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### Basic BLE Data Exchange

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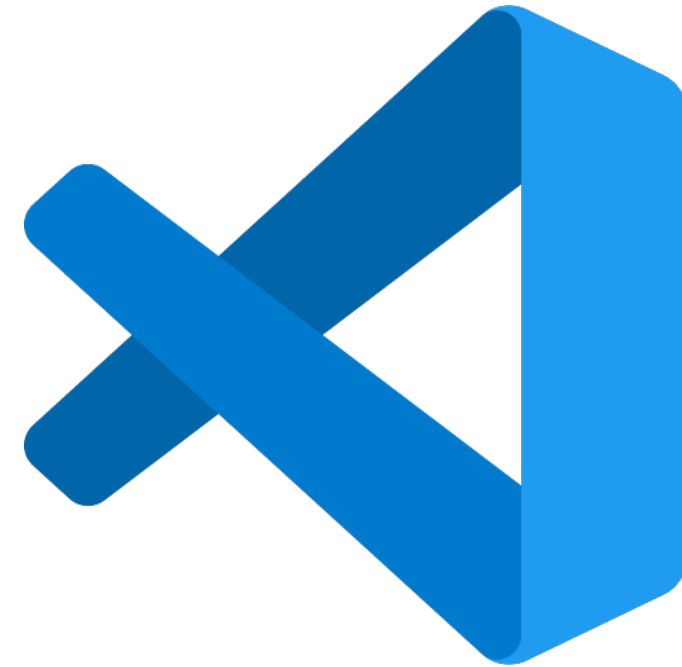


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# AGENDA

- **Nordic BLE Building Blocks**



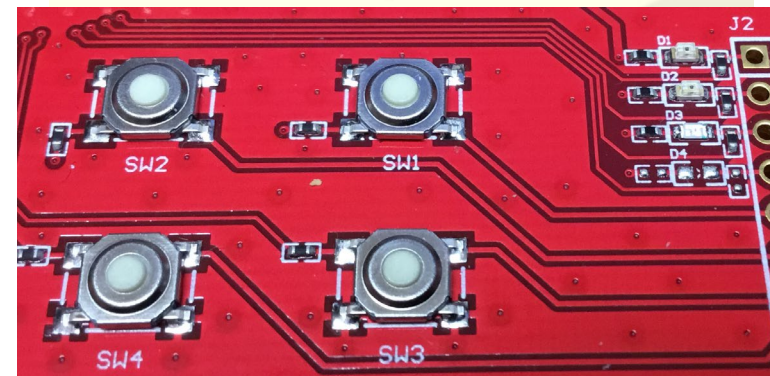
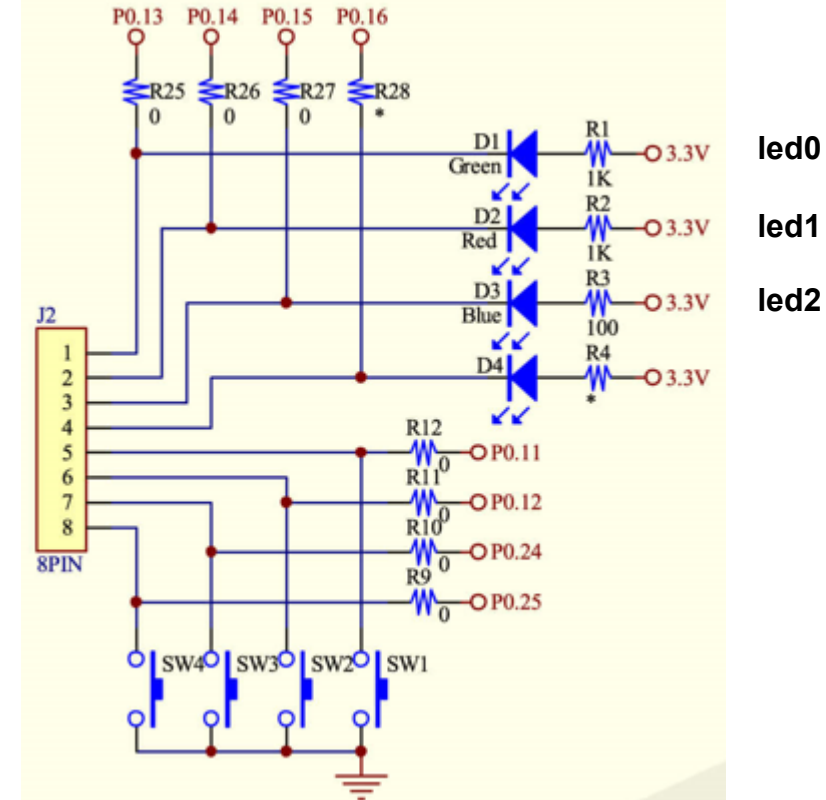


## Populate the Devicetree

```

28     leds {
29         compatible = "gpio-leds";
30         led0: led_0 {
31             gpios = <&gpio0 13 GPIO_ACTIVE_LOW>;
32             label = "Green LED 0";
33         };
34         led1: led_1 {
35             gpios = <&gpio0 14 GPIO_ACTIVE_LOW>;
36             label = "Red LED 1";
37         };
38         led2: led_2 {
39             gpios = <&gpio0 15 GPIO_ACTIVE_LOW>;
40             label = "Blue LED 2";
41         };
42     };

```



```

51     buttons {
52         compatible = "gpio-keys";
53         button0: button_0 {
54             gpios = <&gpio0 11 (GPIO_PULL_UP | GPIO_ACTIVE_LOW)>;
55             label = "Push button switch 0";
56             zephyr,code = <INPUT_KEY_0>;
57         };
58         button1: button_1 {
59             gpios = <&gpio0 12 (GPIO_PULL_UP | GPIO_ACTIVE_LOW)>;
60             label = "Push button switch 1";
61             zephyr,code = <INPUT_KEY_1>;
62         };

