

Levitstown

Kilkea

Castledermot

CASTLEDERMOT PARISH

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Sunday 29th June 2025

Weekend Masses

Castledermot:

Sat 7.00pm:

John Dunne (A), Kathy Dowling (A), Tom & Mary Forrestal (A),
Dec'd members of the Forrestal & Grant Families (REM),

Levitstown:

Sun 9.30am:

Thomas Byrne, Kilkea Upper (A), Leonard Holden (A),

Castledermot:

Sun 11.00am:

Rita Nolan (A), Leonard Holden (A)

Mass Schedule:

Mon:	7.00 pm	Evening Mass:	Mass for the Souls of Priests & Religious, Mass in Honour of St. Joseph, Mass for the Intentions of St. Padre Pio & St. John Bosco,
Tues:	10.00am	Morning Mass:	Special Intention,
Wed:	10.00am	Morning Mass:	Thomas Corcoran (RD), John Bloomer (RD), Patricia Hallinan (RD), Paula Chatten (RD), Brendan Flood (RD)
Thur:		NO MASS	
Fri:	7.00pm	Evening Mass:	Altar List of the Dead With the Alliance of the Two Hearts.

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

- ❖ **Peter's Pence Collection:** takes place this weekend 28th/29th June, the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul. Peter's Pence aims to benefit the Holy Father Pope Leo XIV's mission which extends throughout the entire world. This special collection will replace the share fund second collection.
- ❖ **Summer Dues 2025:** The Summer Dues initiative launched last weekend. 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.
- ❖ **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
- ❖ **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@joewalshtours.ie or phone Dublin 01 241 0800.
- ❖ **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
- ❖ **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.
- ❖ **Aware – Support & Self Care Groups:** If you or those with whom you work wish to connect with people in relation to your mental wellbeing, consider using Aware's phone-in and Zoom support and self-care groups, support line or support mail. For more information, visit www.aware.ie.