

Levitstown

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Castledermot

CASTLEDERMOT PARISH

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Sunday 22nd June 2025

Weekend Masses

Castledermot:

Sat 7.00pm:

Eamon Kane (MM), Paddy Joe Lawler (5th A),
Margaret & Paddy O'Neill (A), Bernadette O'Shea (A), Walter Balfe (A),
Dan & Eileen O'Neill (Rem),

Levitstown:

Sun 9.30am:

Mary Fitzgerald née Boyle (RD), John, Mary & Frankie Kelly (A),
Elizabeth Dunne (A), Patrick & Margaret Kirwan (REM),
Sarah Kirwan (REM), Baby Kirwan (REM), Mary Prendergast (REM),
Christopher O'Toole (REM),

Castledermot:

Sun 11.00am:

Mary Fitzgerald née Boyle (RD), Thomas Corcoran (MM), Ita Tobin (A),
Tim & Brigid O'Shea (A), Peg Foster (A), Elizabeth Dunne (A)
Baby Kirwan (REM), Patrick & Margaret Kirwan (REM),
Sarah Kirwan (REM), Christopher O'Toole (REM), Mary Prendergast (REM),

Prayers Requested For: Kieran (Darby) Cummins (RD), Moone

Mass Schedule:

Mon:	7.00 pm	Evening Mass:	
Tues:	10.00am	Morning Mass:	Special Intention,
Wed:	10.00am	Morning Mass:	Una Kenny (RD), Tom Kelly (RD), Frances Mackey (RD), Thomas Corcoran (RD), Eamon Kane (RD), May Hosey (RD), Mary Fitzgerald (RD), Esther Dunne (RD), Thomas Redmond (RD),
Thur:		NO MASS	
Fri:	7.00pm	Evening Mass:	Gerry Connors (1 st A) ~ Refreshments will be served afterwards for friends and family in Teach Diarmada

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.

Parish News

- ❖ **Summer Dues 2025:** The Summer Dues initiative launches this weekend the 21st/22nd June. Envelopes can be found at the back of the church. The Summer Dues helps in supporting priests in parishes and also the sick and retired priests throughout the Archdiocese. We thank you in advance for your ongoing support and generosity.
- ❖ **2025 Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Lourdes:** takes place from 4th to 9th September and is led by Archbishop Farrell. The Pilgrimage is a fully escorted tour including; direct return flight from Dublin to Lourdes, airport transfers and assistance between Lourdes Airport and the hotels, 5 nights accommodation and meals. For Further information go to info@joewalshstours.ie or phone Dublin 01 241 0800.
- ❖ **Annual Knockpatrick Cemetery Mass:** Will take place on Friday July 4th at 7.30pm. Earlier this year members of the Knockpatrick Cemetery Committee reviewed the records associated with the cemetery and in turn erected a sign that includes a brief history of Knockpatrick Cemetery and the names of all those interred there. This sign will be unveiled and blessed at this year's mass.
- ❖ **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
- ❖ **Camino Frances:** Have you ever dreamed of walking the Camino. This September join the MSC Missions as we walk the shaded lanes and valleys of the Camino Frances walking from Saria to Santiago in Spain. We will then visit Fatima for a short pilgrimage. We are being led on this spiritual journey by Fr Tony Horgan MSC. For more details of this fundraising pilgrimage ring Valerie at 021 454 3988 or email valerie.buckley@mscmisions.ie
- ❖ **An Spioraid Naoimh Pentecost Retreat:** Friday June 27th. 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm Guest: Fr. David Vard. Saturday June 28th 10:00 am to 3:45 pm Guest: Fr. John Mockler
Venue: Parish Centre St. Peter and Paul's Church Portlaoise
Full program will be available on www.spioraidnaoimh.com
Spiritual Director: Fr. Ruairi O'Domhnaill PP St. Conleths Newbridge
Further Info Contact: Michael Nerney 086 815 7305. All are welcome
- ❖ **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.
- ❖ **Castledermot Community Employment:** have a vacancy for an Administration Assistant. This position is based in the Parish Office in Teach Diarmada and is for 19.5 hours per week. If interested, please enquire to the CE Supervisor at 059-9144888 or castledermotces@gmail.com. Eligibility criteria for Community Employment applies.