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Description automatically generated**The Blackburn Diocese has launched a new and exciting discipleship app “Fruitful” available to download for free NOW from Apple’s App Store and Google Play.** The Fruitful app will support people of all backgrounds and all ages in our Diocese to grow in confidence in their faith through providing a digital space available 24/7 to read the Bible; inspire prayer and encourage response in worship. Read more on the Diocesan website and please do use this app for your faith journey.

**Many thanks to all those who helped at the Pancake party last Tuesday,** over 70 people (children and adults)and there was great fun with a pancake race, a quiz and pancakes flying out of the kitchen as soon as they were made !

**Just to remind you** - Diane(O’Hagan) is looking to see how our **church** can be **more accessible** to everyone. Diane says “As a church we want to include everyone. So, if you, or anyone you come to church with, are disabled and things can be made easier to participate in the services or are interested in getting involved in the church in any way let me know.” Please do chat with Diane about this very important issue.

**Re-Licensing Service for our LLM’s (Licensed Lay Ministers)** – please continue to pray for Yvonne and Vicky who are being re-licensed along with at Blackburn Cathedral on Saturday 2nd March at 3pm.

A date for your diary **Festival of Healing and Renewal: 12th October 2024** in Blackburn Cathedral 9.30am – 4.30pm

*The services for the next few weeks are shown opposite*

*A new service schedule will be coming out shortly, so further details will be issued in future Newsletters.*

*Key to leaders and preachers : DOB: Revd Dave O’Brien;*

*LJT: Revd LJ Tiffney; DW: Revd David Wilkinson; VB: Vicky Bentley*

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*Holy Communion Service of the Word*

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| ***SUNDAY*** | ***10.30am*** | ***6pm*** |
| ***18th February***  ***Lent 1*** | *Open Bible Clipart, Bible Clipart, Worship, Read The Bible PNG Transparent  Clipart Image and PSD File for Free DownloadTheme:*  *Mark 1: 9 – 15*  *Lead: DOB*  *Preach: DW* | *✓ catholic mass free vector eps, cdr, ai, svg vector illustration graphic  artWorship Series*  *Theme:*  *Worship puts God first*  *Matthew 26:36 - 46*  *Lead: DW*  *Preach: DOB* |
| ***25th February***  ***Lent 2*** | *✓ catholic mass free vector eps, cdr, ai, svg vector illustration graphic  artTheme:*  *Mark 8: 31 – 38*  *Lead: DOB*  *Preach: LJT* | *Open Bible Clipart, Bible Clipart, Worship, Read The Bible PNG Transparent  Clipart Image and PSD File for Free DownloadWorship Series Theme: Worship is sacrifical*  *Matthew 26: 6 – 13*  *Lead: VB*  *Preach: DOB* |
| ***3rd March***  ***Lent 3*** | *Open Bible Clipart, Bible Clipart, Worship, Read The Bible PNG Transparent  Clipart Image and PSD File for Free DownloadTheme:*  *John 2: 13 – 22*  *Lead: LJT*  *Preach: DOB* | *✓ catholic mass free vector eps, cdr, ai, svg vector illustration graphic  artWorship Series*  *Theme: Worship*  *Blesses God and us*  *Psalm 138*  *Lead/Preach: DOB* |

**Midweek (Wed)Book of Common Prayer Communion Service at 11am:**

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| **21st February** Matthew 26:57-end  Lead: DOB Preach: VB |
| **28th February** John 2: 1 – end  Lead: DOB Preach: LJT |

Reading through the Bible:

*Mon 19th:* Job 20, Romans 3, Psalm 20

*Tues 20th:* Job 21, Romans 4,Psalm 21 v 1 - 7

*Wed 21st:* Job 22, Romans 5, Psalm 21 v 8 - 13

*Thurs 22nd:* Job 23, Romans 6, Psalm 22: v 1 - 11

*Fri 23rd:* Job 24, Romans 7, Psalm 22: v 12 -

**Day Retreat at St Thomas’: 10am – 4.30pm:** 29th June

*Please see the sign-up sheet or see Ali O’Brien or email*

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