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Description automatically generatedAs this Newsletter is being produced, we await the state funeral of Queen Elizabeth II, which will take place on Monday 19th September, declared a Bank Holiday.

Today, Sunday 18th September, there is a County Service of Thanksgiving at Blackburn Cathedral at 2pm, which will be livestreamed.

The recently retired Bishop of Blackburn, Rt Rev Julian Henderson, has written a prayer for use at this time:

We come to you, our everlasting God, at a time of change and sadness, following the death of our Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth.  
Your call to her and Your anointing of her 70-year reign have been a blessing to this nation and around the world.  
We bring our thanks to You for a life of dutiful and willing service right to the end and a life of active faith and hope in Jesus Christ.  
We ask for Your comfort and strength for her family as they grieve and take on new responsibilities.  
Guide the King as a different era unfolds and may the days that lie ahead build on the legacy of that which has gone before and promote faith, justice and peace in our land, through Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour. ***Amen.***

**Psalms for each day of the *week 19th – 24th September :***

*Mon: Psalm 1 Tues: Psalm 5 Wed (Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist): Psalm 49 Thurs: Psalm 15 Fri: Psalm 19 Sat: Psalm 23*

*The services for the coming weeks given opposite.*

*Key: CB: Chris Blazey; YB: Yvonne Blazey; SH: Revd Steve Haskett; DOB: Revd Dave O’Brien; VB: Vicky Bentley*

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*Holy Communion Service of the Word*

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*Prayers for healing Children’s Bible Study*

*during the service & Family Worship*

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| ***SUNDAY*** | ***10.30am*** | ***3 – 4pm and***  ***4 - 5pm*** | ***6pm*** |
| ***18th Sept.***  ***Trinity 14*** | *✓ catholic mass free vector eps, cdr, ai, svg vector illustration graphic  artLuke 16:*  *1 - 13*  *Preach: DOB*  *Lead: VB* | *Prayers For Children - Kids Praying Clipart PNG Image | Transparent PNG  Free Download on SeekPNG* | *Dove Peace On Earth Clipart - Clipart Kid - Coloring HomeOpen Bible Clipart, Bible Clipart, Worship, Read The Bible PNG Transparent  Clipart Image and PSD File for Free DownloadHealing Service*  *Luke 9:*  *46 – 50*  *Preach: VB*  *Lead: DOB* |
| ***25th Sept.***  *Dove Peace On Earth Clipart - Clipart Kid - Coloring Home****Trinity 15*** | *Open Bible Clipart, Bible Clipart, Worship, Read The Bible PNG Transparent  Clipart Image and PSD File for Free DownloadLuke 16: 19 - end*  *Preach: CB*  *Lead: SH* | *Prayers For Children - Kids Praying Clipart PNG Image | Transparent PNG  Free Download on SeekPNG* | *✓ catholic mass free vector eps, cdr, ai, svg vector illustration graphic  artWorship and*  *Bible Teaching*  *Luke 10: 1 – 9*  *Preach: YB*  *Lead: SH* |
| ***2nd Oct.***  ***Trinity 16***  ***GIFT DAY/***  ***HARVEST*** | *✓ catholic mass free vector eps, cdr, ai, svg vector illustration graphic  art2 Cor. 9:*  *6 – 15*  *Preach: VB*  *Lead: DOB* | *Prayers For Children - Kids Praying Clipart PNG Image | Transparent PNG  Free Download on SeekPNG* | *Open Bible Clipart, Bible Clipart, Worship, Read The Bible PNG Transparent  Clipart Image and PSD File for Free DownloadPrayer and Worship Focus*  *2 Cor. 9: 6 – 15*  *Preach: DOB*  *Lead: DOB* |
| ***9th Oct.***  ***Trinity 17*** | *Open Bible Clipart, Bible Clipart, Worship, Read The Bible PNG Transparent  Clipart Image and PSD File for Free DownloadLuke 17:*  *5 – 19*  *Preach: CB*  *Lead: DOB* | *Prayers For Children - Kids Praying Clipart PNG Image | Transparent PNG  Free Download on SeekPNG* | *✓ catholic mass free vector eps, cdr, ai, svg vector illustration graphic  artWorship and Bible Teaching*  *Focus*  *Revelation: 19: 1 – 10*  *Prophecy v 10*  *Preach: YB*  *Lead: VB* |

**Midweek (Wed.) Book of Common Prayer Holy Communion Service:**

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| **21st Sept.** | Luke 16: 1 – 13 Lead/Celebrate: DOB Preach: VB |
| **28th Sept.** | Luke 16: 19 – end Lead/Celebrate/Preach: David Wilkinson |