

**ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH, BEAUFORT
OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY CHURCH, BLACK VALLEY
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MASSES AND INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sat 28 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Do This in Memory Mass. Paddy Murphy. Cappaganeen.
Sun 29 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Sonny & Michael Lynch.
Tues 1 st	Beaufort	7.30pm	Deceased Members of the Scully Family. Dunloe.
Thurs 3 rd	Valley	7.30pm	
Fri 4 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Jackie O'Sullivan. Ballyleder.
Sat 5 th	Beaufort	7.30pm	Enrolment of Children for Confirmation. Mary McHugh.
Sun 6 th	Beaufort	10.30am	Debra Fogarty. Clydagh. Month's Mind.
Sun 6 th	Angels	2.30pm	Christmas Family Mass.

COLLECTIONS: Offertory Collections 22.11.15: Valley €75, Beaufort €405

Beaufort Church Collectors for Month of December: Sat Night: Neil Sullivan & Les Nolan.
Sun Morning: Mary Nolan & Michael P. O'Sullivan.

SPRING, PETROL & AUTUMN STATION DUES are now due. If you haven't sent in your dues please do so as soon as possible. **CHRISTMAS DUES** are due in the Month of December. Minimum Offering €20.

**Priest on Duty for Killorglin Pastoral Area -
Sunday 29th November – Fr Luke Roche 066 9767322/087 2255509**

KILLORGLIN PASTORAL AREA WEEKDAY ROTA			
Monday	Fr Kevin Sullivan	Milltown	(066) 9767312/(087) 6277638
Tuesday	Fr Kieran O'Sullivan	Glenbeigh	(066) 9768209/(087) 2432155
Wednesday	Fr Luke Roche	Castlemaine	(066) 9767322/(087) 2255509
Thursday	Fr Fergal Ryan	Beaufort	(064) 6644128/(087) 2408540
Friday	Fr Michael Fleming	Killorglin	(066) 9761172/(087) 7856695

Safeguarding Children Contact Nos: 087 2748777 or 087 7791880

1st Week of Advent

Father, we're going to celebrate your Son's birthday soon. We will be preparing our home, our gifts, our food. Help us to remember to prepare our hearts

Help us in all our busyness to remember it's your Son we're getting ready for. Help us help a friend, keep a promise, or visit someone lonely. Come Lord Jesus! We need you.



CHURCH NOTICES

ENROLMENT MASS for the Confirmation Children of the Parish on Sat 5th Dec at 7.30pm

DIOCESAN COLLECTION next weekend 5th/6th December is for the Kerry Diocesan Youth Service.

JOURNEYING IN HOPE An evening of song and reflection on the journey from Advent to Christmas will be celebrated in St. James' Church on Sun 6th Dec at 6.00pm, featuring St. James' Church Choir, Scoil Mhuire Choir and the Killorglin Men's Social Club Choir. All are welcome.

SIGNED MASS CARDS are available in the Parish Office – (Wed & Fri 9.30am to 12.30pm)

EUCHARIST ADORATION every Tuesday from 10.00am to 7.30pm. All welcome.

DIOCESAN PRAYER

Loving God, creator of the universe
you have made all things good
and given us the earth as our home.

You call each of us by name,
to proclaim the Good News
of your son, Jesus Christ
through witness, worship and service.

May your Spirit guide us
as a welcoming and compassionate community;
responding to the needs of the most vulnerable;
and sharing our gifts for the good of people
to the glory of God.

We make our prayer through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

PIONEER MEETING Monday 30th December 8pm in the Community Centre.

BE AWARE PREVENT SUICIDE Mental Wellness Exhibition Brandon Hotel, 1pm-6pm, Sun Nov 29th.

CONSOLE CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION OF LIGHT takes place on **Sunday, November 29th @ 4pm** at various locations around the country. The venue in Kerry for our service is - Saint Brendan's Church, Rock street, Tralee. Phone 066-7129700 for details

BEAUFORT PARENT & TODDLER GROUP – CHARITY BRING & BUY CAKE SALE Beaufort Community Hall on Tues 1st Dec, 11am – 12pm. All funds from the sale will go to the family of 5 year old Clodagh O' Shea from Killorglin who needs a life-saving kidney transplant. Everyone in the local parish and wider community is welcome to attend. For info contact Gemma Robins on 0857513567.

BEAUFORT TIDY TOWNS Meeting Tues, Dec 1st in GAA Clubhouse, 8pm - 9pm. All Welcome. Parish Cleanup for Christmas, weekend of December 5th and 6th. All help greatly appreciated.

TALK entitled "PARENTING – THE CHALLENGES & REWARDS" will be given to parents by John Lonergan, former Governor of Mountjoy - Nagle Rice Community Centre, Milltown Tues Dec 1st 8pm.

BEAUFORT DEFIBRILLATOR GROUP next CPR and defibrillator training session on Sat 6th Feb 2016 at Beaufort Community Hall, 9am – 3pm. For details/bookings call Mary O' Connor, Chairperson of Beaufort Defibrillator Group 086 1992401. We wish to thank everyone who supported our very successful cookery demonstration fundraiser, which raised €2880.

BEAUFORT DRAMA GROUP performing a 3 act play called "The Fallen Angel" written by Pdraig Clifford, on 8th/9th & 11th/12th Dec in Beaufort Parish Hall, Doors open 7.45 performance starts 8.15.

ACTIVE RETIREMENT CHRISTMAS PARTY at Kates on Sun 13th Dec. Lunch at 1.30pm. For the bus telephone 1890528528