

**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 22 nd	Valley	6.00pm	Doreen Turner.
Sat 22 nd	Beaufort	7.30pm	Do This in Memory. Michael Breen. Gearha.
Sun 23 rd	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 23 rd	Beaufort	10.30am	Angela O'Sullivan.
Tues 25 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Mary Smith.
Fri 28 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	John, Hannah & Johnnie Brosnan.
Sat 29 th	Valley	6.00pm	Special Intention.
Sat 29 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Stephen Doody.
Sun 30 th	St. Mary Angels	9.00am	For the People of Beaufort Parish.
Sun 30 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Patrick O'Sullivan. Ballaugh.

Please pray for Hannah (Nan) Boyle (Nee Guerin), Kingsbury, London and formerly of Carrigabeg, Beaufort who died recently. Eternal rest grant unto her soul, O Lord.

COLLECTIONS: Offertory Collections (16/03/14): Valley €70, Beaufort €380,
Candle Collections: (Beaufort): €70 Offertory Collections (17/03/14): Beaufort. €405
Diocesan Collection for Emigrant Services: Valley €55, Beaufort €295

Spring Offering Envelopes are due at this time. These collections contribute to the upkeep of your priest. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

Beaufort Church Collectors for Month of March:

Sat Night: Jerry Moriarty & John Cremin. **Sun Morning** Eamon Kissane & Noel Sullivan.

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 23rd March – 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



CHURCH NOTICES

BAPTISM We welcome into our Christian community, Conn Eoghan O'Sullivan, Dun Bui.

PRAYER AS WE BEGIN LENT God our Father, you guide and direct us on our journey through life. Be with us as we begin our Lenten journey of faith and love. Help us to grow closer to you during this special holy season. Help us to do your will each day during Lent. Amen.

Copies of the **Kerry Diocese Lenten Talks programme** "Together in Faith" are available at the back of the Church. Also, available at the back of the Church are copies of **The Stations of the Cross** to assist you during your preparations during Lent.

TROCAIRE BOXES available at the back of the Church. You are encouraged to take one home with you. Trocaire greatly appreciate your kindness each year. The focus of this year's Trocaire Lenten Campaign is on "Water."

TRIP TO THE HOLY LAND 2014 Join Group Leader, Mícheál de Barra and Spiritual Director and Bible Scholar, Fr. John Newman for a memorable 10 nights, 11 days following in the footsteps of Jesus in the land of the Bible. Dates: June 6-16th. Contact Micheál at +353868337681

VOCATIONS "Whoever drinks the water that I shall give will never thirst, it will become a spring welling up to eternal life" Is God calling you to be a Priest? Contact Vocations Director: Fr. Liam Lovell. liam.lovell@yahoo.ie Mob; 087-1640967

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

PIONEER MEETING Tuesday 25th March at Beaufort Community Hall.

ST. BRENDAN'S COLLEGE TABLE QUIZ in aid of students' sports facilities on Tues 25th March 8pm The Malton Hotel. Tables of four €30. We appreciate your support.

BEAUFORT COMMUNITY COUNCIL BOOK CLUB meeting Wed 26th March at 7pm in the hall.

SKD – RURAL MEN'S GROUP outing Thurs 27th Mar to Mizen Head. Tel: Batt O'Connor 087 3155233

BEAUFORT TIDY TOWNS Weekly cleanups every Sat meeting 10am Community Hall.

PARENTING YOUR ADOLESCENT 6 week course at SouthWest Counselling Centre, Wed Apr 9th 7-9pm For further info phone 064 6636416 Email info@southwestcounselling.ie

THE MISCARRIAGE ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND support group meeting Wed 9th April 7 pm in the Listowel Family Resource Centre (John B Keane Road). All parents affected by the loss of a baby are very welcome to attend, regardless of whether the loss was recent or long ago. www.miscarriage.ie or telephone 087 3577173

CALLING ALL SMALL OR MEDIUM BUSINESSES /COMMUNITY GROUPS IN BEAUFORT If you are interested in a Pilot Project for the new MacGillycuddy Reeks Mountain Forum contact Patricia Deane in SKDP, Killorglin on 087 2031034.

STRICKEEN ANNUAL FUNDRAISER Our sincere thanks to anyone who helped in any way to make our fundraiser for The Kerry Cork Health Link Bus and Recovery Haven Kerry such a success.

FRIENDS OF CHERNOBYL looking for families to take 2 children for 2 weeks in July. Contact Bettie Crosbie 064 6632030 and Mary O'Leary 087 9608020

FIT4LIFE 8 wk prog beginning Mon 31st March from the Church. Cost €25 pp registration with Star of the Laune Athletic Club.

Fr Donal's Ten Second Sermon: Health is not valued until sickness comes.