

Dashboard for the parish of Blackburn: Christ Church w St Matthew in the Deanery of BLACKBURN WITH DARWEN

Parish census and deprivation summary

Parish population (2018): 7069

	Parish	Diocese	National
% aged 0-17	31%	21%	21%
% aged 18-44	42%	35%	37%
% aged 45-64	19%	26%	25%
% aged 65 & over	8%	18%	16%
% Christian	27%	67%	59%
% non-Christian religion	59%	9%	9%

Parish deprivation rank (IMD, 2019): 256

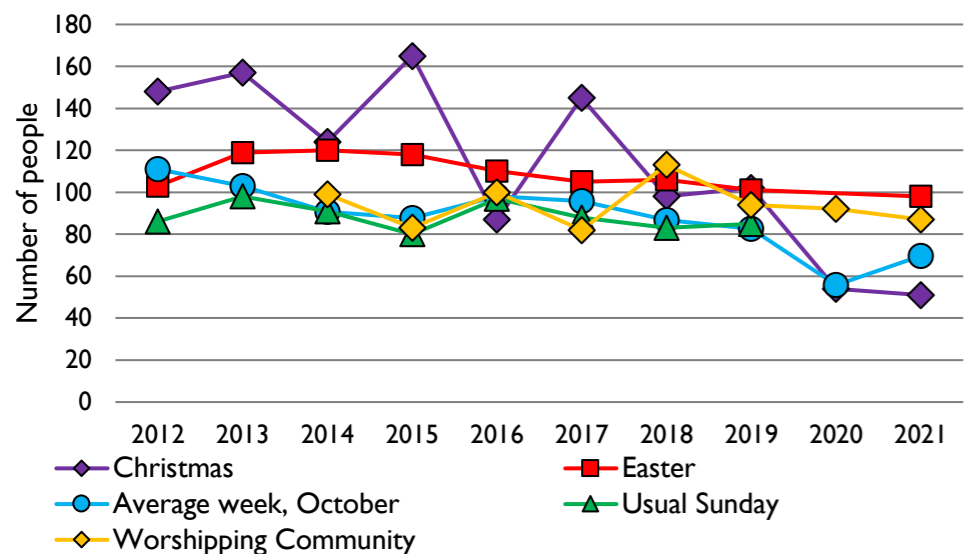
(1=most deprived parish in the Church of England, 12,307=least deprived)

For more detailed census & deprivation info: see <http://arcg.is/1RaS4CS>
<https://www.churchofengland.org/researchandstats>
 and <http://www2.cuf.org.uk/poverty-england/poverty-map>

