



2026-2027 Religious and Cultural Holidays (Page 1)

September

- 13: Grandparents Day
- 11-13: Rosh Hashanah: Jewish New Year*
- 20-21: Yom Kippur: Jewish Day of Atonement*
- 25-Oct. 2: Sukkot, Jewish festival of thanksgiving* (Oct. 2-4: Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah)

October

- 11-19: Navaratri: Hindu festival
- 12: Indigenous Peoples' Day
- 12: Columbus Day
- 31: Halloween

November

- 1: All Saints Day: Christian commemoration day
- 1-2: Día de los Muertos in Mexico
- 8: Diwali: Festival of lights for Hindus, Jains and Sikhs
- 10: Birth of the Báb, Bahá'í holy day
- 24: Guru Nanak Dev Sahib Birthday Festival: Sikh festival

December

- 4-12: Hanukkah: Jewish Festival of Lights*
- 8: Feast of the Immaculate Conception: Roman Catholic holy day
- 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

February

- 2: Groundhog Day
- 6: Lunar New Year
- Feb. 7-March 8: Ramadan: Muslim holy month ends with Eid-al-Fitr March 9 or 10*
- 9: Mardi Gras/Shrove Tuesday: Christian feast
- Feb. 10-March 27: Lent begins with Ash Wednesday (Feb. 10): Christian observance
- 14: Valentine's Day
- 21: Magha Puja: Buddhist holiday

March

- 22-23: Purim: Jewish festival*
- 22: Holi: Hindu festival of colors
- 14: Pi Day
- March 15-May 1: Orthodox Lent
- 17: St. Patrick's Day
- 9-10: Eid-al-Fitr: Muslim holiday*
- 21: Bahá'í New Year's Day
- 26: Good Friday: Christian holiday
- 28: Easter: Christian holiday

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April

- 1: April Fools' Day
- 3–4: Yom HaShoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day in Israel)*
- 8: Celebration of Buddha's Birthday
- 13–16: Pi Mai Lao (Lao New Year)
- 14: Baisakhi: Sikh festival
- 19: Mahavir Jayanti: Jain festival
- 21–29: Jewish festival of Passover (Pesach). Holidays April 22–23 and April 28–29.*
- 30: Children's Day (Día Del Niño) in Mexico

May

- 2: Orthodox Easter (Pascha)
- 5: Cinco de Mayo: Anniversary of Mexican victory over the French army in 1862.
- 6: Ascension: Roman Catholic holy day
- 9: Mother's Day
- 16: Pentecost: Christian observance
- 16–17: Eid al-Adha: Muslim holy day*
- 24: Declaration of the Báb: Bahá'í holy day
- 29: Ascension of the baha'u'llah: Bahá'í holy day

June

- 6: Islamic New Year*
- 10–12: Shavuot: Jewish festival*
- 13: Race Unity Day: Bahá'í observance
- 19: Juneteenth: Freedom Day:
Commemorates the emancipation of African Americans in Texas on June 19, 1865.
- 20: Father's Day
- 20: Orthodox Pentecost

July

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

August

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

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