

**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](mailto: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](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

**MASSES AND INTENTIONS THIS WEEK**

Sat 15 <sup>th</sup>	Valley	6.00pm	Special Intention.
Sat 15 <sup>th</sup>	Beaufort	7.30pm	Do This In Memory. Margaret & John O'Connor. Lisslibawn and John O'Connor. Month's Mind.
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup>	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup>	Beaufort	10.30am	Ita O'Shea. Gap of Dunloe.
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Beaufort	2.00pm	Confirmation.
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup>	Beaufort	7.30pm	Catherine, Denis & William Doyle. Cooleanaig.
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	Beaufort	7.30pm	Special Intention.
Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Valley	6.00pm	Special Intention.
Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Beaufort	7.30pm	Jeremiah & Hannah O'Sullivan. Ballyledder.
Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Beaufort	10.30am	Michael O'Shea. Carnahone.

Please pray for Johnny O'Connor, Gap of Dunloe, who died during the week. Eternal rest grant unto his soul, O Lord.

**COLLECTIONS:** Offertory Collections (09/02/14): Valley €75, Beaufort €375  
Candle Collections: (Beaufort): €50, Donation to Crib: €54  
Diocesan Collection for The Lourdes Helpers: Valley €70, Beaufort €355  
Parish Envelope Collections: €844

**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 16<sup>th</sup> February 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**

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 17<sup>th</sup> at 2.00pm . We look forward to our new Bishop, Ray Browne 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.

**CONFIRMATION PROJECTS** Well done to all the Confirmation Classes for their great work in the Confirmation Projects. They are placed around the Church and please feel free to look at them.

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

**ARDFERT RETREAT CENTRE** present "JESUS: WOUNDED, EMPOWERING HEALER - the Drama of Mark's Gospel." On Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February in Ardfert Retreat Centre at 8pm and then every Friday of Lent and each night (Mon-Sat) of Holy Week and Easter Week. Contribution on the night EURO 15 with refreshments. Booking 066-713-4276; email: [ardfertretreat@eircom.net](mailto:ardfertretreat@eircom.net)

**VOCATIONS:** "All virtue is loving right. All sin is loving wrong" (Hubert Van Zeller) Called to be a Priest ? Contact Vocations Director. Fr. Liam Lovell. [liam.lovell@yahoo.ie](mailto: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**

**BEAUFORT ACTIVE RETIRED & COMMUNITY CARE GROUP** lunch in the Community Centre on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February at 1.30pm. To book a seat on the bus telephone 1890528528.

**BEAUFORT COMMUNITY CARE** The Meals on Wheels are now being cooked and delivered from the Community Centre. Lunch is also available at the Centre at 12 noon. To place your order telephone the Community Centre at 064 6644074 before 9.30am.

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

**COMMUNITY GAMES** Well done to everyone who took part in the recent Art Competitions and congratulations to all our winners who go on to represent Beaufort in the County community games finals. Draughts training continues every Saturday from 5-6 pm in the GAA club rooms. Swimming for u8-u16 begins 7<sup>th</sup> March. If interested contact Cathrena Dennehy at 087-6479284.

**SHORT TERM PLEDGE** is available for Lent tel 064 6644319 or [www.pioneerassociation.ie](http://www.pioneerassociation.ie)

**THE PEGGY LYNCH KNOCK & LOUGH DERG PILGRIMAGE** Sun 4<sup>th</sup> May – Mon 5<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:info@ocallaghancoachholidays.ie)/ Full details on poster at back of Church.

**NEVEN MAGUIRE COOKERY DEMONSTRATION** in aid of Bru Columbanus, supporting Kerry families with relatives in Cork Hospitals. Location: The Killarney Avenue Hotel, 5<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm Tickets €20 Call 021 4345754 or 087 2787074

**Fr Donal's Ten Second Sermon:** fear has a large shadow, but he himself is small.