

Levitstown

Kilkea

Castledermot

CASTLEDERMOT PARISH

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Sunday 4th May 2025

Weekend Masses:

Castledermot:

Sat 7.00pm: Thomas Kane (A), Pat O'Shea (A), Christy O'Neill (A)

Levitstown:

Sun 9.30am: Peter Byrne (3rd A), Mary Kirwan (A),
Anthony, Tommy & Tony Kirwan (Rem),

Castledermot:

Sun 11.00am: Padraig Kelly (MM), John Lawler (MM), Brendan Redmond (1st A),
Dick Byrne (A), Pat O'Shea (A), Theresa Harbourne (A),
Tommy Treacy (A), Essie Treacy (100th Birthday Rem),
Dec'd members of the Redmond Family, Ballycooke, Tullow (REM)

Mass Schedule:

Mon:	7.00 pm	Evening Mass:	
Tues:	10.00am	Morning Mass:	Special Intentions, Birthday Intention,
Wed:	10.00am	Morning Mass:	Kieran Furey (RD), Peter McConnell (RD), Aileen O'Brien (RD), Eamon Kane (RD), Mike Myles (RD), Donor's Intention,
Thur:		NO MASS	
Fri:	7.00pm	Evening Mass:	Easter Bouquet Intentions

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

Items for Newsletter: Please note all items for inclusion in the newsletter must be delivered in person or in writing by 12 noon on Thursday. This deadline also includes emails received to castledermotparish@gmail.com.

Irish Catholic Newspaper: is available at Mass each weekend or through the Parish Office at a price of €3 per copy

Parish News

- ❖ **Vocations Sunday, Good Shepard Sunday:** takes place next Sunday May 11th. Let us pray for all those considering a vocation to the priesthood, religious life, or lay ministry, that they may hear and respond to God's call. May this Good Shepard Sunday be a moment of encouragement and support for vocations to flourish among us.
- ❖ **Trocaire Boxes:** can be returned to the Parish Office. Many thanks for your generosity.
- ❖ **Easter Mass Bouquet Intentions:** will be specially remembered at mass on Friday May 9th at 7pm in Castledermot.
- ❖ **Communion: Castledermot:** will take place in the Church of the Assumption, Castledermot on Saturday 17th May at **11.00am**.
- ❖ **Communion: Kilkea & Levitstown:** will take place in the Church of St. Laurence O'Toole, Levitstown on Saturday 24th May at **11.00am**.
- ❖ **Blessing of the Graves 2025:** dates and times as follows: -
Levitstown on Sunday 3rd August 2025 after 9.30am mass
Castledermot on Sunday 10th August 2025 at 12.00 noon
- ❖ **Knock Pilgrimage:** Jubilee Tour to Westport, Knock & Co Mayo, 08th June 2025. €699.00 pps. Price includes return train, 4 nights' in 4* Castlecourt Hotel, Westport with Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. Guest speaker Marion Carroll who was cured at Knock. All entertainment, excursions and transport included. Visit Knock, Kylemore Abbey, Croagh Patrick. Limited single rooms €150.00. Contact 094 900 6426 or 087 1890 236 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.
- ❖ **Family Carers Ireland:** Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs? A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit www.familycarers.ie.
- ❖ **Maganey Community Group:** invite you to walk with them for Darkness into Light, in aid of Pieta House next Saturday 10th May. The 5km sunrise walk will begin at 4.15am at Maxol, 3 counties, with refreshments afterwards kindly provided by Alan and the Team. Please sign up individually on the DIL website
- ❖ **Castledermot Local History Group** in association with Radio Castledermot will broadcast Memories of Castledermot along with a live audience in Teach Diarmada on Thursday May 8th at 8pm. To watch live go to www.twitch.tv/radiocastledermot to ask a question or add a story of your own please WhatsApp on the night to 353 87 226 5103 or email: radiocastledermot@gmail.com.