

January



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
27	28	29	30	31	01 • New Year	02
03	04	05 • World Braille Day	06 • Epiphany day	O7 Orthodox Christmas Popular festival with giant bonfire in Novoli - Puglia	08	09
10	• Independence Manifesto Day, Marocco	12 • Yennayer- Berber New Year	13	• Orthodox New Year • Day of the Jasmine Revolution - Tunisia	• International recognition day - Slovenia and Croatia	16
• Celebration of the Libyan Revolution • Popular Feast of Sant Antonio, Naples Spanish Quarters	18	19	20	21	22 • Automobile Rally Principality of Monaco	23
• International Day of Education	25 • Revolution Day - Egypt	26	27 International Holocaust Remembrance Day	28	29	• Muslim Feast of the Three Holy Hierarchs
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February



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
31	01 • Universal Women's Suffrage 1945 - Italy	02 • World Wetlands Day	03 • Fraternity D, Egypt	• World Day of Human Fraternity • World Cancer Day	05	06 International Day Against Female Genital Mutilation
07 • Death of the Poet France Preseren - • National Day of Culture - Slovenia	08	09 • Patron Saint Paul Shipowreck Day - Malta	• Start of the Spanish Carnival • International day of legumes	11 • for Women and Girls in Science	12	• World Radio Day • Beginning of the Carnival, Italy
14 • Valentine's Day	• Law 66 of 1996, Italy: rape becomes a crime against the person and not against public morality - Italy	16	• Giordano Bruno dies burned at the stake - Italy	18	19	20 • World Day of Social Justice
• International Mother Language Day	22 • Sahara Marathon - Algeria	23	• Shrove Thursday Carnival - Italy • Carnevalone Liberation of Poggio Mirteto from the Papal State - Italy • Carnival of Mamoiada Sardinia	25	26 • Rijeka Carniva - Croatia	27 • Civil Protection Day, Turkey
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March



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
28	• Day against Discrimination • Independence day of Bosnia - Herzegovina • Shrove Tuesday, Carnival	• Ash Wednesday - Beginning of Catholic Lent	03 • World Nature Day	04	05	06
07	• Women's Rights Day • Day of the Syrian Revolution	• Teachers' Day - Lebanon • Martyrs Day - Egypt	10 • International Day of Women Judges	11	12 • National Anthem Day, Turkey	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	0
Dita e Verës Spring Festival - Albania Doctors Day, Turkey	• Las Fallas Festival, Valencia, Spain	Women's Day - Egypt Purim Jewish Carnival	• Purim Jewish Carnival	Third age week, Turkey Sant Jseph, Malta Oay of the battle of Çanakkale, Turkey	Father's Day Popular Feast of the Tables of San Giuseppe, Puglia Liberation Day of Taba, Egypt Night of Repentance, Turkey	Spring equinox International Happiness Day Independence day, Tunisia
• Nawroz - Kurdish New Year • International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination • World Poetry Day •World Down Syndrome Day	• International Water Day • Day of the Sultan Nevrz, Albania	23 • International Day of Meteorology	• International Day of the Right to Truth in connection with serious violations of Human Rights and the Dignity of the victims • World Day for Fight against Tuberculosis	• Catholic Day of the Annunciation • Independence Day, Greece • International Day of Commemoration of the Victims of Slavery and the Transatlantic Slave Trade	26	27 • International Theate Day
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• Shipwreck of the Katër i Radës	• Library Week, Turkey		• Freedom Day, Malta			
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April



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28	29	30	31	O1 Orphans Day - Egypt Cancer Prevention Week, Turkey Fun Dayt	• Early Ramadan • World Autism Awareness Day	03
• International Day for Mine Awareness and Action agains Mines	• Lawyers Day-Turkey • International Day of Conscience	• Remembrance of the Beginning of the Siege of Sarajevo • International Day of Sport for Development and Peace	• World Health Day • Day of Remembrance of the Genocide agains the Tuts peoplei	08	09 Beginning of Catholic Holy Week, Spain	10 • Catholic Palm Sunday
11	12 • International Day of Human Travel in Space	13	14 • International Day of Chagas Disease	• Catholic Good Friday • Traditional Celebrations of the Mysteries of Taranto • Eve of the Jewish Passover • Day of Silence, Lebanon	16 • Start Jewish Easter	17 • Catholic Easter
18 • Easter Monday	19 • Lu riu - Easter Tuesday Lecce	20 • Coptic Holy Week	21 • World Day of Creativity and Innovation • Midwifery Da, Turkey	• Jewish Easter • Orthodox Good Friday • International Mother Earth Day • International Day of Girls in Information and Communication Technologies	• Jewish Easter • Orthodox Holy Saturday • National and Children's Day, Turkey • World Book and Copyright Day • Orthodox Feast of San Gorgio, Greece	• Orthodox Easter • Coptic Easter • International Day of Multilateralism and Diplomacy for Peace
• Liberation Day from Nazi-Fascism, Italy • Sinai Liberation Day, Egypt	26 • International Day in Commemoration of the Chernobyl Disaster	27 • Yom HaShoah - Remembrance Day, Israel	28 • World Day of Safety and Health at Work	29 • Destiny Night, Turkey	30 • International Jazz Day	01
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May



