**ST. MARY’S PARISH CHURCH, BEAUFORT**

**OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY CHURCH, BLACK VALLEY**

**FR FERGAL RYAN – 087 2408540**

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS Tuesday** & **Friday** 9.30am to 12.30pm Tel 064 6644128 or email **beaufort@dioceseofkerry.ie** Parish Office Address: Dunloe Upper, Beaufort V93A0Y7

For a copy of the newsletter please logon to Beaufort Community Council website **http://**[**www.beaufort-parish.com**](http://www.beaufort-parish.com) and see all Diocesan news on [**www.dioceseofkerry.ie**](http://www.dioceseofkerry.ie)

**MASSES AND INTENTIONS THIS WEEK**

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| **Sat 23rd Mar** | **Beaufort** | **7.30pm** | **Michael Breen, Gearha AND****Murt & Sheila Kelly.** |
| **Sun 24th Mar** | **Beaufort** | **10am** | **Palm Sunday.****Paudie O’Connor, Lahard, 7th Anniversary.** |
| **Tues 26th Mar** | **Killarney** | **7.00pm** | **Chrism Mass – St. Mary’s Cathedral.** |
| **Thurs 28th Mar** | **Beaufort** | **7.30pm** | **Holy Thursday – Mass of The Lord’s Supper** |
| **Good Friday 29th** **Mar** | **Beaufort** | **3pm** | **The Passion of our Lord** **Stations of The Cross** |
| **Sat 30th Mar** | **Beaufort** | **8.00pm** | **Easter Saturday****Den Joe O Connor, 1st Anniversary** |
| **Sun 31st Mar** | **Beaufort** | **10am** | **Easter Sunday****Jack McGrath, Month’s Mind.** |
| **Sun 31st** **Mar** | **Valley** | **10.30am** | **Easter Sunday** |

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| **Christmas Envelopes now due.** **Thank you for your continued support. Offerings may be dropped to the** **Parish Office during Office Hours or into one of the Boxes in the Church.** |

**Priest on Duty: 23rd/24th March – Fr Kieran 087 2432155**

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| **KILLORGLIN PASTORAL AREA WEEKDAY ROTA** |
| Monday | Priest who is on duty for Sunday as above |  |
| Tuesday | Fr Kieran O’Sullivan Glenbeigh | (087) 2432155 |
| Wednesday | Fr Kevin Sullivan Killorglin | (087) 6277638 |
| Thursday | Fr Danny Broderick Milltown | (087) 9061255 |
| Friday | Fr Kevin Sullivan Killorglin | (087) 6277638 |

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**WORLDWIIDE MARRIAGE** **ENCOUNTER** All married couples deserve a WWME weekend. Next weekend will be held in the Focolare Centre Prosperous, Co. Kildare Friday 26th April to 28th April Register online wwww.marriageencounter.ie Good Marriages can always be made better!

**ZUMBA WITH MICHELLE** Thursdays 7 to 8 contact Michelle 085-8554437 in the Community Centre.

**SOCIAL DANCING** every  Thursday 9.00 to 11.30 pm in the Community Centre.

**CE SCHEME** has vacant positions Beaufort & Glencar  ring Paul on 085-7300690

**COMMUNITY COUNCIL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION** 30th & 31st March .

**PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD’S PASSION**

**24TH MARCH 2024**

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**THE CHRISM MASS** will take place on Tuesday evening March 26th at 7.00pm in St. Mary’s Cathedral. Refreshments after the Mass in St. Brendan’s College refectory. Everyone is welcome.

**PARISH OFFICE** will be closed on Good Friday (March 29th) Reopens Tuesday 2nd April

**PARISH MISSION** 19th June to 23rd June inclusive – Speakers: Dr Fainche Ryan, Trinity College Dublin and Fr Con Casey CSSP More information at a later date.

**KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA** Spiritual Director Fr Noel Spring PP 10th May to 15th May, 2024. See Church Notice Board for further details.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED IN BEAUFORT PARISH**  If you can help in anyway please contact the Parish Office or contact the person in brackets in the various categories

Church Cleaners (Peggy Lynch) / Eucharist Ministers (Jackie Coffey) / Readers (Neil O Sullivan)

Choir (Denis McDonnell)

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Tuesdays 11am to 3.30pm** All are welcome.

**COLLECTORS MAR Sat:** Michael Lynch & John Casy

 **Sun:** Jackie & Kieran Coffey

**THE PARISH PILGRIM ICON OF DIVINE MERCY** If you wish to have the Icon in your home for a short time put your name and phone number on the list on the table at the back of the Church. On return pass it on to the next name. The Icon brings great blessings.

**TRÓCAIRE BOXES** There are some Trócaire Boxes available at the back of the Church – please take one home with you.

**LEGION OF MARY** The Legion of Mary in the Diocese are having their annual Consecration to Our Blessed Lady on Sunday March 24th at 3 p.m. This will be held at the Prince of Peace Church in Fossa.  All are welcome to attend.

**RADIO MARIA IRELAND** Listen in to Radio Maria Ireland this coming Thursday morning Deacon Thady O'Connor will be in conversation with Margaret Carmody chairperson of the Kerry Diocesan Eucharistic Committee. RMI is on Saorview 210 on tv or on the App Breakfast Show at 8.30 am.

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**PIONEER MEETING** Monday Night 8pm in the Community Centre.

**RECOVERY HAVEN KERRY** (Cancer Support House): will host a free Lymphoedema Awareness Talk with UHK Physiotherapists Mary Hickey & Keira O'Brien on 𝗪𝗘𝗗, 𝗠𝗔𝗥𝗖𝗛 𝟮𝟳𝘁𝗵 𝗮𝘁 𝟳: 𝗽𝗺. As many of you will be aware, Lymphoedema can often be associated with cancer and cancer treatment. In an effort to help you learn about the condition and get expert advice on how to manage and treat symptoms, for more info/to book Phone (066) 7192122 or email reception@recoveryhavenkerry.com

**8 WEEK PROGRAMME FOR WOMEN OVER 55** run by Killorglin Resource Centre. This workshop will focus on planning the next stage of life and bridging the gap between where you are now and where your dreams take you. Starting Tues 9th April at 10am - 12pm at the resource centre in Iveragh Park Killorglin. (V93VR96) Booking is essential. For more information contact killorglinfamilycentre@gmail.com or call 0669761816

**MILLTOWN/LISTRY BRANCH OF KERRY HOSPICE** are holding their annual sponsored walk on Good Friday March 29th starting with registration at Muintir na Tire Hall, Milltown. Walk commences at 10:00a.m. All funds raised will go to Palliative Care in Kerry. Your support is greatly appreciated.