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More PIE

please!

National Affirming/PIE Day March 14

PIE: Public. Intentional. Explicit. Those are the standards that guide us when we become Affirming of LGBTQIA and Two Spirit communities.



What is a PIE event?

An event designed by you highlighting how your welcome can be Publicly, Intentionally, and Explicitly inclusive of diverse gender and sexual identities. Your event can include pie, too! Come together online or in person to hear stories and to inspire each other to new ways of offering safer public and sacred spaces.

How?

Decide together on the kind of event that suits your context, and start planning! Here are some ideas.

- Decide on the date: March 14 is preferable but not necessary. Plan sometime that week or weekend.
- Promo materials are available on our website, www.pieday.ca. You can use our PIE videos or other media resources for FREE at your event or to promote your event.
- You could host a discussion panel with special guests, movie night, invite a local queer leader to share their story, fundraise for your local LGBTQ+ organization or QSA, plan a special service and incorporate PIE themes, do a bake sale... the list goes on!
- Tell us about your confirmed event through our event submission form on our websiteand tag us on social media so we can help you spread the word!

Who?

Everyone! You **don't** have to be an Affirming ministry or a faith-based organization. You **do** need to be committed to making your event a celebration of LGBTQIA+ and Two Spirit people and communities, and to making your community a safer space. You can make this faith-focused, interfaith, or community-shared.

National Affirming/PIE Day was co-founded by Affirm United/S'affirmer Ensemble and Affirming Connections





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