



2025–2026 Religious and Cultural Holidays (Page 1)

September

- 7: Grandparents Day
- 22–24: Rosh Hashanah: Jewish New Year*
- 22–Oct. 1: Navaratri: Hindu festival
- 30: Orange Shirt Day (honors Indigenous children taken to boarding schools)

October

- 1–2: Yom Kippur: Jewish Day of Atonement*
- 13: Indigenous Peoples' Day
- 13: Columbus Day
- 6–13: Sukkot, Jewish festival of thanksgiving* (Oct. 13–15: Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah)
- 20: Diwali: Festival of lights for Hindus, Jains and Sikhs
- 22: Birth of the Báb, Bahá'í holy day
- 31: Halloween

November

- 1: All Saints Day: Christian commemoration day
- 1–2: Día de los Muertos in Mexico
- 5: Guru Nanak Dev Sahib Birthday Festival: Sikh festival

December

- 8: Feast of the Immaculate Conception: Roman Catholic holy day
- Dec. 14–22: Hanukkah: Jewish Festival of Lights*
- 25: Christmas: Christian holiday
- Dec. 26–Jan. 1: Kwanzaa: Celebration of African American culture

January

- 1: New Year's Day
- 1: Solemnity of Mary: Roman Catholic holy day
- 6: Epiphany: Christian celebration
- 7: Orthodox Christmas Day
- 27: International Holocaust Remembrance Day

February

- 2: Groundhog Day
- 14: Valentine's Day
- 17: Lunar New Year
- 17: Mardi Gras/Shrove Tuesday: Christian feast
- Feb. 18–April 2: Lent begins with Ash Wednesday (Feb. 18): Christian observance
- Feb. 18–March 19: Ramadan: Muslim holy month ends with Eid-al-Fitr March 19 or 20*
- February 23–April 11: Orthodox Lent

March

- 2–3: Purim: Jewish festival*
- 3: Magha Puja: Buddhist holiday
- 4: Holi: Hindu festival of colors
- 14: Pi Day
- 17: St. Patrick's Day
- 19–20: Eid-al-Fitr: Muslim holiday*
- 21: Bahá'í New Year's Day
- 31: Mahavir Jayanti: Jain festival

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April

- 1: April Fools' Day
- 1-9: Jewish festival of Passover (Pesach). Passover Seder is April 1-2. Concluding days are April 8-9.*
- 3: Good Friday: Christian holiday
- 5: Easter: Christian holiday
- 6: Founding of Mormon Church
- 8: Celebration of Buddha's Birthday
- 12: Orthodox Easter (Pascha)
- 13-14: Yom HaShoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day in Israel)*
- 14-16: Pi Mai Lao (Lao New Year)
- 14: Baisakhi: Sikh festival
- 30: Children's Day (Día Del Niño) in Mexico

May

- 5: Cinco de Mayo: Anniversary of Mexican victory over the French army in 1862.
- 10: Mother's Day
- 14: Ascension: Roman Catholic holy day
- 21-23: Shavuot: Jewish festival*
- 23: Declaration of the Báb: Bahá'í holy day
- 24: Pentecost: Christian observance
- 26-27: Eid al-Adha: Muslim holy day*
- 29: Ascension of the baha'u'llah: Bahá'í holy day

June

- 14: Race Unity Day: Bahá'í observance
- 16-17: Islamic New Year*
- 19: Juneteenth: Freedom Day: Commemorates the emancipation of African Americans in Texas on June 19, 1865.
- 21: Father's Day

July

- 4: Independence Day
- 29: Asalha Puja: Buddhist holy day

August

- 13-15: Obon: Buddhist festival
- 15: Assumption: Roman Catholic holy day
- 16: Krishna Janmashtami: Hindu festival

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- 4: Krishna Janmashtami: Hindu festival

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