

RELIGIOUS FESTIVALS FOR JUNE 2016

Key dates:

Lunar month begins 4 Jun.

Full Moon is 20 Jun. (Festivals for the full moons are highlighted)

June	Christianity	Islam and inter-faith days ¹	Hinduism	Buddhism	Taosim	Judaism
Gemini 6.5 'Grain Full' 7 'Corn Ripens' Solstice (20)	Ascension of Jesus-orthodox (1) Sacred heart of Jesus (3) Ascension of Jesus-orthodox (9) Pentecost-orthodox (19) All Saints-orthodox (26) Feast Day of Saints Peter and Paul (29)	Ramadan (7) Guru Arjan martyrdom (16) [Sk] First Nations Day [Canadian indigenous people] (20) Litha/Yule (20) [P]	01 Aparā Ekadashi 02 Pradosh Vrat 03 Masik Shivaratri, Masik Karthigai 04 Jyeshtha Amavasya, Darsha-Bhavuka Amavasya, Shani Jayanti, Vat Savitri Vrat 05 Rohini Vrat 06 Chandra Darshan 07 Maharana Pratap Jayanti 08 Vinayaka Chaturthi 09 Skanda Sashti 12 Masik Durgashtami, Dhumavati Jayanti 13 Mahesh Navami 14 Ganga Dussehra, Mithuna Sankranti 15 Gayatri Jayanti 16 Nirjala Ekadashi, Ramalakshmana Dwadashi 17 Pradosh Vrat 19 Vat Purnima Vrat, Purnima Upavas 20 Jyeshtha Purnima, Kabirdas	Mindfulness Day (4) [Zen] Shakyamuni Day (5) [NM] Tara Puja (12) Daka Day (14) Saka Dawa (20) Amitabha Day (20) Dakini Day (30)	Children's Day (1) [modern holiday] Horse month (4) Dragon Boat Festival (9) Rain Festival (17)	Shavuot (13,13)

			Jayanti, Longest Day of Year 21 Ashadha Begins *North 23 Sankashti Chaturthi 27 Kalashtami 30 Yogini Ekadashi			
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¹ Key to abbreviations: Sh=Shinto/P=Pagan/I=Interfaith/Sk=Sikh/B=Baha'i /Z=Zoroastrian/J=Jain