```

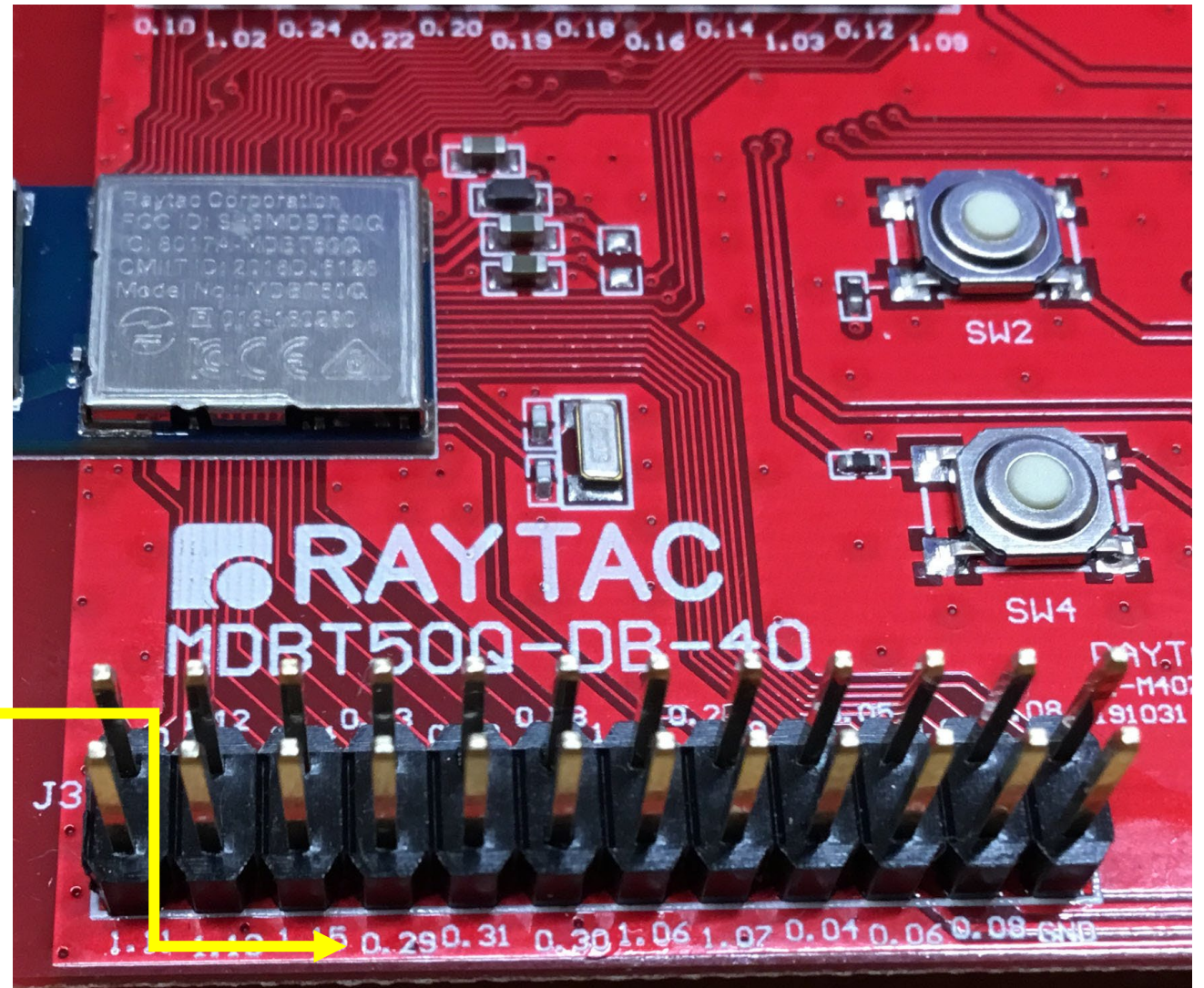


## Create a Devicetree Overlay – Analog-to-Digital Pin

```

14  /{
15  |   zephyr,user {
16  |       io-channels = <&adc 5>;
17  |   };
18  };
19
20  &adc {
21  |   compatible = "nordic,nrf-saadc";
22  |   status = "okay";
23  |   #address-cells = <1>;
24  |   #size-cells = <0>;
25
26  |   channel@5 {
27  |       reg = <5>;
28  |       zephyr,gain = "ADC_GAIN_1_6";
29  |       zephyr,reference = "ADC_REF_INTERNAL";
30  |       zephyr,acquisition-time = <ADC_ACQ_TIME_DEFAULT>;
31  |       zephyr,input-positive = <NRF_SAADC_AIN5>; // P0.29
32  |       zephyr,resolution = <12>;
33  |       zephyr,oversampling = <8>;
34  |   };
35  };

```



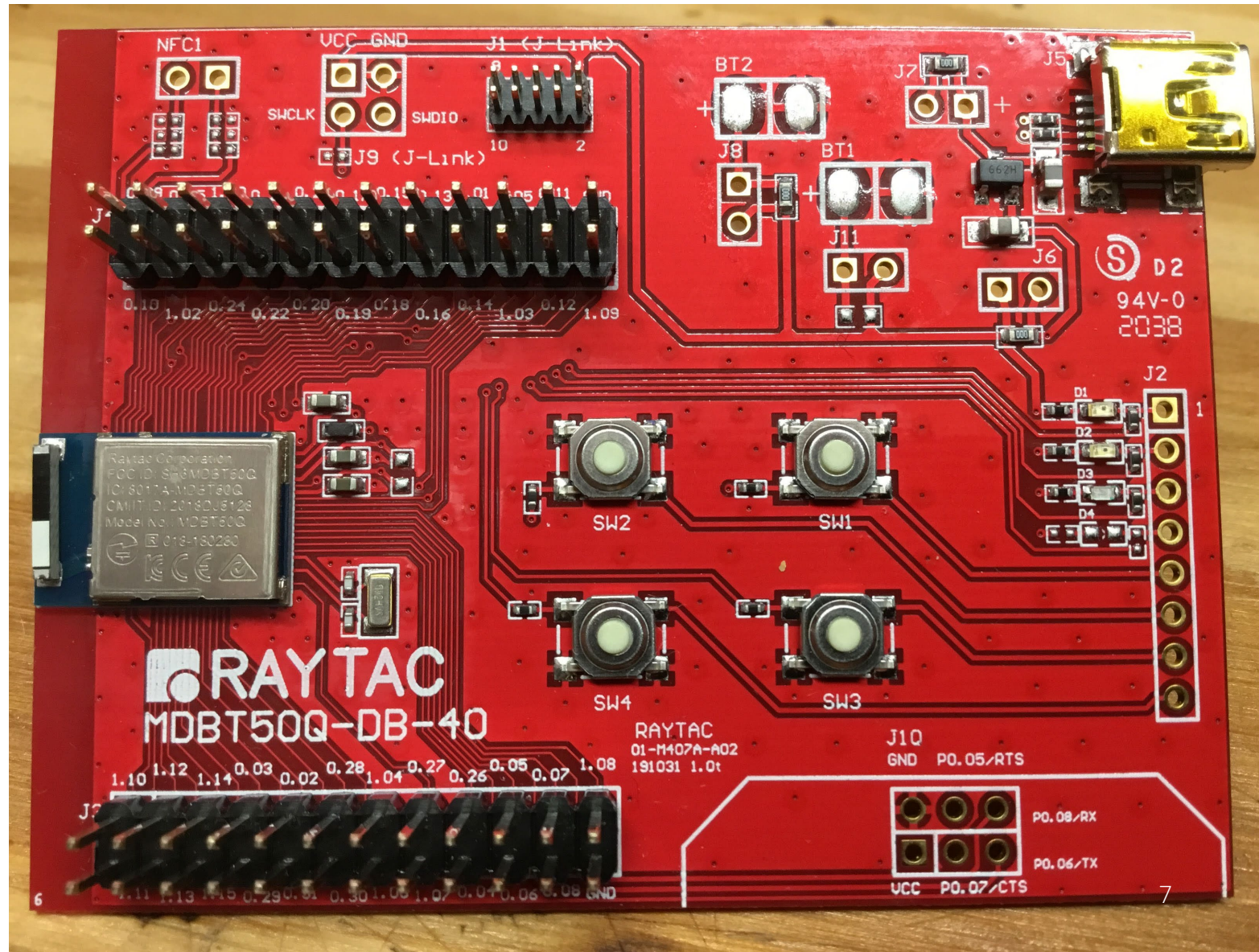


## Define and Populate the prj.conf File

```

1  #*****
2  /* prj.conf
3  /* Basic BLE Data Exchange
4  /* REV 1.0.0
5  /* LAST UPDATE 04-02-2024
6  /* NOTES:
7  #*****
8
9  # ADD ADC SUPPORT
10 CONFIG_ADC=y
11
12 # Button and LED library
13 CONFIG_DK_LIBRARY=y
14
15 # Bluetooth LE
16 CONFIG_BT=y
17 CONFIG_BT_PERIPHERAL=y
18 CONFIG_BT_DEVICE_NAME="CEC_BLE_DAY3"
19
20 # Config logger
21 CONFIG_LOG=y
22 CONFIG_LOG_PRINTK=y

```





## Define the Service and Characteristic UUIDs - Sensor

```

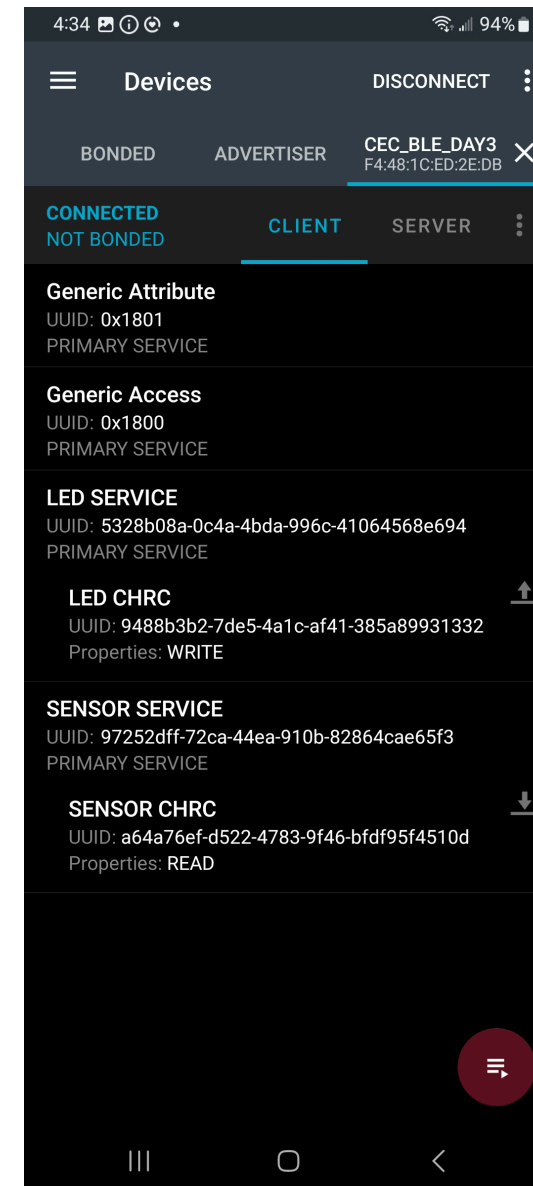
16 // Define the 128 bit UUIDs for the GATT service and its characteristics
17 // @brief SENSOR Service UUID.
18 #define BT_UUID_SENSORSVC_VAL \
19     BT_UUID_128_ENCODE(0x97252dff,0x72ca,0x44ea,0x910b,0xa82864cae65f3)
20
21 // @brief SENSOR Characteristic.
22 #define BT_UUID_SENSORCHR_VAL \
23     BT_UUID_128_ENCODE(0xa64a76ef,0xd522,0x4783,0x9f46,0xbfdf95f4510d)
24
25 #define BT_UUID_SENSORSVC BT_UUID_DECLARE_128(BT_UUID_SENSORSVC_VAL)
26 #define BT_UUID_SENSORCHR BT_UUID_DECLARE_128(BT_UUID_SENSORCHR_VAL)
27
28 // @brief Callback type for when SENSOR value change is received.
29 typedef uint16_t (*sensorchr_cb_t)(void);
30
31 // @brief Callback struct used by the SENSOR Service.
32 struct sensorsvc_cb {
33     // sensorchr callback.
34     sensorchr_cb_t sensorchr_cb;
35 };

