## **CASTLEDERMOT PARISH**

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Castledermot

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## Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Weekend Masses:

Castledermot:

Sat 7.00pm Eileen Greene (9<sup>th</sup> A), Eileen Horan (A), Elizabeth Wickham (A),

Levitstown:

Sun 9.30am: Eileen Cleary née Hayden (1st A), Mary Holligan née Murray (Birthday Rem),

Castledermot: Thomas McGuane (A), Séan Abbott (A), Barney Whelan (A),

Sun 11.00am: Tom Hayden, Crophill (A), Sr. Ignatius Foley (A)

Mass Schedule:

**Mon: 7.00pm** Evening Mass: Intentions of the Immaculate Heart of Mary & Our Lady

Queen of Peace,

**Tues:** 10.00am Morning Mass: Mary Moore (Birthday Wishes), Special Intentions x 4

Wed: 10.00am Morning Mass: Paddy McNamara (RD), Mary Drennan (RD), James Doyle (RD)

Michael (Mick) Ryan (RD), Catherine Walshe (RD) Brother Anthony Jones, Bolton Abbey (RD),

Esther Dooley (A), For a Successful Operation,

Thurs: 10.00am NO MASS

Fri: 7.00pm Evening Mass: Bernadette (Ber) Berney (1<sup>st</sup> A),

Mary Holligan née Murray (Birthday Rem),

## **Prayer for the Synod:**

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts.

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life

and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time.

in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

<u>Please Pass the Collection Bags:</u> Thank you for your co-operation in passing the bags for collections at Mass. Red are for the first collection and blue is for the second.

**www.castledermotparish.com:** Our website has now been updated and the newsletter can be viewed here.

## Parish News

- November Altar List of the Dead: This list is compiled during November each year. The evening Mass on every First Friday all year round is offered for all remembered in this way. Please use the purple envelope in your box of Parish envelopes or send in your own list to be included.
- ❖ Annual November Remembrance Mass: for those who have died in the Parish in the last year will take place on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm in Castledermot Church. It will also be live streamed on www.churchservices.tv/castledermot
- Ministers of the Word and Ministers of the Eucharist: If anyone would like to become a Minister of the Word or Eucharistic Minister, please contact the Parish office (059) 9144888, new recruits are needed.
- Castledermot Parish Choir: The choir meet for practice on Wednesday in the Parish Church at 8.15pm. New members are most welcome.
- Scoil Diarmada Enrolment: Enrolments for Junior Infants are now open for the 2024/2025 school year. You may download an application form from the school website (<a href="www.scoildiarmada.com">www.scoildiarmada.com</a>) or you may collect a form from the school office. Enrolments close on 27th November 2023.
- First Holy Communion 2024: Scoil Diarmada Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2024 at 11am in Castledermot Church. Levitstown & Kilkea Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2024 at 11am in Levitstown Church.
- Confirmation 2024: Scoil Diarmada Sunday 21st April 2024 at 11am in Castledermot Church. Levitstown & Kilkea Sunday 28th April 2024 at 11am in Castledermot Church
- Confirmation Preparation Programme: Mass in Castledermot on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November at 11am.
- **Teach Diarmada Christmas Fair**: This year's fair will take place on Sunday 3rd of December from 12noon to 5.00pm. Stalls are available at the moment at a cost of €40 each and payment/bookings and more information are available from Teach Diarmada 059-9144888 or teachdiarmada@gmail.com.
- ❖ Castledermot I.C.A. November meeting will be held on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm in Teach Diarmada. Special guests: The First Responders, who will give life saving demonstrations at 7.30pm. All are welcome to attend. These demonstrations are free of charge.
- **Castledermot Local History Group** are holding their 2023 AGM in Teach Diarmada on Thursday 9th of November at 7pm. All are very welcome to attend.
- ❖ <u>Irish Catholic Newspaper:</u> is available at mass or through the Parish Office at a cost of €3 per copy.