

Multicultural and Religious Holiday Calendar 2026/2027

We urge our volunteers and staff to schedule events respectfully, with attention to the religious and cultural holidays that are celebrated in our diverse council.

Note: Some holidays do not fall on the same date each year, and that this list is not exhaustive; individual practices may vary.

August 2026

8/8: Raksha Bandhan (Hindu)
8/10: International Day of the
World's Indigenous Peoples
8/12: International Youth Day
8/26: Women's Equality Day



September 2026

National Hispanic Heritage Month

9/4: Krishna Janmashtami
(Hindu)
9/7: Labor Day
9/11-13: Rosh Hashanah (Jewish)
9/20-21: Yom Kippur (Jewish)
9/25-10/2: Sukkot (Jewish)

October 2026

Global Diversity Awareness Month
National Disability Awareness Month
Filipino American Heritage Month
Filipino American History Month
German American Heritage Month
Italian American Heritage Month
LGBTQ History Month
Polish American Heritage Month

10/2-3: Shemini Atzeret (Jewish)
10/3-4: Simchat Torah (Jewish)
10/10: World Mental Health Day
10/11-20: Navarati (Hindu)
10/12: Indigenous Peoples' Day



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10/20: Dussehra (Hindu)
10/31: Halloween

November 2026

*National American Indian & Alaskan
Native Heritage Month*



11/1: All Saints' Day (Christian)
11/1-2: Day of the Dead (Roman
Catholic)
11/8: Diwali (Hindu, Jain, Sikh)
11/11: Veteran's Day
11/20: World Children's Day
11/26: Thanksgiving
11/27: Native American Heritage
Day

December 2026

12/3: International Day of Persons
with Disabilities
12/4-12: Hanukkah (Jewish)
12/8: Bodhi Day (Buddhist)
12/10: Human Rights Day
12/16-24: Las Posadas (Christian)
12/21- 1/1: Yule (Pagan)
12/24: Christmas Eve
12/25: Christmas
12/26- 1/1: Kwanzaa

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January 2027

Poverty in America Awareness Month

- 1/1: New Year's Day
- 1/1: Global Family Day (World Peace Day)
- 1/7: Christmas (Orthodox Christian)
- 1/14: New Year (Orthodox Christian)
- 1/17: World Religion Day (Bahá'í)
- 1/18: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- 1/22: Mahayana New Year (Buddhist)
- 1/22-23: Tu Bishvat (Jewish)



February 2027

Black History Month

- 2/2: Groundhog Day
- 2/6: Lunar New Year
- 2/7-3/8: Ramadan (Muslim)
- 2/9: Mardi Gras
- 2/10: Ash Wednesday (Christian)
- 2/14: Valentine's Day
- 2/15: President's Day
- 2/20: World Day of Social Justice
- 2/21: International Mother Language Day
- 2/21: Makha Bucha Day (Buddhism)

March 2027

Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month

Women's History Month

Irish American Heritage Month

- 3/6-7: Maha Shivratri (Hindu)
- 3/8: International Women's Day
- 3/9-10: Eid al-Fitr (Muslim)
- 3/17: St. Patrick's Day
- 3/20: Nowruz (Persian)
- 3/21: International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination
- 3/22-23: Purim (Jewish)
- 3/22: Holi (Hindu)
- 3/26: Good Friday (Christian)
- 3/28: Easter (Christian)



April 2027

Arab American Heritage Month

Autism Acceptance Month

Month of the Military Child

National Volunteer Month

- 4/13-15: South and Southeastern Solar New Year
- 4/14: Vaisakhi (Sikh)
- 4/21-29: Pesach/Passover (Jewish)
- 4/22: Earth Day
- 4/30: Good Friday (Orthodox Christian)



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May 2026

Asian Pacific American Heritage Month

Haitian Heritage Month

Jewish American Heritage Month

Better Hearing and Speech Month



5/1: May Day/Labor Day

5/2: Easter (Orthodox Christians)

5/3-4: Yom HaShoah (Jewish)

5/5: Cinco de Mayo

5/9: Mother's Day

5/15: International Day of Families

5/16-17: Eid al-Adha (Muslim)

5/21: World Day for Cultural Diversity

5/25: Africa Day

5/31: Memorial Day

June 2026

Caribbean American Heritage Month

Pride Month

6/10-12: Shavuot (Jewish)

6/14: Flag Day

6/19: Juneteenth

6/20: World Refugee Day

6/20: Father's Day

July 2024

Disability Pride Month

7/4: Independence Day