```

```

58 // @brief Initialize the SENSOR Service.
59 //
60 // This function registers application callback functions with the SENSOR
61 // Service
62 //
63 // @param[in] sensor_callback Struct containing pointers to callback functions
64 //         used by the service. This pointer can be NULL
65 //         if no callback functions are defined.
66 int sensorsvc_init(struct sensorsvc_cb *sensor_callback);

```





## Define the Service and Characteristic UUIDs - LED

```

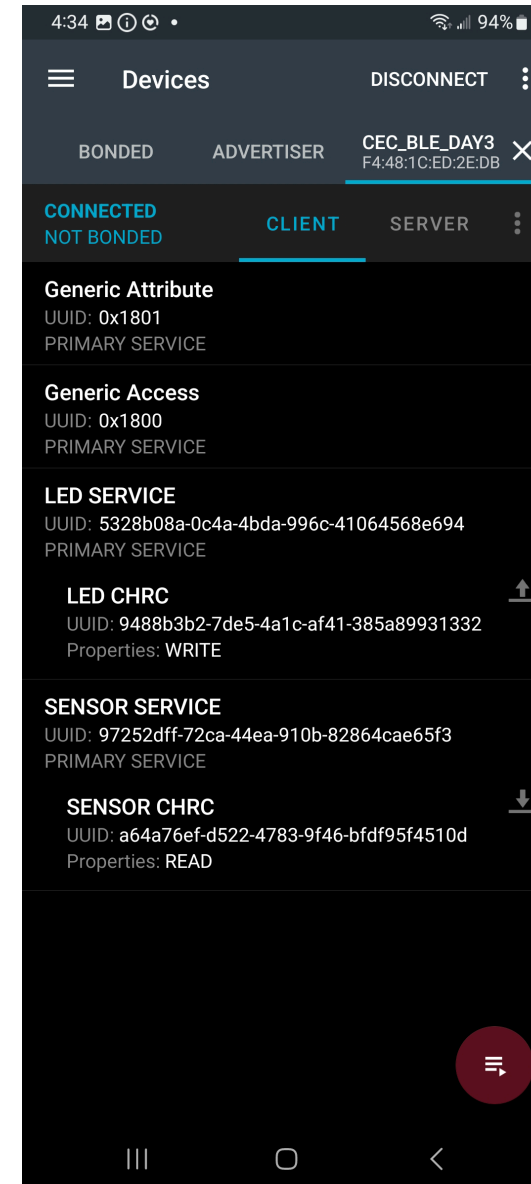
37 // Define the 128 bit UUIDs for the GATT service and its characteristics
38 // @brief LED Service UUID.
39 #define BT_UUID_LEDSVC_VAL \
40     BT_UUID_128_ENCODE(0x5328b08a,0x0c4a,0x4bda,0x996c,0x41064568e694)
41
42 // @brief LED Control Characteristic.
43 #define BT_UUID_LEDCHR_VAL \
44     BT_UUID_128_ENCODE(0x9488b3b2,0x7de5,0x4a1c,0xaf41,0x385a89931332)
45
46 #define BT_UUID_LEDSVC      BT_UUID_DECLARE_128(BT_UUID_LEDSVC_VAL)
47 #define BT_UUID_LEDCHR     BT_UUID_DECLARE_128(BT_UUID_LEDCHR_VAL)
48
49 // @brief Callback type for when LED status change is received.
50 typedef void (*ledchrc_cb_t)(uint8_t ledcntlbite);
51
52 // @brief Callback struct used by the LED Service.
53 struct ledsvc_cb {
54     // LEDCHR callback.
55     ledchrc_cb_t ledchrc_cb;
56 };

```

```

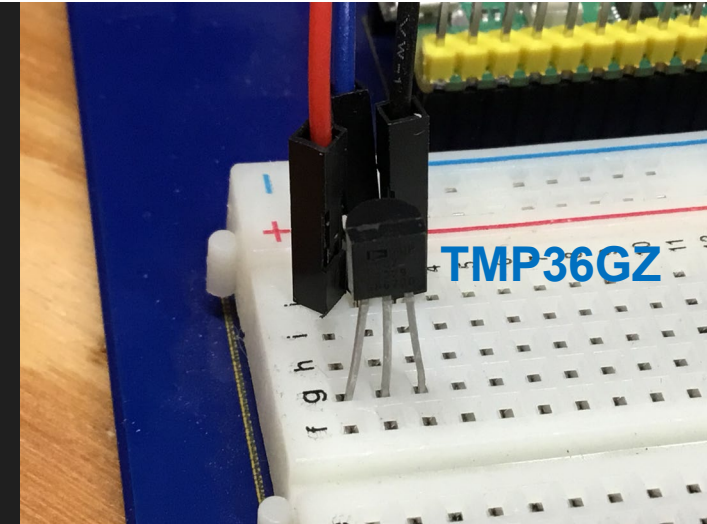
68 // @brief Initialize the LED Service.
69 //
70 // This function registers application callback functions with the LED
71 // Service
72 //
73 // @param[in] led_callback Struct containing pointers to callback functions
74 //                used by the service. This pointer can be NULL
75 //                if no callback functions are defined.
76 int ledsvc_init(struct ledsvc_cb *led_callback);

```



## Callbacks – Read Temp Sensor Callback

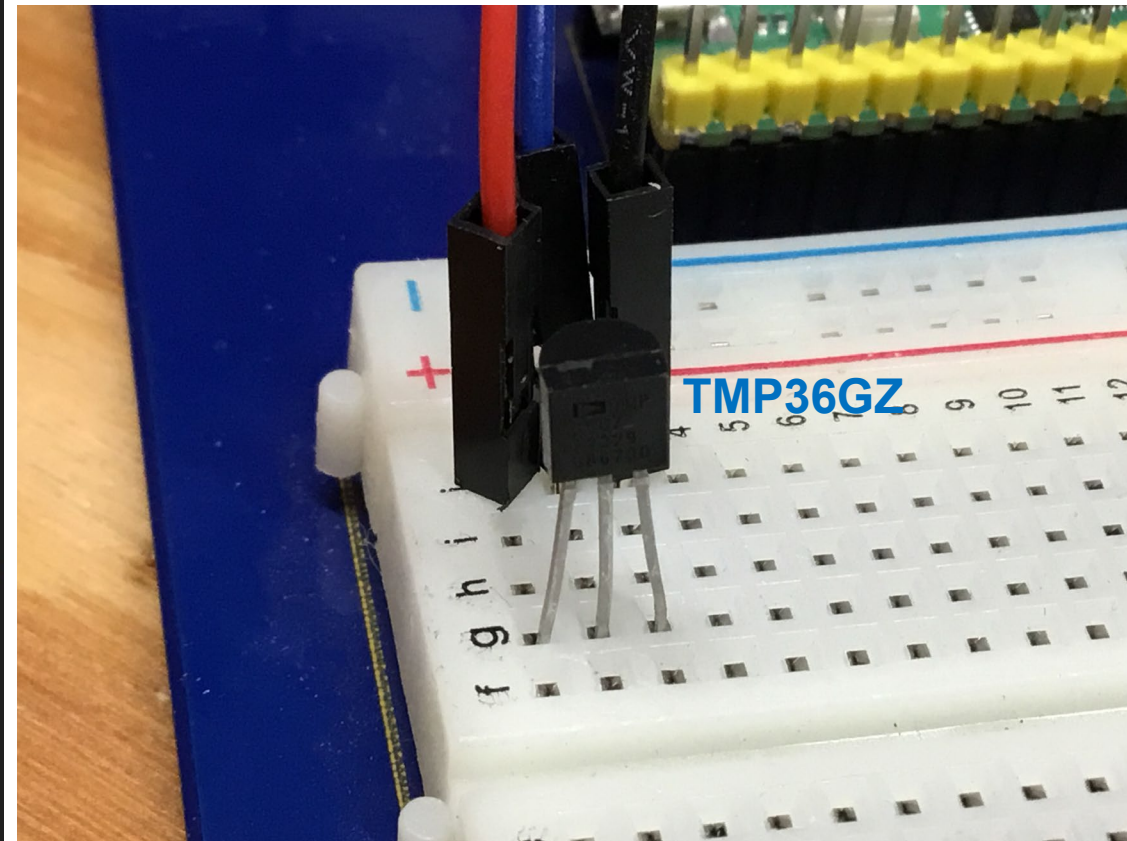
```
29 static struct sensorsvc_cb      sensor_cb;
30 static struct ledsvc_cb         led_cb;
31
32 static uint16_t adc_val;
33
34 //*****
35 /* Read Temp Sensor Callback
36 //*****
37 static ssize_t read_temp_sensor(struct bt_conn *conn,
38                                const struct bt_gatt_attr *attr,
39                                void *buf,
40                                uint16_t len,
41                                uint16_t offset)
42 {
43     //get a pointer to sensor value which is passed in the BT_GATT_CHARACTERISTIC() and stored in attr->user_data
44     const uint16_t *value = attr->user_data;
45     LOG_INF("Attribute read, handle: %u, conn: %p", attr->handle, (void *)conn);
46     if (sensor_cb.sensorchrc_cb) {
47         // Call the application callback function to update the get the current adc value
48         adc_val = sensor_cb.sensorchrc_cb();
49
50         LOG_INF("adc_val: %04x",adc_val);
51         LOG_INF("len: %u",len);
52         LOG_INF("offset: %u",offset);
53         LOG_INF("size of value: %u",sizeof(*value));
54         LOG_INF("value: %d",*value);
55         return bt_gatt_attr_read(conn, attr, buf, len, offset, value, sizeof(*value));
56     }
57     return 0;
58 }
```