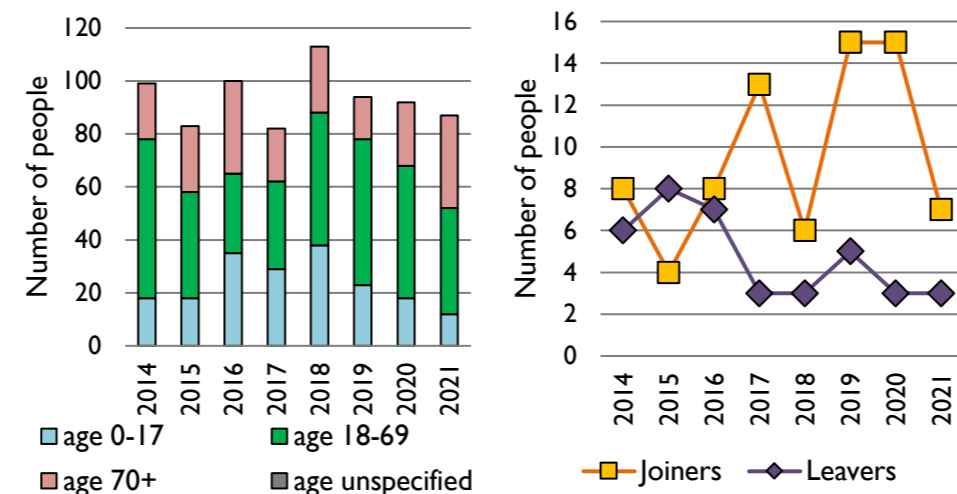
Number of churches in parish (2022): 1

Parish code: 530030

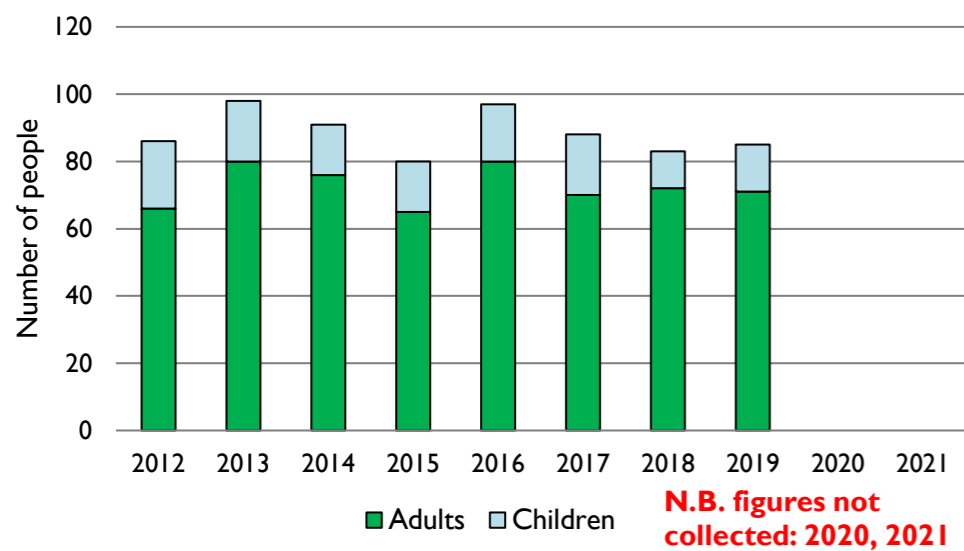
1. Attendance summary, 2012-21



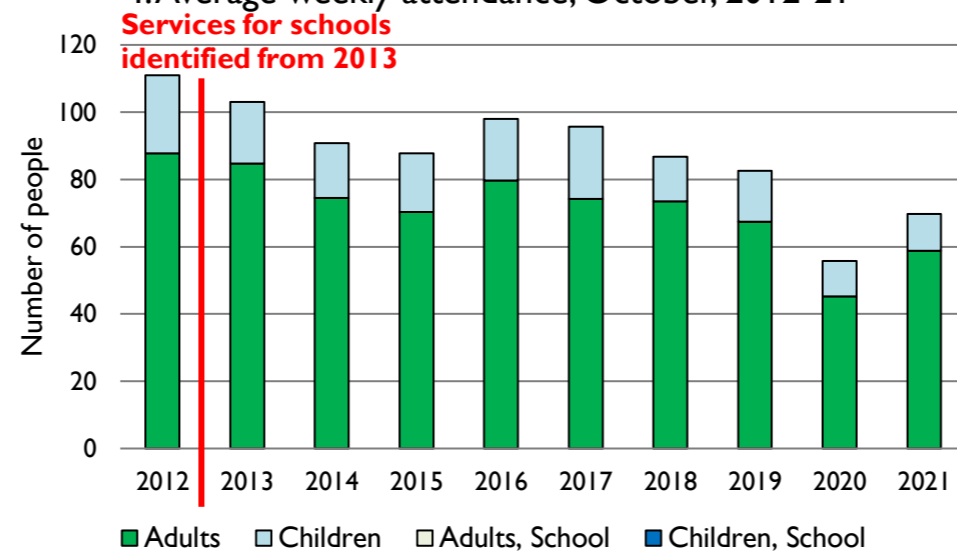
2. Worshipping Community, 2014-21



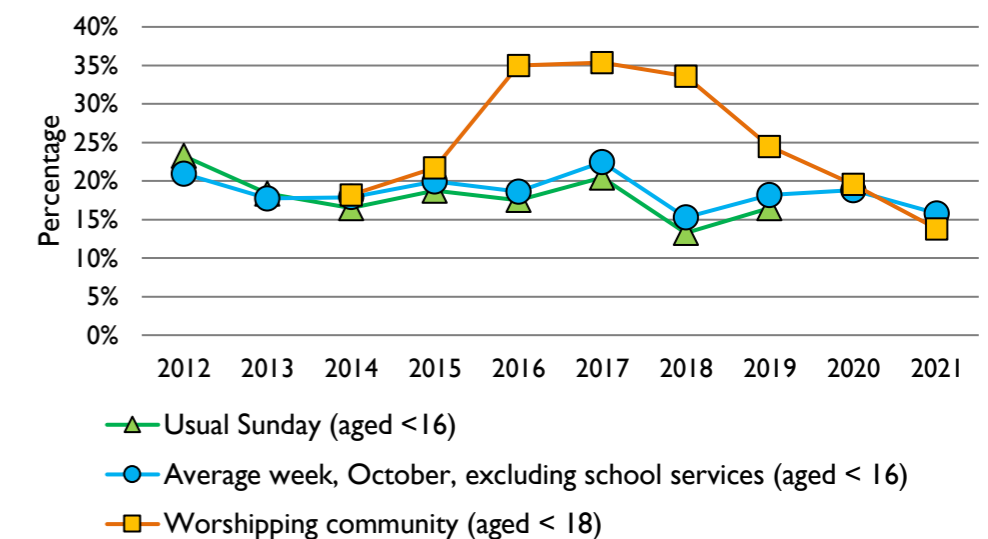
3. Usual Sunday attendance, 2012-21



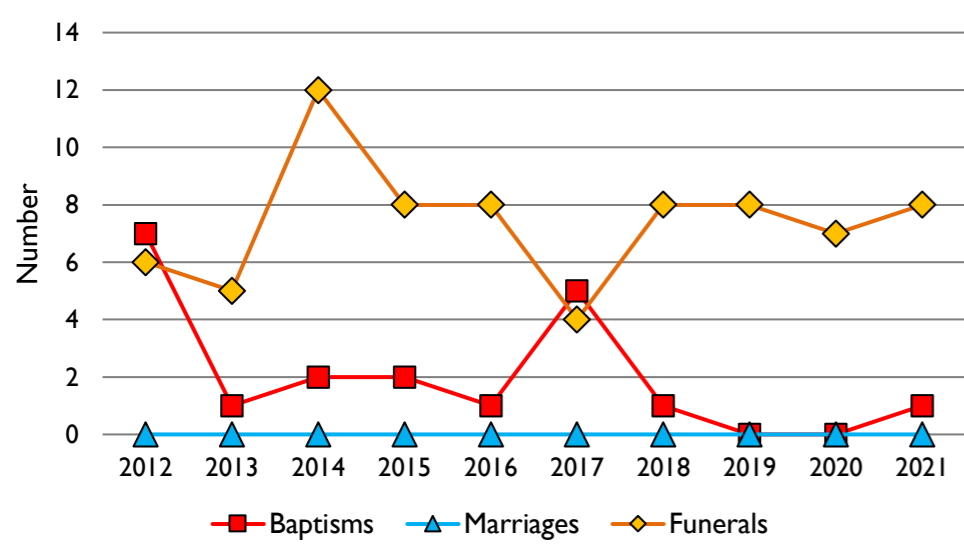
4. Average weekly attendance, October, 2012-21



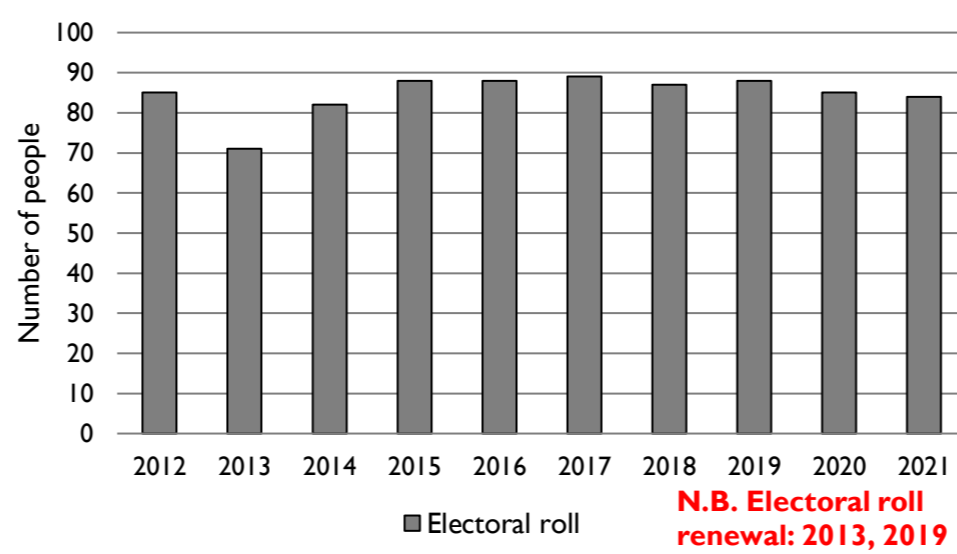
5. Percentage children, 2012-21



6. Baptisms, marriages, & funerals, 2012-21



7. Electoral roll, 2012-21



This dashboard contains figures as submitted by churches currently in the parish

- Attendance statistics:** taken from annual Statistics for Mission returns.
- Average weekly attendance: attendance at Sunday and midweek church services & fresh expressions in October; Figs 1 & 5 do not include attendance at services for schools.
- Easter: Easter Eve & Easter Day; Christmas: Christmas Eve & Christmas Day.
- Baptisms: all baptisms & thanksgivings.
- Marriages: marriages and services of prayer & dedication after civil marriages.
- Funerals: those held in church & at crematoria/cemeteries.
- Because of pandemic-related church closures, Easter figures were not collected in 2020.

Census data: taken from the 2011 national Census and the 2018 population update.
Deprivation statistics: IMD taken from the English Indices of Deprivation, published by the Ministry of Housing, Communities & Local Government, Sept 2019.
 The above statistics have been mapped onto parish boundaries so are approximations.
 For more information, see: <https://www.churchofengland.org/researchandstats>

Variations in attendance from year to year may be the result of changes in the number of churches that submitted returns, or changes in parish/benefice structure.

Number of churches included in returns: 2012 1; 2013 1; 2014 1; 2015 1; 2016 1; 2017 1; 2018 1; 2019 1; 2020 1; 2021 1.

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