



 **Let's do it!**  
We need your support to help us grow  
An A-Z Guide

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If you would like to have fun and raise awareness for our anniversary celebration, share Open the Book with others using our A-Z guide.

- A**  
Afternoon tea. Anniversary party. Art exhibition. Auction of talents, time, or household furniture.
- B**  
Baby photos (church team). Babysitting. Barbecue. Barn dance. Beetle drive. Bingo. Bible-reading marathon. Breakfast. Bring and buy sale. Book sale.
- C**  
Cake stall. Celebration service. Car boot sale. Cash in the attic sale. Cheese and wine. Coffee morning. Concert. Cookery demo. Crafts exhibition. Cream tea and cakes.
- D**  
Dance-a-thon. Day for schools.
- E**  
Easter party. Egg decorating. Exhibition.
- F**  
Face painting. Fancy dress (Bible characters). Fashion parade swap. Film night. Flower festival. Football match. Fun run.
- G**  
Garden open day. Garden party. Guided nature walk.
- H**  
Hat sale or parade. Household goods sale. Hymnathon.
- I**  
Ice cream social. International dinner. Ironing offers.
- J**  
Jam making. Jazz night. Jewellery workshop. Just giving.
- K**  
Knit beards. Kidnap the preacher.



## L

'Ladies who lunch' day. Litter picking. Loose change collection. Leave a legacy.

## M

Memory Lane event. Mad hatters tea party. Make a money box (and fill it). Midsummer ball. Money for old gold. Musical event.

## N

Name that tune/hymn. Name the doll/teddy.

## O

Open house/garden. Outside service. OtB performance.

## P

Pancake toss/party. Pet parade. Performance night with the new story and service outline. Photo competition. Picnic in the park. Plant sale. Poetry evening. Pram push. Props' competition. Puppet show.

## Q

Quit something. Quiz night.

## R

Ramble. Recipe swap book.

## S

Scrabble. Sewing. Shave your head, legs, chest. Shoe polish. Show-and-tell workshops. Sky dive. Snail racing. Sponsored sing. Sports day.

## T

Talent show. Toy sale. Treasure hunt. Tuck shop.

## U

University (or school) Challenge. Unwanted presents. Used stamps.

## V

Vegetable-growing competition. Vegetarian evening. Volleyball competition.

## W

Walkathon. Walking football. Wellie throwing. Window cleaning. Wine tasting.

## X

*X Factor*-event.

## Y

'Yes' day. Yoyo competition. Yodelling sing-off.

## Z

Zany costume day.



## Happy Celebrating!

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