

A Service to Celebrate the Life

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Leo Farrell

26th May 1943 - 1st August 2026



Funeral Mass

Our Lady Mother of the Church

Castleknock

Friday: 7th August 2026

11.00am

Celebrant Father Francis

Music by: Laurel Lodge Folk Group

Entrance Hymn: Be not afraid

Reading 1: Reader Andrea

A reading from the books of Ecclesiastes

There is an appointed time for everything, and a time for everything under the heavens. A time to be born, and a time to die; A time to plant, and a time to uproot the plant. A time to kill, and a time to heal; A time to tear down, and a time to build. A time to weep, and a time to laugh; A time to mourn, and a time to dance. A time to scatter stones, and time to gather them; A time to embrace, and a time to be free from embraces. A time to seek, and a time to lose; A time to keep, and a time to cast away. A time to rend, and a time to sow; A time to be silent, and a time to speak. A time to love, and a time to hate; A time of war, and a time of peace. What advantage has the worker from his toil? I have considered the task that God has appointed for the sons of men to be busied about. He has made everything appropriate to its time, and has put the timeless into their hearts, without man's ever discovering, from beginning to end, the work which God has done.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God.

Reading 2: Reader Niamh

A reading from the second letter of St. Paul to Timothy 4:5-8

I have fought the good fight to the end, I have run the race to the finish
Be careful always to choose the right course; be brave under trials; make the preaching of the Good News your life's work, in thoroughgoing service.

As for me, my life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

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Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: Shepherd of my heart

Gospel Acclamation Hymn: Alleluia from the Glendalough Mass

Prayers of the Faithful:

Reader Deirdre

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us.

Reader Sadhbh

Lord, hear us
Lord, graciously hear us.

Reader Tara

Lord, hear us
Lord, graciously hear us.

Reader Aoife

Lord, hear us
Lord, graciously hear us.

Reader Clíodhna

Lord, hear us
Lord, graciously hear us.

Reader Jean

Lord, hear us
Lord, graciously hear us.

Reader Lisa

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Offertory Procession: Hymn Ag Críost an Síol

Acclamation of Faith: From the Glendalough Mass

Sign of Peace:

Communion: Hymn 1 Panis Angelicus
Hymn 2 The deer's cry

Blessing of the coffin: Jesus remember me

Eulogy by: Gerard and Caoimhe Farrell

Recessional: Song of Choice Irish Blessing



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