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 24 th	Valley	6.00pm	Special Intention.	
Sat 24 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	John & Mary O'Sullivan. Coolroe.	
Sun 25 th	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For The People of Beaufort Parish.	
Sun 25 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Paddy Doona. Cappagh. Kilgobnet.	
Tues 27 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Audrey Doona. (Late of Manchester/Ballyledder)	
Fri 30 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Ann Casey Joy.	
Sat 31st	Valley	6.00pm	Special Intention.	
Sat 31 st	Beaufort	7.30pm	Frances O'Shea. Keelohane.	
Sun 1 st	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.	
Sun 1 st	Beaufort	10.30am	Daniel Coffey. Month's Mind.	

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Mary O'Connell late of the Valley and London, and Maura Spring (Nee O'Leary) late of Ballymalis, and Listry who died recently. Eternal Rest Grant unto them both, O Lord.

<u>COLLECTIONS:</u> Offertory Collections (18/05/14): Valley €50, Beaufort €680, Candle collection: €70 Parish Envelope Collections €639;

Beaufort Church Collectors for Month of May:

Sat Night: John Falvey and Michael O'Connor. Sun Morning: Nora Hallisey and Paul Farrell.

Priest on Duty for Killorglin Pastoral Area -

Sunday 25th May - Fr Gerard O'Leary - 066 9767312/087 2603535

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

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.

<u>Prayer for Exams:</u> "Loving God, be with me now as I prepare for my exams. Calm my nerves and anxiety, help me to remember all that I have studied, to express it clearly and to answer the questions the very best that I can. Let the work I have done stand to me today. At this difficult time, give me the gift of self-confidence and an assurance that you will hear my prayer and answer my need. I ask this prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen"

<u>Fr Donal's Ten Second Sermon</u>: A hedge between keeps friendship green.

Sixth Sunday of Easter, 25th May 2014

CHURCH NOTICES

A very special Congratulations to the boys and girls from The Valley N.S. and Cullina N. S., who made their First Holy Communion this weekend. May God always bless them, their families and teachers in this precious time of their lives.

Sr. Julie Doran spoke at the Masses last weekend, about the much needed and urgent work that the Missionary Sisters are doing in the developing nations, she has left envelopes at the back of the Church, if you wish to make a donation. Please return to the Sacristy. Thank you.

COURSE IN YOUTH MINISTRY will be held by the Diocese of Kerry, aimed at adults interested in developing the knowledge and skills to work with young people in nurturing and developing their faith. It is about providing opportunities for young people to explore their spirituality in a caring and respectful environment. Further details available from your Parish Priest or Bernie McCaffrey, Diocesan Pastoral Team at 087 6484367 or email: berniemccaffrey@dioceseofkerry.ie

<u>COURSE IN PASTORAL MINISTRY 2014-2015</u> Accredited by the Diocese of Kerry, this course will allow you to deepen your knowledge and understanding of your faith, and develop your skills for parish. Commencing in September 2014, 20 nights in two venues — Ardfert Retreat Centre on Tuesdays and John Paul II Pastoral Centre, Killarney on Thursdays. For further information, contact Frances Rowland @ 064-6632644 or email francesrowland@dioceseofkerry.ie

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT every Tuesday from 5.30pm to 7.30pm. All welcome.

Please respect an atmosphere of silence in the Church, especially after Mass.

The Church is a sacred place. Thank you.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

DIABETES INFORMATION NIGHT Tuesday May 27th in Fels Point Hotel at 8pm. Guest speaker: Dr. James Ryan, Consultant Endocrinologist. All are welcome

<u>BEAUFORT ANNUAL MYSTERY TOUR</u> takes place on Thursday 5th June. If interested please contact Margaret 064 6644859

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ON YOUR FIRST COMMUNION DAY

May Jesus come to bless you on your
First Communion Day.
May you feel His loving presence
in a very special way.
And as you strive to follow
in His footsteps
may He bless your life with
many graces and lasting happiness.

