

CASTLEDERMOT PARISH

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Weekend Masses

Castledermot:

Sat 7.00pm:

Carmel O'Shea (1st A), Kathleen Mulhall (6th A), Jim O'Hara (A),
Thomas O'Shea (A).

Levitstown:

Sun 9.30am:

Carmel O'Shea (1st A), Jeremiah, Nora & John Hayden (A),
Eileen Cleary née Hayden (A), Moira Corrigan née O'Neill (A).

Castledermot:

Sun 11.00am:

Carmel O'Shea (1st A), Annie McGuane, Kilkea (A).

Prayers Requested For: Patrick (Paddy) McMahon (RD).

Mass Schedule:

Mon: 7.00 pm

Evening Mass:

Dara & Michael Kissane (Rem),

Mass for the Intentions of the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

Mass for the Intentions of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Tues: 10.00am

Morning Mass:

Special Intention, Donor's Intentions.

Wed: 10.00am

Morning Mass:

J.J. McDonald (RD), John Cahill (RD),
Patrick McMahon (RD), May Redmond (RD),
Margaret Crowley (RD), Pat Callinan (RD).

Thur:

NO MASS

Fri: 7.00pm

Evening Mass:

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

❖ Blessing of the Graves 2025: dates and times as follows: -Levitstown on Sunday 3rd August 2025 after 9.30am massCastledermot on Sunday 10th August 2025 at 12.00 noon❖ Summer Dues 2025: The Summer Dues initiative has launched and 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.❖ The 800th Anniversary of the Canonisation of St. Lawrence O'Toole: Castledermot will mark this historical event for our parish, with a special Mass composed by Brian Kehoe. The parish choir, accompanied by members of other choirs, will travel to the Pro-Cathedral on the 22nd of November 2025. The parish have organised a bus to travel to the Pro-Cathedral at 4.30pm on Saturday 22nd of November followed by a meal in the Gresham Hotel. Anyone interested in attending the Mass, should contact the parish office, 059 91 44888. More details nearer the time.❖ Castledermot Church Grounds Clean Up: A few are meeting to clean up the Church Grounds next Wednesday 9th July at 8pm if anyone would like to join us. The more hands the less work for everyone.❖ 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.❖ Feast Day Celebration of St. Louis & St. Zelig Martin – Parents of St. Therese of Lisieux: takes place on Saturday 12th July next. It is also the 10th anniversary of their canonisation. A special Mass will be celebrated by Most Rev Bishop Tom Deenihan DD (Bishop of Meath) in the Carmelite Church, Kildare Town at 10am with another Mass being held at 7pm. The Relics will be available for Veneration and also the wonderful Exhibition of historical items from the life of St. Therese and the Martin family from 11am-9.30pm and Entry is FREE.❖ 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.❖ Carlow Day Care Centre Open Day: Carlow Day Care Centre extends a warm invitation to their Open Day on Friday 18th July at their premises on Brownhill Road, R93 HK53. The event will consist of a coffee morning and sale of work from 10am-12pm and an open afternoon from 1pm-3pm. Staff and volunteers will be available to share details of the services available at the Centre to older adults living in the area.