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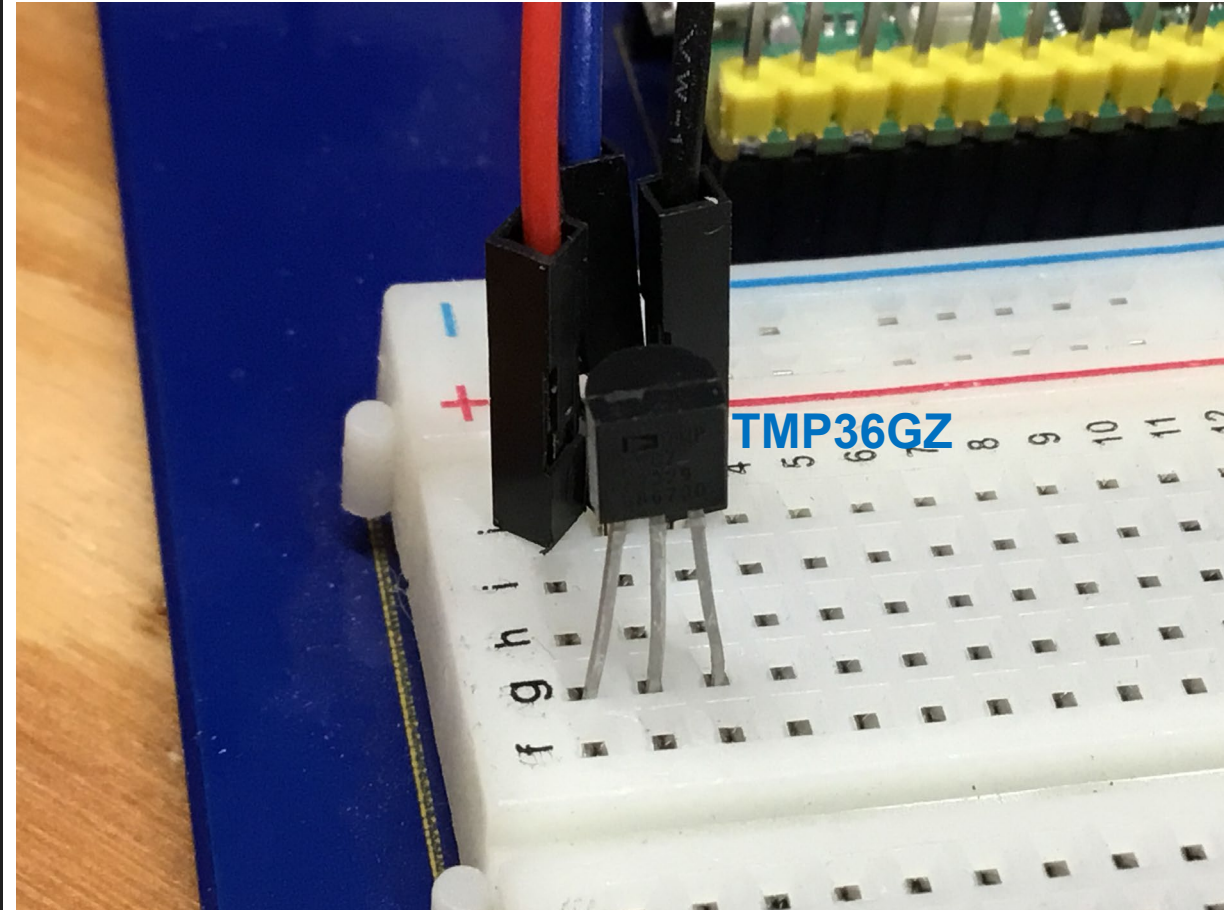
```
60 //*****
61 /* Create and add the SENSOR service to the Bluetooth LE stack
62 //*****
63 BT_GATT_SERVICE_DEFINE(sensor_svc,
64 BT_GATT_PRIMARY_SERVICE(BT_UUID_SENSORSVC),
65 // Create and add the sensor characteristic
66 BT_GATT_CHARACTERISTIC(BT_UUID_SENSORCHR,
67     BT_GATT_CHRC_READ,
68     BT_GATT_PERM_READ, read_temp_sensor, NULL,
69     &adc_val),
70 );
71
72 //*****
73 /* REGISTER APPLICATION CALLBACK
74 //*****
75 // A function to register application callbacks for the sensor characteristic
76 int sensorsvc_init(struct sensorsvc_cb *sensor_callback)
77 {
78     if (sensor_callback) {
79         sensor_cb.sensorchrc_cb = sensor_callback->sensorchrc_cb;
80     }
81     return 0;
82 }
```





## Callbacks – Read Temp Sensor Callback

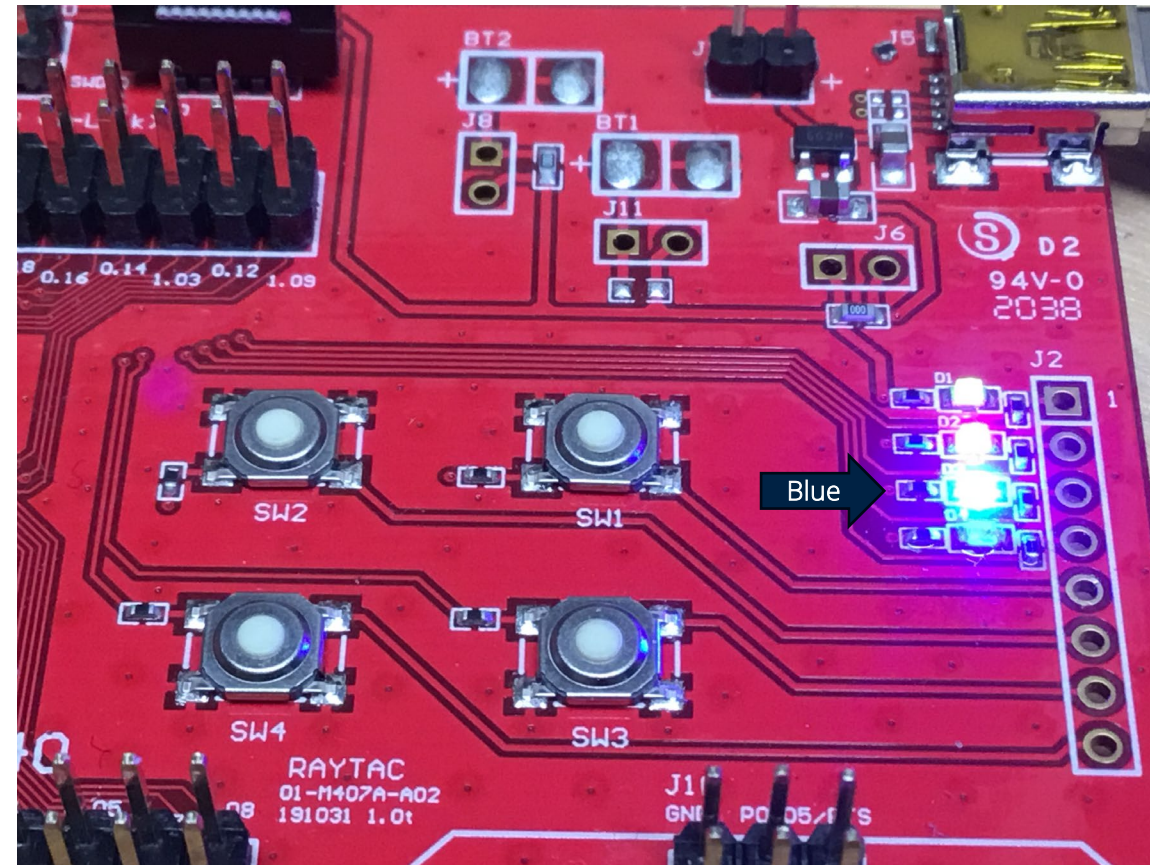
```
94 //*****
95 /* Read Temp Sensor Callback
96 /* called by read_temp_sensor() in cecsvc.c
97 /* Temp C = (val_mv - 500) / 10
98 //*****
99 static uint16_t sensor_cb(void)
100 {
101     (void)adc_sequence_init_dt(&adc_channels[0], &sequence);
102
103     err = adc_read(adc_channels[0].dev, &sequence);
104     if (err < 0) {
105         LOG_ERR("Could not read (%d)\n", err);
106     }
107     LOG_INF("bufadc: %02X",bufadc);
108     val_mv = (int)bufadc;
109     err = adc_raw_to_millivolts_dt(&adc_channels[0],&val_mv);
110     if(err<0){
111         LOG_INF("raw to mv no go\n");
112     }
113     else {
114         LOG_INF("adc value = %d mV",val_mv);
115     }
116
117     return bufadc;
118 }
```





