



SEPTEMBER 10

**“God’s mercy and grace give me hope –
for myself, and for our world”** BILLY GRAHAM

‘Paint your
local community
red with a
message
of hope’

What are some of the things your church could do?

- Plan a Sunday service around the theme of HOPE
- Host a Memorial Service for those in the local community bereaved by suicide
- Host a Business Breakfast, talk about mental health and emotional wellbeing, give an opportunity for Businesses to donate to the Festival of Hope
- Get your Connect Groups to host Dinner Parties of Hope, inviting friends, family and neighbours and giving them the opportunity to donate
- Host a morning tea for local businesses in your area, talk about emotional wellbeing and mental health and share a short message of hope
- Encourage your Church community to host events in their schools, universities, workplaces and homes
- Ask local schools if they would like to get involved in Revolution Red and if you can send someone along to share a message of hope with the students
- Run an outreach night in your Youth Ministry with a big focus on hope for their world
- Host a Festival of Hope after a Sunday service with food, activities and a festival feel, invite local Council members and the community to come for the service beforehand too

Regardless of whether you organise one or all of these events, we encourage you to get creative and the ideas flowing, raise awareness and the levels of hope in your local community, as well as funds for Kids Helpline.

For more information and to register your participation go to: