



Thank you for your interest in Parishes in Bloom - a centenary event designed to celebrate the uniqueness of churches from across the diocese with a special exhibition at Blackburn Cathedral in August.

Exhibition Theme

The theme is '**Celebrate the Uniqueness of your Parish**' and churches can interpret this as they wish, allowing you to show parish life in the best possible way. For example - you could illustrate your local area, your Patron Saint, or a unique landmark (Blackpool Tower, Rivington Pike etc.) or even recreate your church in flowers.

Useful Information

The Cathedral will be open on Thursday 20th August from 9.30am until 4.30pm for displays to be assembled. The exhibition will then be open to the public from Friday 21st until Monday 24th. Please note that all displays must be removed by 3pm on Tuesday 25th August.

Churches will be asked to provide a short written statement to go alongside the display to describe the exhibit and the parish it represents.

You may find that local florists, garden centres and supermarkets are willing to provide you with the fresh flowers in support of this unique community event.

Further information will be provided to all participants in due course.

Please complete and return this form to **andrewpratt1@btinternet.com** to reserve your space:

Church Name				
Church Address				
Key Contact Name				
Email Address				
Telephone Number				
Size of Display Required	1m ²	2m ²	3m ²	5m ²
Any Special Requirements?				

Further Details

Please contact Canon Andrew Pratt MBE with any queries:



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