

Creative Ideas

Once you've grounded your holiday in purpose, you can begin to explore creative ways to build connection, laughter, and warmth—even across miles.



Create a Custom Holiday greeting communicating “You belong with us.” IDEAS:

Ideas for Care Packages with Shared Gifts

IDEAS for what you can send in advance such as 3–4 miniature gifts from different family members, a shared family photo (or a fun collage with each person's individual picture), a note or token related to a shared memory, a “do not open until our call” instruction

Ideas to create a simple musical moment together

IDEAS can include live performance, sing-a-long or even lip-sync!

Fun ideas for themed “Elf Badges” or nametags

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Puzzle boxes or creative packaging

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Food Traditions Delivered to Their Door

IDEA: Send ingredients or gift cards for a shared meal from afar

Memory Sharing Time (live & on FaceTime or ZOOM)

IDEAS: Each person shares a funny holiday memory, a meaningful moment from childhood, a story that has grown “bigger” over time

Holiday Morning Rituals—Reimagined

Ideas to consider: Sharing your breakfast recipe, sending a waffle mix or toppings, doing a “virtual waffle breakfast” together