## Callbacks – LED Control Callback

```
84 //*****
85 /* LED Control Callback
86 //*****
87 static ssize_t write_led(struct bt_conn *conn,
88                         const struct bt_gatt_attr *attr,
89                         const void *buf,
90                         uint16_t len, uint16_t offset, uint8_t flags)
91 {
92     LOG_INF("Attribute write, handle: %u, conn: %p", attr->handle,
93           (void *)conn);
94     if (len != 1U) {
95         LOG_INF("Incorrect data length");
96         return BT_GATT_ERR(BT_ATT_ERR_INVALID_ATTRIBUTE_LEN);
97     }
98     if (offset != 0) {
99         LOG_INF("Incorrect data offset");
100        return BT_GATT_ERR(BT_ATT_ERR_INVALID_OFFSET);
101    }
102    if (led_cb.ledchrc_cb) {
103        //Read the received value
104        uint8_t val = *((uint8_t *)buf);
105        if (val == 0x00 || val == 0x01) {
106            //Call the application callback function to update the LED state
107            led_cb.ledchrc_cb(val ? 0x01 : 0x00);
108        }
109        else {
110            LOG_INF("Incorrect value");
111            return BT_GATT_ERR(BT_ATT_ERR_VALUE_NOT_ALLOWED);
112        }
113    }
114    return len;
115 }
```



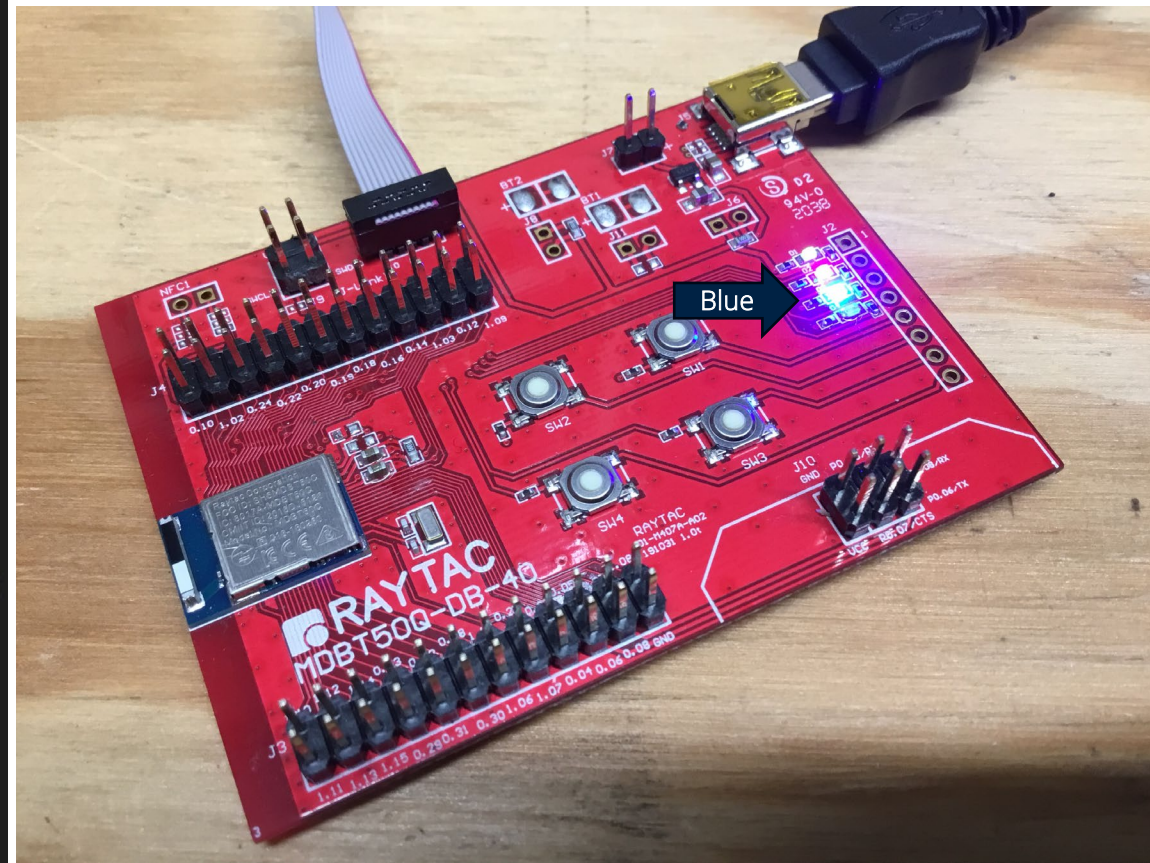


## Callbacks – LED Control Callback

```

117 //*****
118 /** Create and add the LED control service to the Bluetooth LE stack
119 //*****
120 BT_GATT_SERVICE_DEFINE(led_svc,
121 BT_GATT_PRIMARY_SERVICE(BT_UUID_LEDSVC),
122 // Create and add the LED characteristic
123 | | | BT_GATT_CHARACTERISTIC(BT_UUID_LEDCHR,
124 | | | | BT_GATT_CHRC_WRITE,
125 | | | | BT_GATT_PERM_WRITE,
126 | | | | NULL, write_led, NULL),
127 );
128
129 //*****
130 /** REGISTER APPLICATION CALLBACKS
131 //*****
132 // A function to register application callbacks for the LED characteristic
133 int ledsvc_init(struct ledsvc_cb *led_callback)
134 {
135     if (led_callback) {
136         led_cb.ledchrc_cb = led_callback->ledchrc_cb;
137     }
138     return 0;
139 }

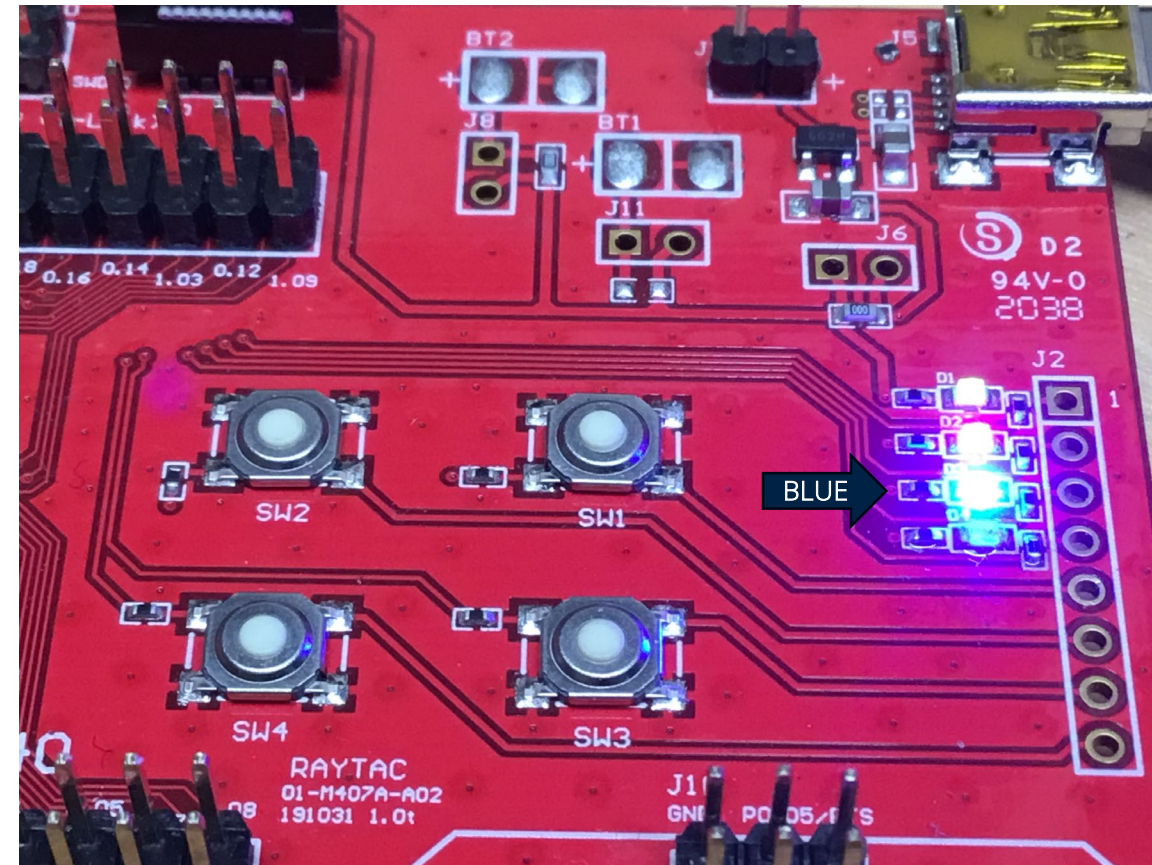
```





