MAJOR JEWISH HOLIDAYS 2024

January

Tu B'shvat **Festival of Trees** Thurs 25th January

February



June

Purim

March



Festival of Lots Sun 24^h March

April

Pesach

Passover, the Feast of Unleavened Bread

Tuesday 23rd - Wed 24th April Thurs 25th - Sun 28th April Mon 29th - Tues 30th April

May



Festival of Weeks - commemorates the giving of the Torah at Mount Sinai

Wed 12th - Thurs 13th June





August

Tish'a B'Av

The Ninth of Av, fast commemorating the destruction of the two Temples

Tues 13th Aug

September



October

Rosh Hashana - The Jewish New Year Thurs 3rd - Fri 4th October Yom Kippur - Day of Atonement Sat 12th October Sukkot - Feast of Tabernacles Thurs 17th - Fri 18th October Sat 19th - Wed 23rd October Shmini Atzeret - 8th Day of Assembly Thursday 24th October Simchat Torah - Day of Celebrating the Torah Fri 25th October

November



December



Chanukah The Jewish festival of rededication, also known as the Festival of Lights

Thurs 26th December -Thurs 2nd Jan

Holidays begin at sundown on the evening before the date specified. Dates in bold are yom tov, so they have similar obligations and restrictions to Shabbat in the sense that normal "work" is forbidden.

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