

2017



# MultiFaith Holidays



2017

<http://multifaithcouncil.org/pages/2017interfaith.pdf>

January							April						
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1	Mary, Mother of God Feast Day of St Basil Gantan-sai (New Year's) Holy Name of Jesus	1	Lazarus Saturday
5	Twelfth Night Guru Gobindh Singh	2	Palm Sunday
6	Epiphany Feast of the Epiphany (Theophany) Dia de los Reyes (Three Kings Day) Nativity of Christ - Armenian	5	Ramanavami **
7	Feast of the Nativity **	9	Palm Sunday
8	Baptism of the Lord Jesus	10	Mahavir Jayanti **
12-15	Mahayana New Year **	11	Lord's Evening Meal Hanuman Jayanti
13	Maghi	11-14	Theravadin New Year **
15	World Religion Day	11-18	Pesach (Passover) *
17	Blessing of the Animals - Hispanic	13	Maundy Thursday
19-25	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity	14	Holy Friday Baisakhi (Vaisakhi) Good Friday
19	Triodion begins Timkat Ethiopian	16	Easter Pascha (Easter)
25	Conversion of St. Paul	21	First Day of Ridvan *
28	Chinese New Year	23	St. George's Day Yom HaShoah *
		24	Lailat al Miraj *
		29	Ninth Day of Ridvan *
		30	St. James the Great Day

  

February							May						
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1	Vasant Panchami **	1	Beltane – Samhain n. and s. hem. Yom Ha'Atzmaut
2	Candlemas - Presentation of Christ in the Temple Imbolc - Lughnassah* n. & s. hem Saint Brigid of Kildare - Celtic	2	Twelfth Day of Ridvan *
3	St. Blaze Day Setsebun sai (beginning of spring)	3	Saints Philip & James
5	Four Chaplains Sunday	4	National Day of Prayer - USA
11	Tu B'Shvat *	10	Visakha Puja - Buddha Day **
12	Triodion	12	Lailat al Bara'ah *
14	St. Valentine's Day	14	Lag B'Omer *
15	Nirvana Day **	23	Declaration of the Bab *
19	Meatfare Sunday	27	Ramadan begins *
25	Maha Shavaratri **	29	Ascension of Bahá'u'lláh*
25-28	Intercalary Ayyám-i-Há	31-Jun	Shavout *
26	Cheese Fare Sunday Transfiguration Sunday	1	Ascension of Jesus
28	Shrove Tuesday		

  

March							June						
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1	St. David of Wales Ash Wednesday	4	Pentecost
2-20	Nineteen Day Fast *	9	St. Columba of Iona - Celtic
5	Orthodox Sunday	11	Trinity Sunday
12	Purim Magha Puja Day **	15	Corpus Christi Saint Vladimir
13	L. Ron Hubbard birthday Holi ** Hola Mohalla	16	Guru Arjan martyrdom
17	St. Patrick's Day	19	New Church Day
19	St. Joseph's Day	21	First Nations Day - Canadian Solstice Litha* n. hem. Yule* s. hem.
20	Ostara * n. hem. Mabon * s. hem.	22	Laylat al Kadr *
21	Norooz (New Year) - Persian Naw-Rúz (New Year) *	23	Sacred Heart of Jesus
25	Annunciation of the Virgin Mary	26-28	Eid al Fitr * - Islam
27	Great Lent begins - Clean Monday	29	Feast Day of Saints Peter and Paul
28	Hindu New Year **		
28 - April 5	Ramayana **		
28	Khordad Sal (Birth of Prophet Zaranhushtra)**		

July							October						
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\* Holy days usually begin at sundown the day before this date.

\*\* Local or regional customs may use a variation of this date.

\*\*\*Christianity lft – rt. General, Catholic, Orthodox, Christian Science  
Mormon, Jehovah's Witness, Rastafarian, Swedeborgian

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**Multifaith Council Supported Activities See updates at [www.multifaithcouncil.org](http://www.multifaithcouncil.org)**

- Dances of Universal Peace, 1<sup>st</sup> Fridays in Ann Arbor Friends, 7-9 PM, contact [jtrautman@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jtrautman@sbcglobal.net)**
- January 21, 2017, Pre-release screening of "Gandhi's Gift" with filmmaker Cynthia Lukas, 7-9:30 PM, at Maumee Indoor Theater <http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=laompdeab&oeidk=a07edk0m9fr0dc52a6b>
- 1-7 February 2015 United Nations **World Interfaith Harmony Week** <http://worldinterfaithharmonyweek.com/> **Clergy/Faith Leader Breakfast** Feb 1 at ICGT
- Spring 16<sup>th</sup> **Annual MultiFaith Banquet**; Summer **MultiFaith Family Picnic**
- 2017 NAIN "Connect" Conference, August 6-10 San Diego, California <http://powayinterfaithteam.com/nain/>
- September 11 - 21 Compassion Games and Peace Day / Harvest Festival**

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Definitions: <http://www.interfaithcalendar.org/calendardefinitions.htm>

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