## Callbacks – LED Control Callback

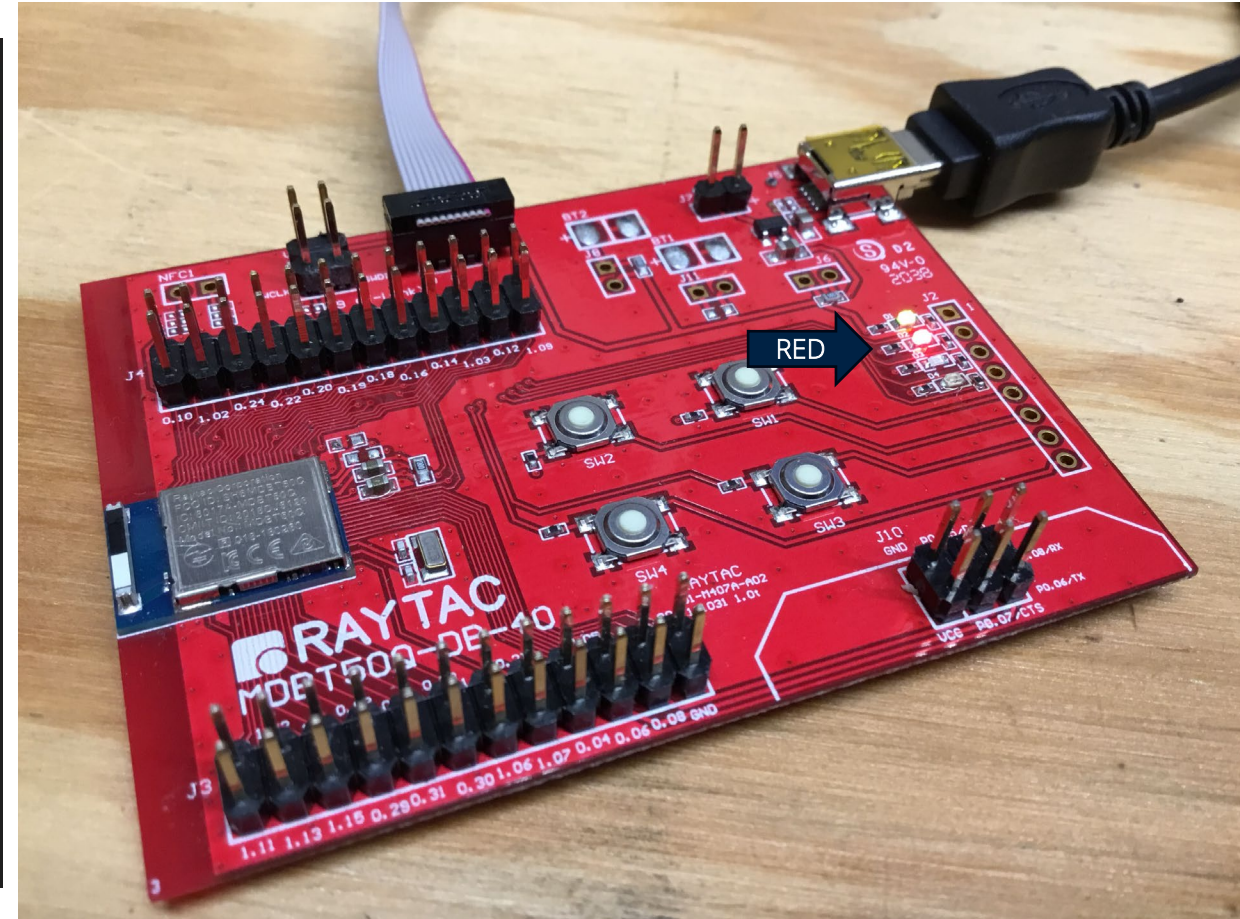
```
132 //*****
133 /* LED Control Callback
134 /* called by write_led() in cecsvc.c
135 //*****
136 static void ledchrc_cb(uint8_t enablebite)
137 {
138     switch(enablebite)
139     {
140     case 0:
141         LOG_INF("LED is OFF.\n");
142         gpio_pin_set_dt(&led2, 0);
143         break;
144     case 1:
145         LOG_INF("LED is ON.\n");
146         gpio_pin_set_dt(&led2, 1);
147         break;
148     }
149 }
150
151 //*****
152 /* Declare a variable led_callback of type ledsvc_cb and
153 /* initiate its members to the applications call back function
154 //*****
155 static struct ledsvc_cb led_callback = {
156     .ledchrc_cb = ledchrc_cb,
157 };
158
```





