

Planning Activities with Older People in mind - Some Dates During The Year to consider

Church Dates

Other Events

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| JANUARY | | |
| FEBRUARY | <p>2nd February: The Presentation of the Lord (<i>and the story of Simeon and Anna</i>)</p> | |
| MARCH | | <p>5th March: Covid Memorial Day (UK)</p> |
| APRIL | | |
| MAY | | <p>Dying Matters Week Dementia Awareness Week</p> |
| JUNE | <p>13th June: Feast of St Anthony of Padua (<i>Patron Saint of Older People</i>)</p> <p>Third Sunday in June: Day for Life (Catholic Church)</p> | <p>(Volunteers' Week)</p> |
| JULY | <p>26th July: Feast of Saints Anne and Joachim (<i>Grandparents of Jesus</i>)</p> <p>Nearest Sunday to it: World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly (Catholic Church)</p> <p>30th July: Feast Day of St. Jeanne Jurgan (<i>a patron saint of older people and older destitute people</i>)</p> | |
| AUGUST | | |
| SEPTEMBER | | |
| OCTOBER | | <p>1st October International Day of Older Persons (United Nations)</p> <p>First Sunday in October Silver Sunday (UK) and Grandparents' Day (UK)</p> |
| NOVEMBER | <p>1st November: All Saints' Day</p> <p>2nd November: All Souls' Day</p> | <p>International Older Workers' Week</p> <p>Second Sunday in November: Remembrance Sunday</p> |
| DECEMBER | | <p>National Grief Awareness Week</p> |