

30 Day Plan for Hope Missional Community

3 constant priorities for planning: Gospel, Family, Mission

Planned Life Together:

MC Family Gathering

Fortnightly on a Sunday afternoon in the Hope Centre. Simple all-age 'family gathering' with a hot meal together. Word, Worship, Fun, Creative, Family-friendly.

MC Family Meal Nights

Every other Friday, Saturday or Sunday. The big Missional Community gathering around food, to share stories and be good family. Maybe a little spiritual content for the adults, but not like 'church'.

DNA

Weekdays daytime and evening for men

Weekdays daytime for women

Missional Activities

At other times – Fun Night (Sports / Games / Quiz / Bowling / Escape Room etc.). Snacks only.

Brunch hangout/drop-in/grab-and-go, if needed.

Movie Night. Snacks only.

Every now and again

DNA Leaders coaching session – men and women together

All DNA men and all DNA women meet separately

Organic Life Together: (these things are scattered throughout a normal month)

walks and cycle rides

dropping off meals for families/singles that are tired, stressed, or experiencing transition or loss

house projects for families/singles that don't have the finances or skills to get them done

running errands for families/singles that are sick, injured, having a new baby, or in some crisis

moving a family/single that doesn't have access to enough vehicles and manpower

babysitting for families that need a break or date night or just to bless them

holiday parties especially for families/singles that don't have many healthy friends or family around

Context: Different contexts will require other creative ways of experiencing the things above.

Seasons: Different seasons of life influenced by weather, age/stage (young, middle age, elderly), holidays, schoolyear, and busy vs. slow times, will all require flexibility, creativity, and adjustments.

Giftng, Size, and Maturity of an MC will also determine how an MC puts together its 30 day plan.

365 Day Plan for Hope Missional Community

1. December Christmas and all that goes with it!
2. January New Year
3. End Jan/Early Feb Core Leadership & Family Weekend Away
4. February Valentine Day
5. Feb/March Pancake Day
6. March Womens Weekend Away - Spa
7. March 19 Comic Relief
8. March Mother's Day
9. March/April Easter
10. April St George's Day
11. May Thy Kingdom Come & Pentecost
12. May/June Big Church Day Out
13. June The Big Lunch
14. June Father's Day
15. June The Gathering
16. July 7th National Chocolate Day
17. July 17th Snooky Fest
18. August Edgefest
19. August Carnival
20. September McMillan Coffee Morning
21. Sept/Oct Men's Weekend
22. Sept/Oct Harvest/Overseas mission
23. October Alternative Halloween
24. November Bonfire Night
25. November Remembrance Sunday

Organic Life Together: (these things are scattered throughout a normal year)

Major Sporting Events

Birthdays, anniversaries, baby dedications, baptisms, weddings and funerals etc.

Royal Weddings etc.

Arts/Music/Flower/Garden/Car Festivals etc