



MultiFaith Calendar 2020



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✝	1	Mary, Mother of God Feast Day of St Basil Gantan-sai (New Year's) Feast of the Holy Name of Jesus
☪	3	Vasant Panchami **
✝	5	Twelfth Night Guru Gobindh Singh birthday
✝	6	Epiphany Feast of the Epiphany (Theophany) Dia de los Reyes (Three Kings Day) Nativity of Christ - Armenian
✝	7	Feast of the Nativity **
✝	8	Feast of the Holy Family
☸	10-12	Mahayana New Year **
✝	12	Baptism of the Lord Jesus
☪	13	Maghi
✝	17	Blessing of the ^{Animals} - Hispanic
☸	18-25	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
☸	19	World Religion Day
✝	20	Timkat Ethiopian
✝	25	Conversion of St. Paul
☸	28	Tu BiShvat *

☪	2	Ramanavami
☾	3	Laylat al Miraj *
✝	5	Palm Sunday
☪	6	Mahavir Jayanti **
☪	8	Hanuman Jayanti
✝	9	Maundy Thursday
☪	9-11	Theravadin New Year **
☸	9-15	Pesach (Passover) *
✝	10	Good Friday
✝	11	Lazarus Saturday
✝	12	Easter Palm Sunday Lag B/Omer *
☪	14	Baisakhi (Vaisakhi)
✝	17	Holy Friday
✝	19	Pascha (Easter)
☸	20	First Day of Ridvan *
☸	21	Yom HaShoah * Lailat al Bara'ah *
✝	23	St. George's Day
☾	24	Ramadan begins *
☸	28	Ninth Day of Ridvan *
✝	29	Feasts of Saints Peter and Paul Yom Ha'Atzmaut
✝	30	St. James the Great Day

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✝	2	Candlemas - Presentation of Christ in the Temple Imbolc - Lughnassah* n. & s. hem Saint Brigid of Kildare - Celtic Four Chaplains Sunday
✝	3	St. Blaze Day Setsebun sai (beginning of spring)
☪	5	Chinese New Year
☪	8	Nirvana Day **
✝	9	Triodion begins
✝	12	Triodion
✝	14	St. Valentine's Day
☪	15	Nirvana Day **
☪	22	Maha Shivaratri **
✝	23	Meatfare Sunday Transfiguration Sunday
✝	25	Shrove Tuesday
☸	26-29	Intercalary Ayyám-i-Há Ash Wednesday - Lent begins

☪	1	Beltane - Samhain n. and s. hem. 12th Day of Ridvan *
✝	3	Saints Philip & James
☪	7	Visakha Puja - Buddha Day ** National Day of Prayer - USA
✝	21	Ascension of Jesus
☸	23	Declaration of the Bab *
☸	28	Ascension of Bahá'u'lláh*
☸	29-30	Shavuot *
✝	31	Pentecost

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✝	1	St. David of Wales Cheese Fare Sunday
☸	1 - 19	Nineteen Day Fast *
✝	2	Clean Monday - Great Lent begins
☪	3	Hindu New Year ** varies
✝	8	Orthodox Sunday
☪	9	Magha Puja Day **
☪	10	Holi ** Purim Hola Mohalla
☪	13	L. Ron Hubbard birthday
✝	17	St. Patrick's Day
✝	19	St. Joseph's Day Lord's Evening Meal
☸	20	Ostara * n. hem. Mabon * s. hem. Naw-Rúz (New Year)
☪	21	Norooz (New Year) - Persian
✝	25	Annunciation of the Virgin Mary
☪	25-4/2	Ramayana
☪	28	Khordad Sal (Birth of Prophet Zaranushtra)**

☾	1	Laylat al Kadr *
☾	5-7	Eid al Fitr *
✝	7	Pentecost Trinity Sunday
✝	9	St. Columba of Iona - Celtic
✝	11	Corpus Christi
✝	14	All Saints
✝	15	Saint Vladimir Day
☪	16	Guru Arjan martyrdom
✝	19	Sacred Heart of Jesus New Church Day
☪	21	Litha* n. hem. Yule* s. hem. Solstice
☪	22	First Nations Day Canada
✝	29	Feast Day of Saints Peter and Paul

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										☪	17-24	Navaratri **			29	Mawlid an Nabi *															
										☪	18	St. Luke, Apostle & Evangelist			31	All Hallows Eve Reformation Day ** - Protestant															
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22				☪	6	Transfiguration of the Lord			14	Diwali - Deepavali **						22	23	24	25	26	27	28			
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										☪	20	New Year - Hijra *			24	Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahdur															
										☪	22	Ganesh Chaturthi **			25	Day of the Covenant *															
										☪	29	Behheading of St. John the Baptist Ashura *			Int	26	Thanksgiving- USA														
										☪	29				☪	27	Ascension of 'Abdu'l-Baha *														
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										☪	30	St. Andrew's Day Guru Nanak Dev Sahib birthday			☪	30	Saint Nicholas Day														

September													December																
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										☪	27	Meskel - Ethiopian			21	Yule													
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										☪	29	Michael and All Angels			☪	24	Christmas Eve												
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													☪	26	St Stephen's Day														
													☪	27	Saint John - Apostle and Evangelist														
													☪	28	Holy Innocents														
													☪	30	Holy Family														
													☪	31	Watch Night														



* 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, Swedenborgian

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