



# World Holidays

## April–June 2018

A guide to dates when businesses around the world may be closed for a holiday observance. UPS holidays by country are available at [ups.com](http://ups.com).

### APRIL

**2 Easter Monday** — Celebrated in many predominantly Christian nations, including Australia, Belgium, Croatia, Curacao, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom. **Veterans Day** — Argentina.

**4 Children's Day** — Taiwan.

**5 Ching Ming Festival (Tomb-Sweeping Day)** — China (three days), Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan.

**6 Chakri Day** — Thailand. **Orthodox Good Friday** — Bulgaria, Cyprus, Greece, Slovakia. **Passover ends** — Israel.

**9 Orthodox Easter Monday** — Bulgaria, Cyprus, Greece, Romania, Slovakia.

**11 Juan Santamaria Day** — Costa Rica.

**13 Songkran Festival (four days)** — Thailand.

**18 Independence Day** — Zimbabwe.

**19 Independence Day** — Israel, Venezuela.

**25 AN ZAC Day** — Australia, New Zealand. **Liberation Day** — Italy, Portugal.

**27 Day of Uprising** — Slovenia. **Freedom Day** — South Africa. **King's Day** — Aruba, Bonaire, Curacao, Saba, St. Eustatius.



Romans will celebrate Italy's Republic Day on June 2 near Il Vittoriano.

### MAY

**1 Labor/May Day** — Observed in more than 100 nations.

**3 Constitution Day** — Japan.

**4 Greenery Day** — Japan.

**7 Bank holiday** — Ireland, United Kingdom. **Children's Day (obs.)** — South Korea.

**8 St. George's Day & Army Day** — Bulgaria.

**9 Victory Day** — Russia, Ukraine.

**10 Ascension Day** — Observed in more than 30 nations.

**14 Independence Day (two days)** — Paraguay. **Resurrection Day** — Colombia.

**18 Flag Day** — Haiti.

**19 Youth and Sports Day** — Turkey.

**20 Shavuot** — Israel.

**21 Discovery Day** — Cayman Islands. **Navy Day** — Chile. **Victoria Day** — Canada. **Whit Monday** — Observed in more than 30 nations, including Anguilla,

Antigua, Barbados, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Switzerland.

**22 Buddha's Birthday** — Hong Kong, Macau, South Korea.

**24 Bermuda Day** — Bermuda. **Literature Day** — Bulgaria.

**25 Revolution Day** — Argentina.

**28 Bank holiday** — United Kingdom. **Memorial Day (obs.)** — United States and territories. **Rusalii's Day** — Romania. **Trinity Day** — Ukraine.

**29 Vesak/Wisakha Day** — Indonesia, Singapore, Thailand.

**30 Anguilla Day** — Anguilla. **Indian Arrival Day** — Trinidad & Tobago.

**31 Corpus Christi** — Observed in many predominantly Christian nations, including Austria, Bolivia, Brazil, Croatia, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Haiti, Monaco, Poland, Portugal, St. Lucia, Trinidad & Tobago.

### JUNE

**1 Children's Day** — Romania. **Labor Day** — Bahamas. **Madaraka Day** — Kenya.

**2 Republic Day** — Italy.

**4 Bank holiday** — Ireland. **Corpus Christi** — Colombia. **Queen's Birthday** — New Zealand.

**5 Constitution Day** — Denmark.

**6 Memorial Day** — South Korea.

**7 Sette Giugno** — Malta.

**11 Queen's Birthday** — Australia. **Sacred Heart** — Colombia. **Sovereign's Birthday** — Anguilla.

**12 Independence Day** — Philippine. **Paz del Chaco Day** — Paraguay. **Russia Day** — Russia.

**14 Ramadan Festival Eve (half day)** — Turkey.

**15 Eid al-Fitr (end of Ramadan; duration varies by country)\*** — Observed in most predominantly Islamic nations.

**16 Youth Day** — South Africa.

**18 Dragon Boat Festival** — China, Hong Kong, Macau, Taiwan. **National Heroes Day** — Bermuda. **Queen's Birthday** — Cayman Islands.

**19 Labor Day** — Trinidad & Tobago. **Revolution Day** — Nicaragua.

**20 Immortality of General Belgrano** — Argentina. **Solstice** — Anguilla.

**21 Aymara New Year** — Bolivia.

**22 Anti-Fascist Struggle Day** — Croatia.

**23 National Day** — Luxembourg. **Victory Day** — Estonia.

**25 Statehood Day** — Croatia.

**28 Constitution Day** — Ukraine. **Sts. Peter and Paul Day** — Malta, Peru (two days).

\*Lunar calendar holiday (may vary by country)