## Callbacks – Connected

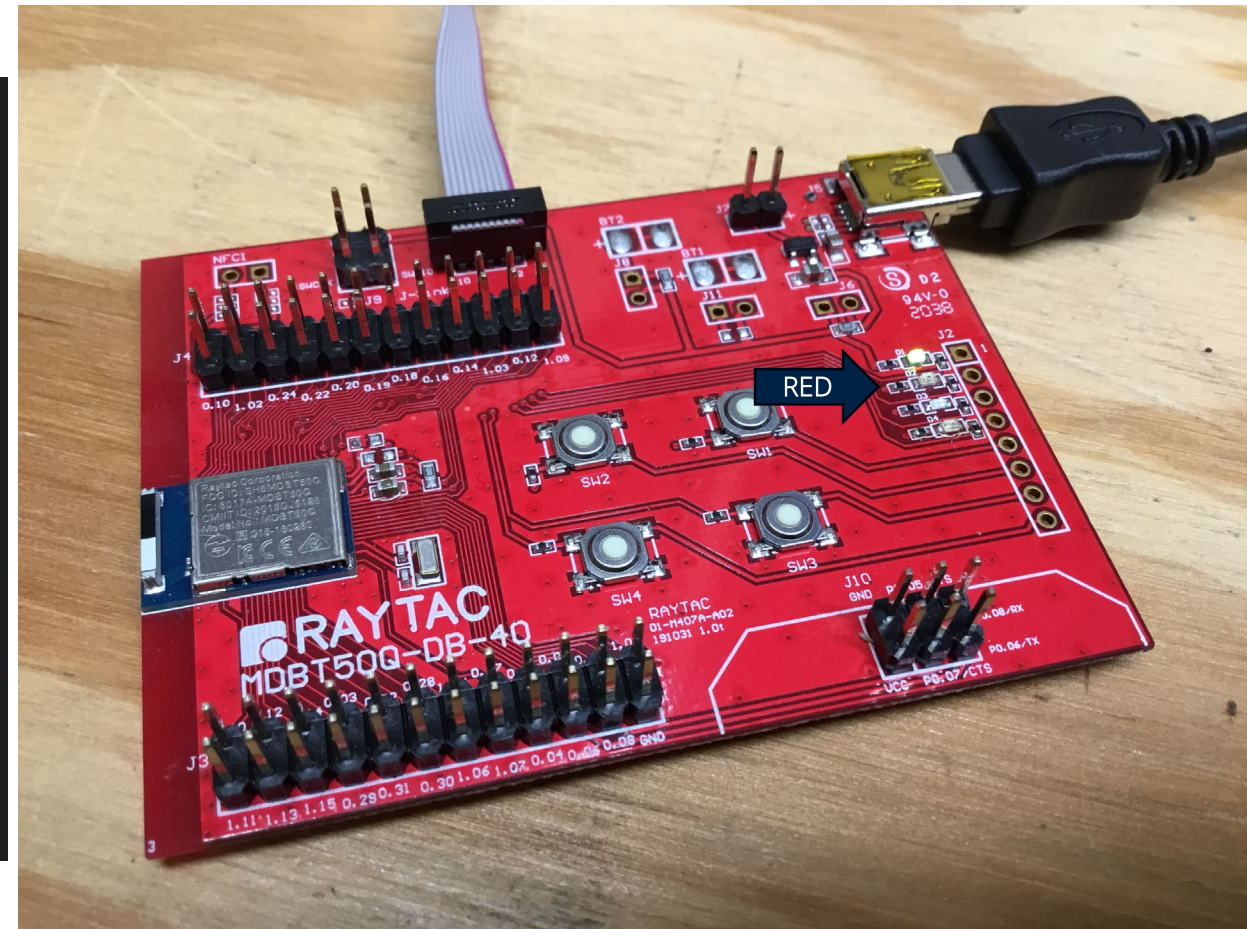
```
159 //*****
160 /** Connected callback
161 //*****
162 static void on_connected(struct bt_conn *conn, uint8_t err)
163 {
164     if (err) {
165         LOG_ERR("Connection failed (err %u)\n", err);
166         return;
167     }
168     LOG_INF("Connected\n");
169     dk_set_led_on(CON_STATUS_LED);
170     SET_FLAG(fconnected);
171     struct bt_conn_info info;
172     err = bt_conn_get_info(conn, &info);
173     if (err) {
174         LOG_ERR("bt_conn_get_info() returned %d", err);
175         return;
176     }
177 }
178 }
179 }
180 }
```





## Callbacks – Disconnected

```
182 //*****
183 /* Disconnected callback
184 //*****
185 static void on_disconnected(struct bt_conn *conn, uint8_t reason)
186 {
187     LOG_INF("Disconnected (reason %u)\n", reason);
188
189     dk_set_led_off(CON_STATUS_LED);
190     CLR_FLAG(fconnected);
191 }
192
193 //*****
194 /* Declare a variable connection_callbacks of type bt_conn_cb and
195 /* initiate its members to the applications call back functions
196 //*****
197 struct bt_conn_cb connection_callbacks = {
198     .connected = on_connected,
199     .disconnected = on_disconnected,
200 };
201
```



## Housekeeping

```

35 int err;
36 int16_t bufadc;
37 int val_mv;
38 uint8_t flags;
39 #define fconnected      0b00000001
40 #define SET_FLAG(flagbit) (flags |= flagbit)
41 #define CLR_FLAG(flagbit) (flags &= ~flagbit)
42 #define CHK_FLAG(flagbit) (flags & flagbit)
43 #define TOG_FLAG(flagbit) (flags ^= flagbit)
44 #define DEVICE_NAME CONFIG_BT_DEVICE_NAME
45 #define DEVICE_NAME_LEN (sizeof(DEVICE_NAME) - 1)
46 #define LOG_MODULE_NAME bleday3
47 #LOG_MODULE_REGISTER(LOG_MODULE_NAME, LOG_LEVEL_DBG);
48
49 struct adc_sequence sequence = {
50     .buffer = &bufadc,
51     // buffer size in bytes, not number of samples
52     .buffer_size = sizeof(bufadc),
53 };
54
55 #define DT_SPEC_AND_COMMA(node_id, prop, idx) \
56     ADC_DT_SPEC_GET_BY_IDX(node_id, idx),
57     struct adc_dt_spec
58 // Data of ADC io-ch. Container for ADC channel information specified in devicetree.
59 static const struct adc_dt_spec adc_channels[] = {
60     DT_FOREACH_PROP_ELEM(DT_PATH(zephyr_user), io_channels, DT_SPEC_AND_COMMA)
61 };
62
63
64 #if !DT_NODE_EXISTS(DT_PATH(zephyr_user)) || \
65     !DT_NODE_HAS_PROP(DT_PATH(zephyr_user), io_channels)
66 #error "No suitable devicetree overlay specified"
67 #endif
68
69 #define LED_CNTL_DT_ALIAS(led2)
70 static const struct gpio_dt_spec led2 = GPIO_DT_SPEC_GET(LED_CNTL, gpios);
71
72 #define RUN_STATUS_LED   DK_LED1   led0
73 #define CON_STATUS_LED   DK_LED2   led1
74 #define USER_LED        DK_LED3   led2
75 #define RUN_LED_BLINK_INTERVAL 1000

```



## Advertising Parameters

```
78 static struct bt_le_adv_param *adv_param = BT_LE_ADV_PARAM(  
79     (BT_LE_ADV_OPT_CONNECTABLE |  
80     BT_LE_ADV_OPT_USE_IDENTITY), // Connectable advertising and use identity address  
81     800, // Min Advertising Interval 500ms (800*0.625ms)  
82     801, // Max Advertising Interval 500.625ms (801*0.625ms)  
83     NULL); // Set to NULL for undirected advertising  
84  
85 static const struct bt_data ad[] = {  
86     BT_DATA_BYTES(BT_DATA_FLAGS, (BT_LE_AD_GENERAL | BT_LE_AD_NO_BREDR)),  
87     BT_DATA(BT_DATA_NAME_COMPLETE, DEVICE_NAME, DEVICE_NAME_LEN),  
88 };  
89  
90 static const struct bt_data sd[] = {  
91     BT_DATA_BYTES(BT_DATA_UUID128_ALL, BT_UUID_SENSORSVC_VAL),  
92 };
```



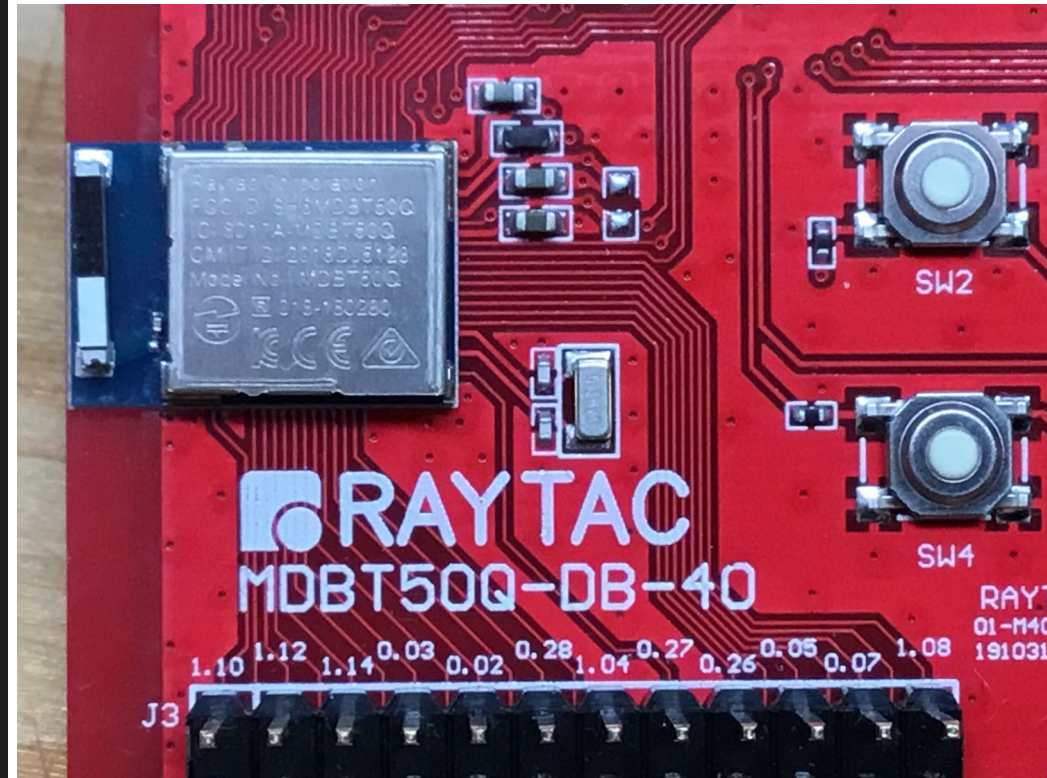
## Meat and Potatoes – Finish the Application Setup

```
214 //*****
215 /* MAIN Function
216 //*****
217 int main(void)
218 {
219     int blink_status = 0;
220     int err;
221
222     LOG_INF("Starting Basic BLE Data Exchange\n");
223
224     configure_gpio();
225
226     // Configure channels individually prior to sampling.
227     for (size_t i = 0U; i < ARRAY_SIZE(adc_channels); i++) {
228         if (!device_is_ready(adc_channels[i].dev)) {
229             LOG_ERR("ADC controller device not ready\n");
230             return -1;
231         }
232
233         err = adc_channel_setup_dt(&adc_channels[i]);
234         if (err < 0) {
235             LOG_ERR("Could not setup channel #%d (%d)\n", i, err);
236             return -1;
237         }
238     }
239     // Pass your application callback functions stored in xxxxx_callbacks to the respective services
240     err = sensorsvc_init(&sensor_callback);
241     if (err) {
242         LOG_ERR("Failed to init adc callback (err:%d)\n", err);
243         return -1;
244     }
245
246     err = ledsvc_init(&led_callback);
247     if (err) {
248         LOG_ERR("Failed to init led callback (err:%d)\n", err);
249         return -1;
250     }
251 }
```



