

ST. MARY'S PARISH CHURCH, BEAUFORT
OUR LADY OF THE VALLEY CHURCH, BLACK VALLEY
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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> and see all Diocesan news on www.dioceseofkerry.ie

MASSES AND INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Sat 23rd May	Beaufort	7.30pm	Patricia Coughlin, 3rd Anniversary And The deceased members of the O Connor And Tuohy Families Cullina Upper & Gortloughera And Eileen Cotter nee O Connor, Month's Mind Arbutus Grove formerly Lisleibane
Sun 24th May	Beaufort	10am	John & Mary O Sullivan, Coolroe.
Thurs 28th May	Valley	No Mass.	No Mass.
Sat 30th May	Beaufort	11am	First Holy Communion Kilgobnet National School
Sat 30th May	Beaufort	7.30pm	John Dunne, Thurles And Jimmy O Sullivan, Ballyledder, 5th Anniv And Sean & Chrissie Ferris
Sun 31st May	Beaufort	10am	Batty, Eileen & Marie Coffey, Carnahone

We remember in our prayers Eileen Morris (nee O Connor) formerly of Carnahone Cross, who passed away in England during the week. A Mass for Eileen will be celebrated later. Eternal Rest Grant Unto Her Soul, O Lord. Amen.

Easter Envelopes due at this time.
Many thanks for your generous support during the year.

Priest on Duty: Sat 23rd/Sun 24th May – Fr Kieran 087 2432155

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 Kieran O'Sullivan	Glenbeigh	(087) 2432155
Thursday	Fr Kevin Sullivan	Killorglin	(087) 6277638
Friday	Fr Timothy Kiplagat	Milltown	(087) 0009181

NOTICES

Livestreaming & Broadcasting Weekend Masses are live streamed. The webcam captures images of individuals who sit in the front rows. Please sit in another part of the Church if you do not wish your image to be captured in this way. Funeral Masses are livestreamed (livestream is available to view at time of Funeral Mass and is not available after that) – due to GDPR we can only record if requested by the family through the Funeral Director in the days before the Funeral Mass. Recorded Masses will be deleted after 30 days please download recordings if you wish to keep same.

PENTECOST SUNDAY

24TH MAY, 2026

CHURCH NOTICES

PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Tuesday 26th May – will reopen on Friday 29th May.



WEDDING BELLS Congratulations and Best Wishes to Mary Kelliher and Paddy Heaney who got married last weekend in St. Mary's Church, Beaufort. We wish you both long life, health and happiness.

ROSARY Every Monday for the Month of May in Beaufort Church at 6pm.

TAP TO DONATE machine is at back of St. Mary's Church (outside the side Chapel door). All donations are for the running expenses of the Parish. Options to donate are €2, €5, €10 or €20 Thank you for your continued support to the Parish – it is very much appreciated.

COLLECTORS MAY:
Saturday: Noel Spillane & John Falvey
Sunday: Mikey O Sullivan & Anthony Dennehy

READERS FOR MAY:
Saturday: Marie Neary
Sunday: Mary Kissane

EUCCHARIST MINISTERS MAY: Saturday: Nora Mai Kelliher & Delia Casey
Sunday: Jackie Coffey & Nora Hallissey.

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

LOURDES KERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE 10th June – 15th June 2026 Return direct flights from Kerry. Contact Nora 087 9318976 or email pilgrimage@dioceseofkerry.ie

Communal First Saturday (CFS) This year being the 100 anniversary of Our Lady appearing in Fatima, it seems appropriate, and in line with other pastoral areas in Kerry, that we should start the Communal First Saturday devotion in Sacred Heart Church Milltown in order to bring our area under Our Lady's mantle of protection.. Our Lady requested that the laity should complete the First Saturdays in order to **bring peace to the world**. Our Lady also promised that she would **accompany you at the time of death** if you complete the First Saturday. In the first instance we need a small group of parishioners from each parish to include Killorglin, Glenbeigh, Beaufort and Milltown to come together and discuss what it takes to set up the Communal First Saturday. Most pastoral areas have recently established the Communal First Saturday under the guidance of a local CFS coordinator. For initial discussion please contact one of the following numbers if you feel you can respond to Our Lady's request. 0669767312 (Parish Office) or 0876884124 (CFS Co Ord)

COMMUNITY NEWS

KILGOBNET NATIONAL SCHOOL is celebrating 150 years in 2026. To mark this important event, we are making a book and we need your photos, stories and memories to help us capture our school's rich history. If you are a past pupil of the school, we would be delighted if you had fond memories or photos that you were willing to share from your time at the school. We will scan the photos and return the original to you or alternatively you can email them to the following email address: kilgobnetreunion2026@kilgobnetns.ie If you have any questions please contact us at 064 6644622. Closing date for submissions is Friday the 29th of May 2026. Thank you!

PIONEER NEWS: CONSULTATION MEETING There will be an online meeting for all members countrywide on Thursday 11th June, 7.30pm to 09.30pm. Members should contact info@pioneers.ie for the link to join the meeting.

FREE DRIVER THEORY CLASSES Do you need a little support in preparing for the Driver Theory Test? If so, you can get it by applying for a free part-time course (one class per week in Tralee, Thurs from 12:30 to 14:30). Contact Ed from Kerry Education and Training Board on 086 0749786