

**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 8 th	Valley	6.00pm	Mary Kissane.
Sat 8 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Batty Coffey. Carnahone.
Sun 9 th	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 9 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Donie Scully. Dunloe.
Tues 11 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Denis Cremin. Dunloe. Beaufort.
Wed 12 th	Beaufort	6.00pm	Nora & John O Donoghue & Francie O Brien
Fri 14 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Sheila Cremin.
Sat 15 th	Valley	6.00pm	Special Intention.
Sat 15 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Do This In Memory. Margaret & John O'Connor. Lisslibawn and John O'Connor. Month's Mind.
Sun 16 th	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 16 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Ita O'Shea. Gap of Dunloe.

COLLECTIONS: Offertory Collections (02/02/14): Valley €75, Beaufort €425

Candle Collections: (Beaufort): €55

Beaufort Church Collectors for Month of February:

Sat Night: Neil Sullivan and Les Nolan. **Sun Morning:** Mary Nolan and Michael P. O'Sullivan.

Priest on Duty for Killorglin Pastoral Area –

Sunday 9th February Fr Michael Fleming 066 9761172/087 7856695

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.

PRAYER FOR CONFIRMANDI

May Jesus come to bless you on your Confirmation Day.

May you feel His loving presence in a very special way.

And as you strive to follow in His footsteps

may His Holy Spirit bless your life with many graces and lasting happiness.

CHURCH NOTICES

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

CONFIRMATION 2014 Monday Feb 17th at 2.00pm . We look forward to our new Bishop, Ray Brown as he celebrates his First Confirmation ceremony in the Diocese. We continue to pray for the Confirmandi, their parents, sponsors and teachers, as they continue in their preparation. Confirmation is very much a Parish event – a great celebration of our Faith, and we pray that we may not be found wanting in supporting and praying with our young people. Please be in your seats by 1.45pm and no photography or video during the ceremony in accordance with Diocesan Policy on Safeguarding Children. Thank you.

TROCAIRE THANK YOU “I would like to thank you most sincerely for donations to the value of €158,052.34 received from the Diocese of Kerry for the 2013 Lenten campaign and donations to the value of €153,595.05 to the shared Philippines and Syria emergency appeal. As we continue to experience difficult times in Ireland we are deeply grateful for the remarkable and generous response to both our annual fundraising campaign during Lent and the emergency appeal.” *Eamonn Meehan, Executive Director, Trocaire*

EXPLORING THE LITURGIES OF LENT & EASTER workshop for parish liturgy groups and all interested Tues Feb 25th St. John's Parish Centre, Tralee 8.00 - 10.00pm. Contact Frances Rowland @ 064 6630538 or email francesrowland@dioceseofkerry.ie

DIOCESAN COLLECTION this weekend is for Lourdes Helpers.

VOCATIONS: “A Holy Life will produce the deepest impression. Lighthouses blow no horns- they only shine” (D L Moody) Called to be a Priest? Contact Vocations Director. Fr. Liam Lovell liam.lovell@yahoo.ie Mob; 087-1640967

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

COMMUNITY NOTICES

SAMARITANS The Kerry Branch of the Samaritans would like to thank the people of Beaufort for their generous support during their recent Church Gate Collection. The amount raised was €1,677.

KERRY SAMARITANS will host an Information Evening on Wed 19th Feb 8pm Carlton Hotel, Tralee. For further information contact 087 2058519

COMMUNITY GAMES Draught training continues every Sat from 5-6 pm in the clubrooms. Art competition for u8/u16 Fri 7th 6:30pm. Swimming u8 to u16 begins 7th Mar. Contact Cathrena Dennehy at 087-6479284.

BEAUFORT TIDY TOWNS thank everyone who supported our recent fundraiser in Beaufort House, to our sponsors and all who donated spot prizes. Cullina geography projects presentation 8.15pm at GAA clubrooms Sat 8 Feb. Children are requested to attend from 6pm for setup. Cullina heritage projects presentation 11.15am Sun 9 Feb. Children are requested to attend from 9am for setup.

PIONEER MEETING Monday Night 8pm in the Community Centre.

SHORT TERM PLEDGE is available for Lent tel 064 6644319 or www.pioneerassociation.ie

THE PEGGY LYNCH KNOCK & LOUGH DERG PILGRIMAGE Sun 4th May – Mon 5th May includes coach transport/guide, meals, 1 nights accommodation, return pilgrimage ferry to Lough Derg. For bookings Tel 064 6631095 or email info@ocallaghancoachholidays.ie/ Full details on poster at back of Church.

IRISH CANCER SOCIETY'S free volunteer transport service, Care to Drive, is available to cancer patients undergoing who are attending Kerry General Hospital. Contact Gail on 01 2310 566.

DEAFHEAR.IE outreach service **Killorglin** Day Care Centre Thurs 13th Feb 2pm- 4pm. 064 630052

Fr Donal's Ten Second Sermon: When one has a great deal to put into it, a day has a hundred pockets.