



World Holidays

March–May 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.

MARCH

2 James Ronald Webster's Birthday — *Anguilla.*

5 Hamilton Lavity Stoutt Birthday — *British Virgin Islands.*

8 International Women's Day — *Angola, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Cambodia, Congo, Eritrea, Guinea-Bissau, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Laos, Macedonia, Moldova, Nepal, Russia, Turkmenistan, Uganda, Ukraine, Uzbekistan.*

9 National Heroes Day — *Belize.*

12 Commonwealth Day — *British Virgin Islands, Turks & Caicos.*

19 St. Patrick's Day (obs.) — *Ireland, Montserrat.*

20 Birthday of Benito Juarez — *Mexico.* Feast of San José — *Colombia, Malta.*

24 Truth and Justice Day — *Argentina.*

29 Holy Thursday — *Celebrated in many predominantly Christian nations.*

30 Good Friday — *Observed in more than 85 predominantly Christian nations. Passover (begins at sundown) — Israel.*

31 Freedom Day — *Malta.*

APRIL

2 Easter Monday — *Celebrated in many predominantly Christian nations, including Australia, Belgium, Croatia, Curacao, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy,*



Celebration of Buddha Day, May 29, at Borobudur, Indonesia, the world's largest Buddhist temple.

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.*

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.*

*Lunar calendar holiday (may vary by country)