

Design Workshop

Creating posters and flyers for your church events and services

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Plan for the session

Shape and size matters

Using Canva

Accessibility of designs

Further training?

Questions?









What can you use Canva for?



What can you use Canva for?

- **Posters**
- Flyers and Leaflets
- Newsletters
- **Video editing**
- Social Media content
- Website graphics
- Presentations
- Photo editing







Creating your design - 1

Choose a template

Choose a design

Change the photo

What are you using the design for?

Does it need to be printed?

Try searching for keywords

Remember that it can be adapted

- Use a stock photo from Canva
- Upload a photo from your church
- Find a church photo from the ACNY resource hub



Creating your design - 2

Change colours

Change fonts

Add elements

Colours or fonts that you regularly use for your church?

Think about **brand** recognition

- Easy to read
- Font effects
- Sentence case
- Uppercase for headings only
- Use Bold and Italic sparingly

Add or remove
Elements like
photos, flourishes,
shapes and graphics

Duplicate elements already used





Creating your design - 3

Save your design

Resize and Reuse

Canva Teams

- Pdf or picture format?
- Where does it save to?
- How do I find it again?

Using Canva Pro to resize your designs quickly

How to resize without **Pro**

Share designs with others from your church team easily







Using Photos

- Use the Canva and Canva Pro stock photos, search in the Elements tab and choose photos.
 - Photos from the Canva library can be used free of charge
- Access the Unsplash library of free images and Church of England specific images:
 - https://www.achurchnearyou.com/hub/free-stockphotography/
- Upload your own photos.
 - Make sure you have permission from anyone in the photo and written consent from parents of children under 16.





Canva Templates - A Church Near You

There are several different image sizes in use on AChurchNearYou.com.

You can find links to the correctly sized Canva Templates on this page:

https://achurchnearyou.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/360002437153-Recommended-image-sizes





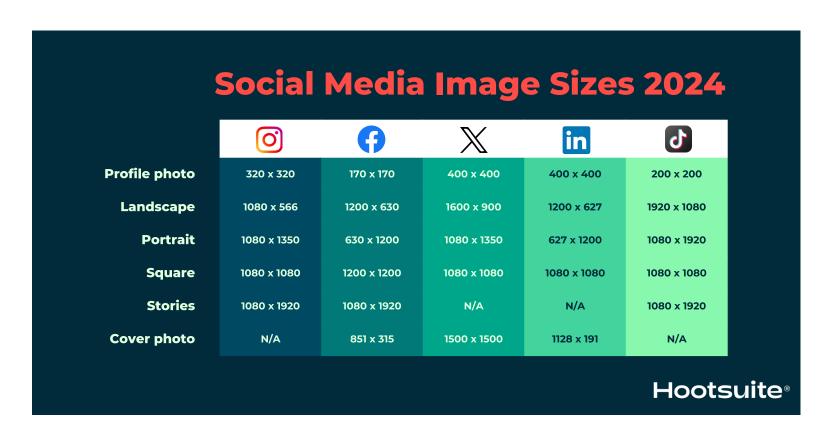


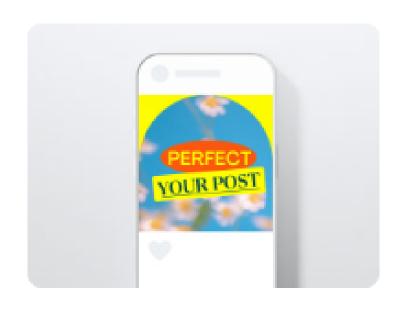


Canva Templates - Social Media

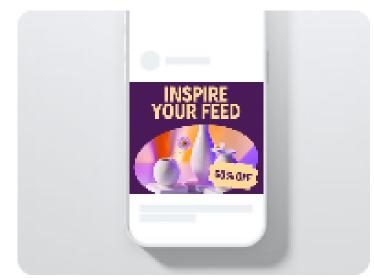












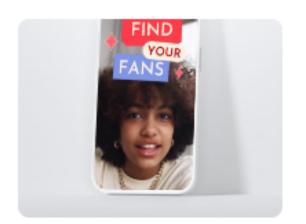
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https://blog.hootsuite.com/social-media-image-sizes-guide/#Quick_social_media_image_sizes

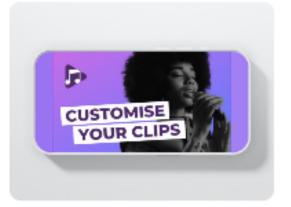




Canva Templates - Videos and more







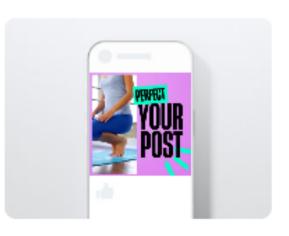
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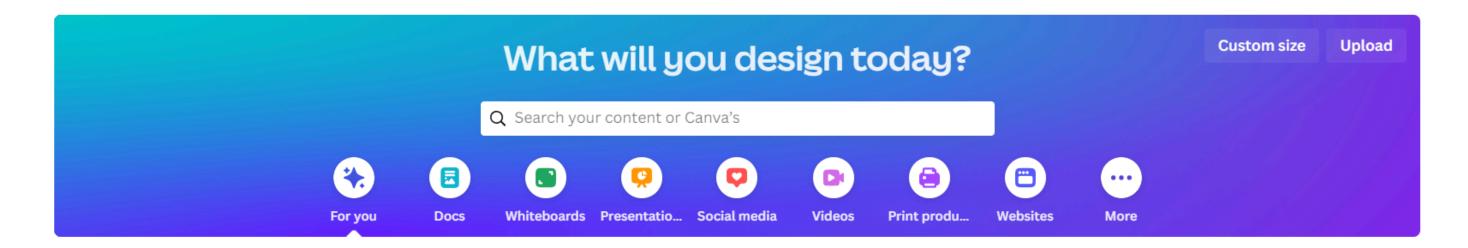
Video



Mobile Video



Facebook Video









Further training

Use the Canva Learn tab at the top of your Canva Home page

Digital Labs webinars

https://www.churchofengland.org/resources/digital-labs/digital-labs-webinars

