

**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

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| Sat 19 th | St. Mary Angels | 5.15pm | For the People of Beaufort Parish. |
| Sat 19 th | Beaufort | 9.00pm | Easter Vigil Mass. Holy Saturday. |
| Sun 20 th | Beaufort | 6.00am | Dawn Mass. (outside Church weather permitting) |
| Sun 20 th | Beaufort | 9.00am | Mass of The Resurrection. Easter Sunday. Donie & Kitty Hartnett. Gap of Dunloe. |
| Sun 20 th | Valley | 10.00am | Easter Sunday. |
| Fri 25 th | Beaufort | 7.30pm | Marie Coffey. Carnahone. |
| Sat 26 th | Valley | 6.00pm | Special Intention. |
| Sun 26 th | Beaufort | 7.30pm | Debbie Joy. Tullig House. |
| Sun 27 th | St. Mary Angels | 9.00am | For the People of Beaufort Parish. |
| Sun 27 th | Beaufort | 10.30am | Divine Mercy. Cananoisation of Popes John Paul II and John XXIII. |

Please pray for Mary O'Sullivan, Castleknock, Dublin and Shancloun, Beaufort and Kathy Palmer nee Downey, Deralee, Valley who died during the week. Eternal rest grant unto their Souls, O'Lord.

COLLECTIONS: Offertory Collections (13/04/14): Valley €45 Beaufort €435
Candle Collections: (Beaufort): €65 Donations to St. Mary's Church: €150

Thank you for the Spring Envelopes and to all who contribute generously and faithfully to all the envelope collections. Your continued generosity in these challenging times is much appreciated, and be assured of our gratitude and prayers at all times.

Beaufort Church Collectors for Month of April:

Sat Night: Josephine O'Shea & Timothy Moriarty. **Sun Morning:** Michael O'Donoghue & David Doyle

Priest on Duty for Killorglin Pastoral Area –

Sunday 20th April – Fr Jerry Keane – 066 9768209/087 9974971

| 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.

Fr Donal's Ten Second Sermon: Big jobs usually go to those who prove their ability to outgrow small ones.

CHURCH NOTICES



WEDDING BELLS Congratulations and best wishes to Catriona Kelly, Beaufort and Bernard Sweeney, Milltown who were married last weekend.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT will resume on Tuesday 29th April.

SUNDAY 27th April The Canonisation of Blessed Pope John Paul II and Blessed John XXIII takes place in the Vatican today. We thank God for these two remarkable leaders of the Church. The 10.30am Mass on Sunday will be a mass of thanks.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY (27th April) Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3pm in the Church. All welcome.

TROCAIRE BOXES: Please return your Trocaire Boxes as soon as possible.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

BEAUFORT ACTIVE RETIRED COMMUNITY CARE GROUP Lunch Community Centre on Thursday 24th April 1.30pm. If you need a seat on the bus please call 1890528528

HEAVY LOAD?

On his strong, sturdy shoulder,
A school bag heavy as a boulder.
All the way from the car,
To his desk, it's way too far.

Carrying a jar filled to the top,
Filled with water, she cannot stop.
For miles and miles she walks alone,
For she must take this water home.

Complaining and weary, he reaches his desk.
He puffs and pants, he needs a rest,
He has to carry all these books,
It is such a chore, it really sucks.

Just another mile to go,
In this heat she's sweating so,
But she must carry on, be brave,
Her baby sister she must save.

On the Trócaire box he sees the girl,
Carrying water from the well.
She is about his age, about his height –
Suddenly his bag seems light.

Pádraig Power (9 years old)



He has risen, have faith in Him and
He will always be there for you!
Have a blessed and happy Easter.