2024
SPECIAL OBSERVANCE CALENDAR

RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS - PUBLIC FAST - CEREMONIAL MEALS

JUDAISM	Begins	Ends
Fast of Esther*	March-21	March-21
Purim +	March-23	March-24
Fast of Firstborn*	April-22	April-22
Passover +	April-22	April-30
Shavuot +	June-11	June-13
Fast of the 17th of Tammuz*	July-23	July-23
The 9th of Av*	August-12	August-13
Rosh Hashanah +	October-2	October-4
Fast of Gedaliah*	October-6	October-6
Yom Kippur* +	October-11	October-12
Sukkot+	October-16	October-23
Shemini Atzeret & Simchat Torah +	October-23	October-25
Chanukah	Dec-25	January-2
Fast of Tevet 10*	January-10	January-10

ISLAM	Begins	Ends
Ramadan*	March-12	April-10
Eid-Al-Fitr**	April-10	April-11
Eid-Al-Adha	June-16	June-17

ASATRU, DRUID, PAGAN, ODINIST, WICCA**	Begins	Ends
Ostara-Spring Equinox	March-20	March-20
Beltane	May-1	May-1
Odin-Fall Equinox	Sept-22	Sept-22
Freyfaxi	August-19	August-19
Winter Nights^*	October-1	November-15
Samhain	October-31	October-31
Yule-Winter Solstice	Dec-21	Dec-21

BUDDHISM	Begins	Ends
Buddha Day	April-8	April-8
Losar- New Year	February-10	February-10

CATHOLIC/PROTESTANT	Begins	Ends
Easter	March-31	March-31
Christmas	Dec-25	Dec-25
Ash Wednesday	February-26	February-26
Good Friday	March-29	March-29

LDS	Begins	Ends
Pioneer Day	July-24	July-24

NATIVE AMERICAN	Begins	Ends
POW WOW +	TBD	TBD
Spirit Run	TBD	TBD
Change of Seasons	TBD	TBD

JEHOVAH WITNESSES	Begins	Ends
Memorial of Jesus' Death	March-24	March-24

CEREMONIAL MEALS

Buddhism	TBD
Islam	June-24
Judaism	April-24
Wiccan	TBD
Odinist/Asatru	TBD
Native American	TBD

Religious accommodations for the observance of holidays, meals, fasts, and other occasions listed on this calendar may be accommodated for by Religious Services. Deadlines and instructions for sign-ups vary. Contact your Chaplain for more information.

*Holidays that requiring fasting.
+ Work proscription refers to RS fasting and meals calendar – 2024.
^ Limit 9 days
**Gathering will be celebrated closest to the date possible.