is not allowed. Also, please remember to consume the Host in the presence and sight of the minister distributing the Host.

### Day Out from Helston

Proposed visit to Buckfast Abbey and the Buckfastleigh to Totnes railway in October. In order to assess interest and if you are interested please leave your name on the list in the Church porch or contact Margaret Chambers on 07879402932.

### This weekend 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> August

There will be the annual retiring collection for the **Plymouth Catholic Children's Society** at all Sunday Masses. See below for more details

### Hot Dog Sunday in aid of Stella Maris



Hot Dogs available after Mass at St Marys Falmouth on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September.

Prices are rising in the shops and restaurants, but not here, as the price remains only £2.50

### MABE LADIES CHOIR

"Fruits of Autumn" - an evening entertainment.

St Mary's Catholic Church on Friday 29th September at 7.30 pm.

Admission free but retiring donations welcome (5 members of the Parish are in the choir)

### Catholic Children's Society

***Creating Hope for Families – Changing Lives – Putting All Children First: the annual appeal of the Catholic Children's Society is next weekend. Please take an appeal envelope today or visit their website [www.ccsplymouth.org.uk](http://www.ccsplymouth.org.uk) to understand the wonderful work, which the Society does to help struggling children and their families. Thank you.***

Donations can also be made by –

- Visiting our Annual Appeal **Crowdfunder** page – [crowdfunder.co.uk/p/creating-hope-for-families-changing-lives](http://crowdfunder.co.uk/p/creating-hope-for-families-changing-lives)
- **post** by sending a cheque made payable to 'Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth)' to **St Boniface House, Ashburton, Devon TQ13 7JL**
- **BACS direct into our account** – Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth) sort code – **52-41-60** account number – **06024335**
- **text** – to donate **£5 text 5CCSP to 70085**, to donate **£10 text 10CCSP to 70085** or to donate **£20 text 20CCSP to 70085**
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## Saints book Club

If anyone would like to join this group they meet in Truro Church hall on the first Saturday of the month at 4.25 pm (finishing by 5.25 pm).

No one who hasn't read the whole book need worry - probably most of us don't get to read the whole book but we make note of what we found interesting or beautiful and we share that with whoever is there. It can be as few as two or three or more depending on what is happening in people's lives. There's no compulsion to turn up. The book list for this year is available from the office.

The books for the next 2 meetings are:  
2 September 2023- On the Church Militant  
by St Robert Bellarmine  
7 October - On Grace and Free Will  
By St Bernard of Clairvaux

## Diocesan Youth Events

**Youth Rally, 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 12.00 – 18.00**

### **St Rita's Honiton**

Join youth from across the diocese in fun, games and challenges at St Rita's Honiton. Are you ready for the infamous obstacle course? Or are you keen to score lots of goals in the penalty shoot out or netball challenge. They'll be bouncy castles, didi cars, sumo wrestling challenges and much more for you to have a go at. The event is open to anyone 7 years through to 16. You are encouraged to come as part of a parish/school or group team or simply sign up and be placed in a team. The £8 contribution includes a BBQ and drinks. To book:

<https://forms.office.com/e/L2jn7EwXfH> or contact Saskia for further information: [youth@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:youth@prcdtr.org.uk)

**Social Justice residential, 20<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2023, St Rita's Honiton**

This residential is aimed at those preparing or have received confirmation (12-17). It is a chance to explore the Bishops Conference paper on **Love the Stranger**, thinking about those living in loneliness and what God asks us to do. The weekend will be jointly run with the **Columbans**. Some people with refugee and asylum status will be invited to talk about their experiences.

For further information contact Saskia: [youth@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:youth@prcdtr.org.uk)

## Parish Office

Hilary will be taking a (well-deserved?) break for the next week so the office will be unmanned (unwomaned). Fr Brian will still be available but you will probably need to leave an answerphone message and wait for a call back.



MARYVALE INSTITUTE  
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Application deadline 31 August 2023!

COURSE INFORMATION 2023-2024

Ecclesiastical Bachelor of Divinity Programme  
Validated by The Ecclesiastical Theology Faculty of l'Ecole Cathédrale de Notre Dame

Do visit and follow our social media pages and share/tag/retweet to any individuals or groups that may be interested.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/maryvaleinst>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/MaryvaleInst>

## A Trip Down Broadway

A musical extravaganza at Princess Pavilion, Falmouth on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> August at 7 pm. raising funds for a charity, The Chris Treglown Foundation Fund, supporting young people training in music  
Tickets £15 from [crbo.co.uk/christreglown](http://crbo.co.uk/christreglown)  
01726 63513 or Julia Treglown 07815 987172

## Diary Dates

any items marked \* need to be pre-booked  
29<sup>th</sup> August 2 pm – Living with Loss – Fal Hall  
29<sup>th</sup> August 6 pm Case for Jesus Fal Hall

### From Fr Brian

I would remind you that from next weekend, 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> September, the Sunday Masses will be as follows: - **Vigil Mass Saturday 6.00 pm Falmouth, Sunday 9.00 am Helston, 10.45 am Falmouth.**

I am sorry that Mawnan Smith and Mullion will lose their Sunday Masses, however, Mawnan Smith will have Mass on Thursdays at 10.00 am and Mullion on Saturday morning at 10.00 am.

I am well aware that many of you are upset and even angry at this turn of events, however, I am sure that you appreciate that I am now on my own and I am doing the best that I can.

Have a good and safe week

### Points to Ponder

Just as love is a verb, so is faith.

*(Nannie Helen Burroughs)*

Faith sees the invisible, believes the unbelievable, and receives the impossible.

*(Corrie Ten Boom)*

If we have faith in Jesus Christ, the hardest, as well as the easiest times in life, can be a blessing.

*(Henry B. Eyring)*

### Pope's intentions for August

For World Youth Day: we pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

Please keep in your prayers our sponsored seminarian in Kenya, **Brother Francis Achieng**, and **Hugo Lomax** seminarian from our own parish studying at Allen Hall.

*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, 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 McNerney, Baby Edward Bromage, Marie Lockeridge, Eve O'Connor, Patricia, Maggie Wilton, Pauline Richfield, and Treeve Rowe.

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.

