Easter Ideas to Connect with Your Neighbors

Host an Easter egg hunt for your street.

- Buy some plastic eggs, fill them with candy, and hide them in your yard. Invite the families with kids over to search for the eggs and visit with the parents.
- Take the opportunity to ask your neighbors if they have any plans for Easter Sunday and invite them to our services.

Host an Easter picnic for your street.

- Invite your neighbors over for a potluck picnic. Set up tables and chairs in your driveway, garage, or yard. Provide a main dish and drinks and ask neighbors to bring sides and desserts.
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Grill out and invite your neighbors.

- Keep it simple with things like burgers, hotdogs, bratwursts, or sausages. Have plenty of water and soda on hand and just hang out.
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Invite the kids on your street to decorate cookies.

- Let your kids invite their friends over for an afternoon of Easter cookie decorating. Encourage the parents to say and visit while the kids enjoy their creations.
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Host an outdoor movie night.

- If you have the equipment, pick a family-friendly movie to project on a sheet or the side of your house. Invite neighbors to bring their lawn chairs and enjoy. Don't forget the popcorn!
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Plan a neighborhood scavenger hunt.

- Find a house with a US flag in the yard! Scavenger hunts are fun and easy to put together. Offer a few gift cards as prizes and provide light refreshments so neighbors can hang out and share their experiences.
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Cook soup/chili and invite neighbors over for a bowl.

- It's hard to say no to a delicious bowl of soup or chili. Invite some neighbors over for a casual meal together.
- Take the opportunity to ask your neighbors if they have any plans for Easter Sunday and invite them to our services.

Invite neighbors over to play yard games.

- Cornhole anyone? No need to plan something big. Just set up some games and invite neighbors over for a good time. Offer some cards and board games indoors as well.
- Take the opportunity to ask your neighbors if they have any plans for Easter Sunday and invite them to our services.

Organize an Easter parade for kids on your street.

- Invite families to decorate bikes, trikes, scooters, strollers, etc., and parade down the street while neighbors watch and cheer. Enjoy some light refreshments afterward as you swap photos.
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Deliver handwritten notes to neighbors.

- Who doesn't like getting mail? Use store-bought stationery or make your own. Write some notes of encouragement and deliver them to your neighbors. This is a great way to get your kids involved.
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Host a free car wash on your street.

- If the weather permits, offer to come and wash your neighbor's car. You can even throw in bicycles so kids can have a clean ride for Spring.
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Host a chalk party.

- Turn your driveway into a masterpiece. Purchase plenty of sidewalk chalk and invite families over to draw pictures or write encouraging notes. Serve light refreshments and be sure to take lots of pictures.
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Host a ladies' coffee or tea.

- You have our permission to kick the menfolk out for this one. Keep it simple and classy and serve your favorite hot beverage and snacks as you get to know one another.
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Contact a local school, library, or public facility and offer to spring clean the property.

• This is a good project for a small group and provides a different way to bless your neighborhood. It can be as simple as picking up trash, pulling weeds, or washing those windows nobody likes to touch.