

## Directions to Trinity College Chapel



Make your way to the city centre of Dublin, see map. There are 3 ways for pedestrians to enter Trinity College campus, as marked with arrows on the map:

1. Through Front Arch, at College Green.
2. Through "The Arts Block", at junction of Dawson St. & Nassau St. or
3. Through Lincoln Place.

If entering via 3), allow 10 minutes walk (esp. in heels) to get to **Front Square**, where the Chapel is.

Trinity College Chapel is circled on the map.

If you come through Front Arch, the Chapel is on your left, (diagonally), and the Exam Hall is on the right.

The entrance to Science Exhibition block on Pearse St. (also marked) may be closed on Saturdays. If arriving by train use Lincoln Place entrance.

## **Parking**

Trinity: Only a maximum of 8 pre-registered cars may enter campus, including the bridal party. Therefore pre-registered cars are restricted to immediate family only.

Nearby parking centres include:

Fleet Street (Temple Bar; 5min walk); Irish Life Car Park (Lower Abbey Street; 9 min walk).

College of Surgeons (St Stephen's Green shopping centre, follow route from Upper Merrion St. onto St. Stephens Green; 10 min walk);

Parking in Dublin is tight on Saturdays, we strongly suggest that you arrive early to avoid disappointment.

## Directions to Barberstown Castle

### **By Car:**

Dublin city centre to Barberstown is about 29 km / 18 miles, and will take about 35 mins to drive.

Make your way to the **South quays** of the River Liffey and follow the road. At the end of the South quays, the road splits - follow the road left which takes you past Heuston Station.

Keep going straight, following signs for **N4/M4** ("The West", Sligo/Galway) for about 21km / 13 miles.

Turn off of the N4/M4 at the exit sign-posted **Naas/Maynooth** [Exit 7].

At the roundabout, take the second exit onto the **R406** (Naas), continue straight for 4.9km / 3miles.

At the second roundabout, take the second exit towards **Straffan**.

Barberstown Castle will be on the right, straight after that second roundabout. Go through the gates, keep left.

### **Alternative ways:**

**Bus:** Please let us know if you would be interested in travelling by Private Hire Bus from Trinity to Barberstown.

**Train:** Take train from Pearse St station to Maynooth station, then taxi cab to Barberstown Castle.

**Helicopter:** Yes, this is possible! There is a landing pad in the Barberstown staff car-park.

The Reception will take place in **The Banquet Hall**, outside to the right of the main building. A member of staff will greet you on arrival. For those staying in the hotel, check-in is in the hotel's main building.

## **Accommodation and Transport**

Barberstown Castle, Barberstown road, Straffan, Co. Kildare, Tel: +353 (1) 6288157.

We have not block-booked rooms, please contact Barberstown Castle directly to book.

(Wedding Rate: B&B €97.50 PPS. Special offer: €195 PPS - 2 nights B&B + dinner on the other night.)

### **Local Guesthouses / Hotel**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Distance</b>
Evelyn Ryan "Ashley"	Richardstown, Clane Road, Straffan, Co. Kildare	+353 (45) 868533	4 min. drive
Dolores Travers "Woodside Lodge"	Barberstown, Straffan, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6273499 www.woodsidelodge.com	1 min drive (can walk)
Sarah Fogarty "Baybush Lodge"	Straffan, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6272878	2 min drive
Mary Elizabeth Murray "Lotus Lodge"	Lady Chapel, Maynooth, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6286027 or +353 (87) 9817730	8 min drive
Therese Crosby "Rathadam"	Baybush, Straffan, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6271677 www.straffanaccommodation.com	2 min drive
Patricia (Pat) Ryan "Windgate Lodge"	Maynooth, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6273415	10 min drive
Una Healy "Straffan B&B"	Clane road, Straffan, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6272386	1/2 mile
Aine Keane "Straffan Manor"	Straffan, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6278989 www.straffanmanor.ie	1-2 miles
Marjorie Hayes "Hazelwood"	Straffan, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6272202 www.hazelwoodaccom.com	2 min drive
Glen Royal Hotel	Maynooth, Co. Kildare	+353 (1) 6290909 www.glenroyal.ie	10 min drive

Bear in mind that only one of these can be walked to from Barberstown Castle.

There is also a wedding in the nearby K-Club on the same day, so please book accommodation early.

### **Taxis**

Here are some local Taxicabs for the Maynooth/Celbridge area gleaned from the GoldenPages.

We recommend pre-booking as there may be high demand.

A-Z Cabs	(01) 6273900	Maynooth Cabs	(01) 6289999	Manor Cabs	(01) 6293596
Express Cabs	(01) 6289866	MCL Cabs	(01) 6286539	Major Minor Cabs	(01) 6016160
Aidan Flood Taxi	(087) 2591600				

### **Contact Us**

You can email us at our joint wedding account: [sonjaandfionn09@gmail.com](mailto:sonjaandfionn09@gmail.com)

If you have special dietary requirements, please let us know with your RSVP.

All these details are available from our website [www.SonjaAndFionn.com](http://www.SonjaAndFionn.com)