## Meat and Potatoes – Enable the BLE Radio

```
252     err = bt_enable(NULL);
253     if (err) {
254         LOG_ERR("Bluetooth init failed (err %d)\n", err);
255         return -1;
256     }
257     LOG_INF("Bluetooth initialized\n");
258
259     bt_conn_cb_register(&connection_callbacks);
260
261     bt_addr_le_t addr;
262     err = bt_addr_le_from_str("FF:EE:DD:CC:BB:AA", "random", &addr);
263     if (err) {
264         LOG_ERR("Invalid BT address (err %d)\n", err);
265     }
266
267     err = bt_le_adv_start(adv_param, ad, ARRAY_SIZE(ad), sd, ARRAY_SIZE(sd));
268     if (err) {
269         LOG_ERR("Advertising failed to start (err %d)\n", err);
270         return -1;
271     }
272
273     LOG_INF("Advertising successfully started\n");
274
275     for (;;)
276     {
277         dk_set_led(RUN_STATUS_LED, (++blink_status) % 2);
278         k_sleep(K_MSEC(RUN_LED_BLINK_INTERVAL));
279     }
280 }
```



Let Her Rip or, as we say in the South, Let `Er Rip

Monitor Mode Serial View Mode Text Port /dev/ttyUSB0 - FTDI Baud rate 115200 Line ending CRLF Stop Monitoring

```

*** Booting nRF Connect SDK d96769faceca ***
[00:00:00.000,274] <inf> bleday3: Starting Basic BLE Data Exchange

[00:00:00.000,457] <inf> bt sdc hci driver: SoftDevice Controller build revision:
                        36 f0 e5 0e 87 68 48 fb 02 fd 9f 82 cc 32 e5 7b |6....hH. ....2.{
                        91 b1 5c ed                               |..\

[00:00:00.002,655] <inf> bt hci core: HW Platform: Nordic Semiconductor (0x0002)
[00:00:00.002,685] <inf> bt hci core: HW Variant: nRF52x (0x0002)
[00:00:00.002,716] <inf> bt hci core: Firmware: Standard Bluetooth controller (0x00) Version 54.58864 Build 1214809870
[00:00:00.003,540] <inf> bt hci core: Identity: F4:48:1C:ED:2E:DB (random)
[00:00:00.003,570] <inf> bt hci core: HCI: version 5.4 (0x0d) revision 0x118f, manufacturer 0x0059
[00:00:00.003,601] <inf> bt hci core: LMP: version 5.4 (0x0d) subver 0x118f
[00:00:00.003,631] <inf> bleday3: Bluetooth initialized

[00:00:00.004,516] <inf> bleday3: Advertising successfully started

[00:03:26.120,483] <inf> bleday3: Connected

[00:03:39.325,378] <inf> bleday3: Attribute write, handle: 0, conn: 0x20001eb8
[00:03:39.325,378] <inf> bleday3: LED is ON.

[00:03:45.805,541] <inf> bleday3: Attribute read, handle: 0, conn: 0x20001eb8
[00:03:45.808,471] <inf> bleday3: bufadc: 332
[00:03:45.808,471] <inf> bleday3: adc value = 718 mV
[00:03:45.808,502] <inf> bleday3: adc val: 0332
[00:03:45.808,502] <inf> bleday3: len: 22
[00:03:45.808,502] <inf> bleday3: offset: 0
[00:03:45.808,532] <inf> bleday3: size of value: 2
[00:03:45.808,532] <inf> bleday3: value: 818
[00:03:56.695,800] <inf> bleday3: Attribute write, handle: 0, conn: 0x20001eb8
[00:03:56.695,800] <inf> bleday3: LED is OFF.

[00:04:05.246,185] <inf> bleday3: Disconnected (reason 19)

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10:51 80%

Devices CONNECT

BONDED ADVERTISER CEC\_BLE\_DAY3 F4:48:1C:ED:2E:DB

DISCONNECTED NOT BONDED CLIENT SERVER

Generic Attribute  
UUID: 0x1801  
PRIMARY SERVICE

Generic Access  
UUID: 0x1800  
PRIMARY SERVICE

LED SERVICE  
UUID: 5328b08a-0c4a-4bda-996c-41064568e694  
PRIMARY SERVICE

LED CHRC  
UUID: 9488b3b2-7de5-4a1c-af41-385a89931332  
Properties: WRITE  
Value: (0x) 00

SENSOR SERVICE  
UUID: 97252dff-72ca-44ea-910b-82864cae65f3  
PRIMARY SERVICE

SENSOR CHRC  
UUID: a64a76ef-d522-4783-9f46-bfdf95f4510d  
Properties: READ  
Value: (0x) 32-03

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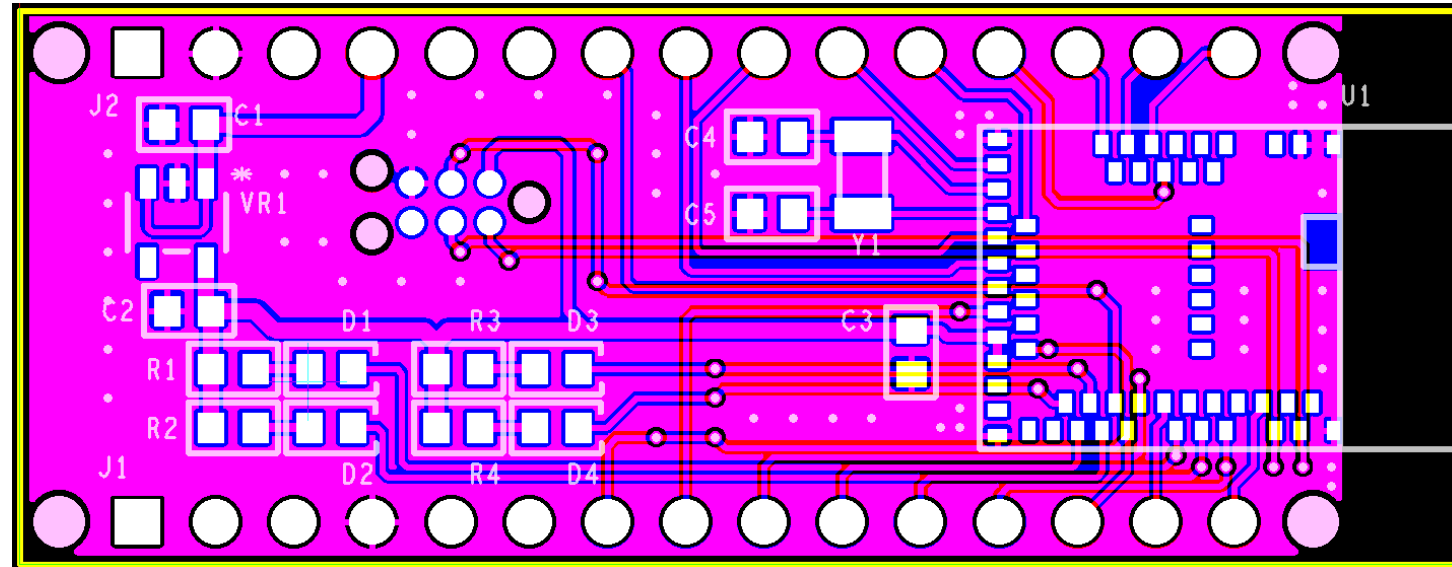
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