

# Select Major Religious Observances

## 2023-2024 Academic Year

Members of the Emory community observe many diverse religious holidays. Please use the below calendar as a reference when planning events, major academic milestones, and other activities - please note, this is not an inclusive list. By considering and respecting major religious observances, we create a more inclusive and supportive community. You can review the [University's Religious Accommodation Policy \(10.17\)](#) - if you have questions or need consultation, email [religiouslife@emory.edu](mailto:religiouslife@emory.edu)

### Fall

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Rosh Hashanah (Judaism)	September 15 through September 17, 2023 after nightfall
Yom Kippur (Judaism)	September 24 through September 25, 2023 after nightfall
Sukkot (Judaism)	September 29 through October 1, 2023 after nightfall
Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah (Judaism)	October 6 through October 8, 2023 after nightfall
Diwali Hinduism	November 12, 2023

### Winter

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Chanukah (Judaism)	December 7 through day December 15, 2023
Christmas (Christianity)	December 25, 2023
Orthodox Christmas Orthodox (Christianity)	January 7, 2024
Ash Wednesday (Christianity)	February 14, 2024

### Spring

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Ramadan (Islam)	March 10 through day April 8, 2024
Purim (Judaism)	March 23 through day March 24, 2024
Holi (Hinduism)	March 25, 2024
Good Friday (Christianity)	March 29, 2024
Easter (Christianity)	March 31, 2024
Eid al-Fitr (Islam)	April 9 through day April 10, 2024
Passover, first two days (Judaism)	April 22 through April 24, 2024 after nightfall
Passover, last two days (Judaism)	April 28 through April 30, 2024 after nightfall
Orthodox Easter Orthodox (Christianity)	May 5, 2024

### Summer

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Shavuot (Judaism)	June 11 through June 13, 2024 after nightfall
Eid al-Adha (Islam)	June 16 through day June 17, 2024