















FAITHS	January	February	March	April	May	June	
BAHA'I	21 World Religion Day		20 Naw-Ruz	20-1 May Ridvan 28 9th day of Ridvan	23 Declaration of the Bab 28 The Ascension of Baha'u'llah		
BUDDHIST	1 Shuso (New Year) 16 Shinran Memorial Day 25 Honen Memorial Day 30 Sonam Losar (Nepal)	12 Magha Puja 8 or 15 Parinirvana *	20 Higan	8 Hanamatsuri	12 Vesakha Puja Buddha Day 15 Buddha's B.day		
CHINESE	7 Labajie (Laba Festival) 29 Tuan Yuan / Chun Jie (New Year: Snake)	12 Yuanxiaojie (Lantern Festival)		4 Qingmingjie Tomb Sweeping Day	31 Duanwujie/ Dragon Boat Festival		
CHRISTIAN	1 Naming of Jesus / Circumcision / Mary Mother of God 6 Epiphany [Ang/RC] 6 Theophany [3] 6/7 Christmas Eve/Day [3] 12 Baptism of Christ [Ang] 12 Baptism of the Lord [RC] 18-25 Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 25 Conversion of St. Paul	2 Pres. of Christ in the Temple / Candlemas 14 St. Valentine	1 St David 1 World Day of Prayer 3 Great Lenten Fast begins [3] 4 Shrove Tuesday 5 Ash Wednesday 5 Lent begins [to 17 April] 17 St Patrick 19 St Joseph [RC] 25 Annunciation [Ang/[3]/RC] 30 Mothering Sunday	6 Passion Sunday 13 Palm Sunday 17 Maundy Thursday 18 Good Friday 19 Holy Saturday 20 Easter Sunday 20 Pascha [3] 23 St George	11-17 Christian Aid Week 29 Ascension Day 29 Ascension Day [RC]	8 Pentecost / Whit 15 Trinity Sunday 19 Corpus Christi Body & Blood of Christ [RC] 27 Sacred Heart [RC] 29 St. Peter and Paul	
HINDU	12 Birthday of Swami Vivekananda 13 Lohri 14 Makar Sankranti / Pongal	2 Vasant Panchami/ Saraswati Puja 26 Mahashivratri	14/15 Holi	6 Rama Navami 12 Hanuman Jayanti 14 Tamil New Year		27 Ratha Yatra	
JAIN	28 Nirvana Day		14/15 Holi	10 Mahavir Jayanti			
JAPANESE	1 Ganjitsu (New Year)	3 Setsubun (Bean Scattering) 23 Emperor's birthday	3 Hinamatsuri 17-23 Higan 20 Shūbun No Hi				
JEWISH [1]	26 Dec (24)- 2 Jan Hannukah	13 Tu B'Shevat	14 Purim	13-20 Pesach 24 Yom Hashoah	1 Yom Ha'Atzma'ut 16 Lag B'Omer	2-3 Shavuot	
MUSLIM [2]	27 The Prophet's Night Journey [Isra and Mi'raj]	14 The Night of Forgiveness [Lailat-ul-Bara'ah]	1 - 30 Ramadan 27 Lailat-ul-Qadr: Night of Power 30 End of Ramadan 30 Eid-ul-Fitr*			5-9 Hajj begins 7 Eid-ul-Adha 15 Eid-ul-Ghadir 26 Al-Hijra (1447)	
RASTAFARIAN	6/7 Ethiopian Christmas Day			20 Easter Day [3]			
SIKH	6 Birthday of Guru Gobind Singh 13 Lohri		14-16 Hola Mohalla	14 Vaisakhi/ Baisakhi		16 Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev	
ZOROASTRIAN [PARSEE]	30 Jashn-e-Sadeh [IZ]		11-20 Fravardigan [IZ] 21 Jamsheh Noruz [IZ] 22 Ava Mah Parab [S] 26 Khordad Sal [IZ]	20 Adar Mah Parab [S]	22 Zartosht-no-Diso [S]		
PAGAN / DRUID [4]		1 Imbolc/Candlemas	20 Vernal (Spring) Equinox (Ostara / Alban Eilir)	30 May Eve 30 Beltaine Eve	1 May Day / Beltaine	21 Midsummer Solstice / Litha / Alban Hefin	
Some Other Notable Dates	1 New Year's Day / Hogmanay 21 World Religion Day 27 Holocaust Memorial Day	14 St Valentine's Day	1 St David's Day 17 St Patrick's Day 25 Lady Day	23 St George's Day	1 May Day	21 World Humanist Day 24 Midsummer Day	

