

Academic Year Religious Observances

Fall 2015

September 13 - 15	Rosh Hashanah* – <i>Judaism</i>
September 22 - 23	Yom Kippur* – <i>Judaism</i>
September 22 - 26	Eid-al-Adha* – <i>Muslim</i>
September 27 – October 4	Sukkot* – <i>Judaism</i>
October 4 - 5	Shemini Atzeret - <i>Judaism</i>
October 5 - 6	Simchat Torah - <i>Judaism</i>
October 13 - 14	Al-Hijra / Muharram* (Islamic New Year) – <i>Muslim</i>
November 1	All Saints Day – <i>Catholic & Protestant Christianity</i>
November 11	Diwali – <i>Hinduism</i>
December 8	Immaculate Conception – <i>Catholic Christianity</i> Bodhi Day – <i>Buddhism</i>
December 6 - 14	Hanukkah* (8 days) – <i>Judaism</i>
December 25	Christmas - <i>Catholic & Protestant Christianity</i>

Spring 2016

January 7	Orthodox Christmas – <i>Orthodox Christianity</i>
February 10	Ash Wednesday – <i>Catholic & Protestant Christianity</i>
March 20	<i>Palm Sunday Catholic & Protestant Christianity</i>
March 23 - 24	Purim* – <i>Judaism</i>
March 25	Good Friday - <i>Catholic & Protestant Christianity</i>
March 27	Easter- <i>Catholic & Protestant Christianity</i>
April 22 – 30	Passover* – <i>Judaism</i>
May 1	Easter – <i>Orthodox Christianity</i>
June 6	Ramadan begins* (30 days) – <i>Muslim</i>
July 6 - 9	Eid-al-Fitr (end of Ramadan) – <i>Muslim</i>

*Begins at sundown