

## Fundraising ideas

# 150<sup>th</sup> Fundraising Challenge

## How much can you raise?

Grow **£150** into **£1500**  
and transform even  
more lives.



Count me in  
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### IDEA #1



**Pub/cafe  
quiz night**

- Contact a venue and host a quiz night
- Donations for entry, and collect for Mothers' Union – run a fun game on the day

# This isn't your usual fundraising. This time, you can spend to raise.

As part of our 150<sup>th</sup> Fundraising Challenge, you receive **£150** in seed funding to grow this into as much as you can – with a target of **£1500** over 12 months!

Here are just a few ideas to get you started:

## IDEA #2



### Organise a sponsored prayer walk

- Choose a meaningful route (e.g. 15km for 150 years)
- Invite sponsorship from friends, family, or congregation
- Divide the walking distance amongst a group of you



Set your target and break it down – don't let the big number scare you!

## IDEA #3



### Recipe book

- Collect recipes to display in a printed or digital book
- Give the recipe book to friends, family or colleagues for a suggested donation

## IDEA #4



### Coffee (and cake) morning

- Invite your community to attend a coffee morning
- Tell attendees or have displays to talk about the work of Mothers' Union and encourage donations

## IDEA #5



### Supper club

- Host a dinner every season
- Build connections and encourage donations – can you get the ingredients donated?

Every pound you raise is a bold step towards changing lives.



## IDEA #6



### Preserve and sell\*

- Buy jars and ingredients
- Sell the preserved goods at markets, your parish and within your community for a donation

\* Don't forget to check food hygiene regulations

## IDEA #7



### Postcard prayers

- Collect prayers or blessings from within your community
- Create packs of postcards and give them for a donation



Think in months, events, or even share the challenge with friends so everyone takes a piece of the goal.



Aim for **£1,500**, but remember – every single penny counts.

## We are with you every step of the way!

You can find all our 150 challenge resources on our website - including important extras like sponsorship forms, Gift Aid declarations and event risk assessment templates, as well as a few fun additions like jam jar labels and bunting for your event!

Visit [mothersunion.org/150](https://mothersunion.org/150) or scan the QR code to get started.

If you need any support to develop your fundraising ideas please contact [fundraising@mothersunion.org](mailto:fundraising@mothersunion.org)



### IDEA #8



#### Host a seasonal afternoon tea

- Ask for an entry donation (e.g. £5–£10), serve tea and cake, add a raffle or quiz to boost donations

### IDEA #10



#### Hold a craft or bake sale

- Offer your homemade jam, chutney, knitted items, cakes or candles for donations
- Great for church coffee mornings or fetes



### IDEA #9



#### Invest in the next generation

- Split your £150 into smaller funds, and engage young people in your community
- Ask them to raise money on your behalf (always work with trusted organisations)

