



# 2023 Calendar

## APRIL

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## JULY

### Fundraising Concert

Join us in July for a special musical concert, this night of entertainment and fun will celebrate our mission and help raise the vital funds needed to help families thrive.

## AUGUST

### Active August Challenge

Get active throughout August to help break the cycle of poverty! Your church can have teams or individuals participate in an active challenge throughout the month to help raise funds for ADRA's life-changing work. Whether you're walking, running or cycling, each movement can make a difference. It's also a great way for health ministries to get involved.

## SEPTEMBER

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## OCTOBER

### Annual Appeal Month

Our Annual Appeal Month is our largest fundraising month and we invite all churches to take part. Your church can support by playing videos that our team will send to you, by hosting fundraising events or by taking part in our masterclasses. A special offering will be taken up on the 7th of October.

## NOVEMBER

### Christmas Trees

You're invited to host a Christmas tree in your church; to bring hope to families who are without this Christmas. Sign your church to receive a special Christmas Tree pack.

## EVERY MONTH

### Community Transformation Partnerships

Are you currently implementing or are wanting to implement a community service project? ADRA provides funding and project support for initiatives that serve the needs of your community. You can apply for funding and implement your community service project at any time of the year.

# We're Here to Help

We recognise that not every activity may be suitable for your specific church environment. We encourage you to get involved in what you think will be best. Remember, we are here to support you!

All resources and further information about each event can be found by scanning the QR code:

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