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BAHA'I	9 Martyrdom of the Bab			22 The Birth of the Bab 23 The Birth of Baha'u'llah	25 Day of the Covenant 27 Ascension of Abdu'l-Bahá		
BUDDHIST	10 Asalha Puja / Dhamma Day 11 Entry to the Vassa		23 Higan	7 Pavarana Day	5 Anapansati Day 6 Loy Krathong	8 Bodhi Day	
CHINESE		29 Qixi - Double Seventh Festival 29 Herd Boy and Weaver Girl	6 Hungry Ghost Festival 28 Confucius' Birthday	6 Rabbit in the Moon Festival 29 Double Ninth Festival			
CHRISTIAN		15 Blessed Virgin Mary 15 Assumption of the B. Virgin Mary [RC] 15 Dormition [3] (Julian) 15 Dormition of the Mother of God [3] 19 Transfiguration [3]	Harvest Festival [Date Varies]	Harvest Festival [Date Varies] 31 All Hallows' Eve	1 All Saints' Day 2 All Souls' Day 30 St Andrew 30 Advent Sunday	8 Immaculate Conception [RC] 24 Christmas Eve 25 Christmas Day	
HINDU		9 Raksha Bandhan 15-16 Janamashtami / Krishna Jayanti 26-27 Ganesh Chaturthi	22-1 Oct Navaratri 30 Durgashtami	2 Gandhi Jayanti 2 Dussehra 21 Divali / Deepavali 22 Govardhan Puja (Gujarat New Year)			
JAIN		9 Raksha Bandhan 21-28 Paryushan Parva 24 Samvatsari		21 Divali 21 Mahavir Nirvana			
JAPANESE	13-15 O-Bon (Tokyo)	13-15 O-Bon (Japan)	21-25 Higan 23 Shūbun No Hi		15 Shichi-Go-San	31 Omisoka	
JEWISH [1]		3 Tisha B'Av	23-24 Rosh Hashanah	2 Yom Kippur 7-13 Sukkot 14 Shemini Atzeret 15 Simchat Torah		15-22 Hanukah	
MUSLIM [2]	6 Ashura		27 Birthday of the Prophet Muhammad [Milad un Nabi]				
RASTAFARIAN	23 Birthday of Haile Selassie I		11 Ethiopian New Year's Day		2 Anniversary of the Crowning of Haile Selassie I		
SIKH			1 Installation of the Guru Granth Sahib in the Harmandir Sahib in Amritsar	6 Conferring of Guruship on Guru Granth Sahib in 1708 CE 20 Bandi Chhor Divas 21 Divali	5 Birthday Guru Nanak 24 Martyrdom Guru Tegh Bahadur	21 Martyrdom Sahibzada Ajit Singh & Sahibzada Jujhar Singh 26 Martyrdom Sahibzada Zorawar Singh & Sahibzada Fateh Singh	
ZOROASTRIAN [PARSEE]	1 Jashn-e-Tirgan [IZ] 6-15 Fravardigan [K] 16 Navroze [K] 21 Khordad Sal [K]	5-14 Fravardigan / Muktdad [S] 15 Navroze [S] 20 Khordad Sal [S]	1 Fravardin Mah Parab [S]	1 Jashn-e-Mehergan [IZ]		26 Zaratosh-no-Diso [IZ]	
PAGAN / DRUID [4]		1 Lammas / Lughnasadh	22 Autumn Equinox [Mabon / Alban Elued]	31 Hallowe'en 31 Winter Nights 31 Samhain / Samhuinn		21 Yule [Wiccan/Pagan] 21 Winter Solstice AlbanArthan / Alban Arthuan	
Some Other Notable Dates			29 Michaelmas	12-19 Interfaith Week of Prayer for World Peace	9 Remembrance Sunday 9-16 Interfaith Week 30 St Andrew's Day	10 Human Rights Day 31 Hogmanay	
Own Dates							

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