

Ideas for Celebrating Pink Sunday

In addition to sharing breast health educational materials provided by Susan G. Komen Charlotte, each church is responsible for coordinating its own event on April 22nd, 2018.

Celebrate Survivors /Honor Loved Ones	Educate
 "Survivor Tree"- hang the names of survivors on a small tree in the lobby. Honor those who have lost their battle with a moment of silence. "Wall of Hope"- write the names of survivors and/or those who have lost their battle with breast cancer. Celebrate breast cancer survivors with pink flowers. Host a reception after the service with pink lemonade and cake. Put pink balloons or pink bows on the pews. For information on buying pink bows, contact Carol at 	 □ Set-up an education table in the lobby. □ Host a "women's only" and/or "men's only" education event (This is an opportunity to learn about breast health and ask personal questions they may not feel comfortable discussing in front of the entire congregation). □ Invite a health care professional to speak about early detection and the importance of mammograms.
pinkbow4rally@gmail.com. Order pink pins or other merchandise at http://www.shopkomen.com/ to provide to survivors or your congregation. Some items are available at the Komen Charlotte office.	Spread Awareness Post breast health information and local mammography resources on the bulletin board.
Prayer	Donate
 Conduct a candlelight prayer service. Invite a church leader or member from the congregation to pray for survivors and co-survivors. 	 Pass a collection plate on Pink Sunday for donations to Komen Charlotte.

Susan G. Komen Charlotte has trained Komen Education Ambassadors in many counties, however, speakers are limited and will only be scheduled based on availability. Please complete the <u>outreach request form</u> at komencharlotte.org at least 3 weeks prior to your event.