

**ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH, BEAUFORT
OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY CHURCH, BLACK VALLEY
FR DONAL O'CONNOR – 064 6644128**

PARISH OFFICE hours Wednesday & Friday 9.30am to 12.30pm Tel 064 6644128 or email beaufort@dioceseofkerry.ie

Baptisms are at pre-arranged times and must be booked through the Parish Office. For a copy of the newsletter please logon to Beaufort Community Council webpage <http://www.beaufort-parish.com> and see all Diocesan news on www.dioceseofkerry.ie

MASSES AND INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sat 4 th	Valley	6.00pm	Therese, Joe & Anna Tangney.
Sat 4 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Danny Doyle. Cappaganeen.
Sun 5 th	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 5 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Mary Leane, Jimmy Harrington & Bill Breen.
Mon 6 th	Beaufort	10.30am	The Epiphany of The Lord
Mon 6 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Kitty Foley. Ballaugh.
Fri 10 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Connie Healy. Currow.
Sat 11 th	Valley	6.00pm	Special Intention.
Sat 11 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	William, Eileen & Liam Foley. Cooleanaig.
Sun 12 th	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 12 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Denis & Christina Fogarty. Coolmagort.

COLLECTIONS: Feast of The Nativity of Our Lord Offertory Collections: Valley €195; Beaufort €2,120, Offertory Collections (29/12/13): Valley €100, Beaufort €390
Candle Collections: Beaufort €70, Donations to St. Mary's Church €100
Parish Envelope Collections: €3,380

Christmas Offering Envelopes are due at this time. Your kind support is very much appreciated.

Beaufort Church Collectors for Month of January:

Sat Night: Michael Doyle & Johnny Sullivan. **Sun Morning:** Eugene O'Neill & Anthony Dennehy.

Priest on Duty for Killorglin Pastoral Area –

Sunday 5th January Fr Luke Roche 066 9767322/087 2255509

KILLORGLIN PASTORAL AREA WEEKDAY ROTA			
Monday	Fr Gerard O'Leary	Milltown	(066) 9767312/(087) 2603535
Tuesday	Fr Jerry Keane	Glenbeigh	(066) 9768209/(087) 9974971
Wednesday	Fr Liam O'Brien	Killorglin	(066) 9761160/(087) 7856695
Thursday	Fr Donal O'Connor	Beaufort	(064) 6644128/(086) 8769189
Friday	Fr Luke Roche	Castlemaine	(066) 9767322/(087) 2255509
Or	Fr Michael Fleming	Killorglin	(066) 9761172/(087) 7856695

Safeguarding Children Contact Nos: 087 2748777 or 087 7791880



Lord, Increase our Faith.

(Luke 17:5)

May God reward you for your kindness and support in 2013 and may the Infant of Bethlehem bring you the blessing of peace and joy in your homes this coming year.

CHURCH NOTICES

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT will resume on Tuesday 14th January.

MONDAY 6th JAN is The Feast of the Epiphany and is a Holy Day of Obligation.
Mass Times Mon 6th 10.30am and 7.30pm St. Mary's Parish Church, Beaufort.

Your prayers are humbly asked for the priests of the Diocese, as they meet for their annual get together with Bishop Ray Browne, this week. Thank you.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION this weekend is for Needs of the Holy Land. This collection provides assistance to those in need in the Holy Land and helps fund 36 Dispensaries, 21 Charitable Institutes, 120 Centres of Education and also housing projects for the deprived.

PUBLIC TALK The Diocese of Kerry will host a public talk by Mary Kenny in the Gleneagle Hotel, on Wednesday January 8th at 8pm. Mary Kenny is a well-known journalist, whose columns appear regularly in the Irish Catholic. There is no charge for the talk and all are welcome.

**Please respect an atmosphere of silence in the Church, especially after Mass.
The Church is a sacred place. Thank you.**

If you know of anyone who is sick or housebound or in hospital and would like a visit from Fr Donal please do not hesitate to contact either of the Sacristans – Peggy or Eileen, Mary Rose (Parish Office) or Fr Donal.

Fr Donal's Ten Second Sermon: It is easier to renounce worldly possessions that it is to renounce the love of them.

BLESS US FOR THE NEW YEAR

Lord, This New Year we face;
Let it be a year of grace.
A year of blessings that increase,
A year of favours and your peace
for all the human race.

For a new start we pray;
Let it begin this very day,
A time of healing for our woes,
A time of mercies when pardon flows
for those who go astray.

Amen.