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
09	26	27	• IInternational alternative theater festival in Podgorica, Montenegro	29	30	• Labour day • Workplace Safety Week - Turkey • Traditional Feast Procession Sant'Efisio, Cagliar, Sardinia
• End of Ramadam	03	04 • Start Feria, Andalusian festival, Spain	05	• Spring day - turkey • Feast of the Romans of San Giorgio • Martyrs Day, Syria and Lebanon	07	• Armistice Day of 1945 • Mother's Day • World Day of Migratory Birds
09 • World Nazi-Fascism Liberation Day	10 Day of the Judiciary, Turkey Disability Week, Turkey World Argan Day	11	12 • World Nurses Day	• Christian Feast of the Ascension of Christ • Basaglia law - closure of asylums in Italy • Cédric Herrou is definitively acquitted in the name of the principle of fraternité by the Court of Appeal of Lyon, France	14 • World Pharmacy Day	15 • International Family Day
16 • World Day of Living Together in Peace • International Day of Light	17 • World Day against homo-bi-transphobia • World Telecommunications and Information Society Day	18 • Museum Week, Turkey	• Ataturk Day and Youth and Sports Day - Turkey	20 • World Bee Day	• World Milk Day • World Day for Cultural Diversity, Dialogue and Development International Tea Day • Traditional Feast of St. Constantine of St. Helena, Thessaloniki.	• Independence Day, Croatia • Law 194 of 1978 about abortion - Italy • International Day for Biodiversity • Sassari Traditional Festival - Sardinia
23	24 • Catholic Pentecost	25 Day of Liberation oand Resistanc, Lebanon	26	27	28	Dournalist Guido Puletti died in 1993 during a humanitarian mission in Bosnia and Herzegovina Day of the Conquest of Constantinople, Turkey
30 ■ World Anti-Tobacco Day ■ World Hostess Day	31	01	02	03	04	05

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June



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30	31	01 • World Parents Day	• Republic Day - Italy Orthodox Feast of the Ascension • Hellenic Festival, Athens • Ajaccio Fishermen's Festival, Corsica	03 • World Bicycle Day	• International Day of Innocent Children and Victims of Aggression	World Environment Day Shavuoth Jewish Pentecost Feast of Notre Dame des Neiges, Corsica
06 • Shavuoth Jewish Pentecost	07 • World Food Safety Day	08 • World Oceans Day	09	10	11	• World Day Against Child Labor • Orthodox Pentecost
• Orthodox Pentecost World Albinism Day Anna Göldi, the last woman burned at the take as a witch in Europe in 1782	14 • World Day of and Blood Donors	15 • World Day against Abuse of and the Elderty	16 • International Day for Family Remittances	17 • Week against desertification and drought	18 • Sustainable Gastronom Day • International day to combat hate speech • Festival of the culture and traditions of Corsica, Sardinia and Tuscany, lle Rousse	• Independence Day, Algeria • Father's Day, Turkey • World Day for the Elimination of Sexual Violence in Conflicts
20 • World Refugee Day	21 • Summer solstice International Yoga Day	22 Day of the fight gainst anti-fascism Croatia	23 • St. John's Night, The shortest night of the year	24	25 • Independence Day - Slovenia • Maritime Workers Day	• United Nations International Day in Support of Torture Victims • Day against drug use, Turkey
• Animation Film Festival - Neum - Bosnia Herzegovina • Day of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	28 • Sarajevo attack, Start of the First World War	• Danube Day - Croatia Feast of St. Peter and Paul - Malta • Carola Rackete docks at the port of Lampedusa- Italy • International Day of the Tropics	30 • Revolution Day, Egypt • International AsteroidDay • International Day of Parliamentarism	01	02	03
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July



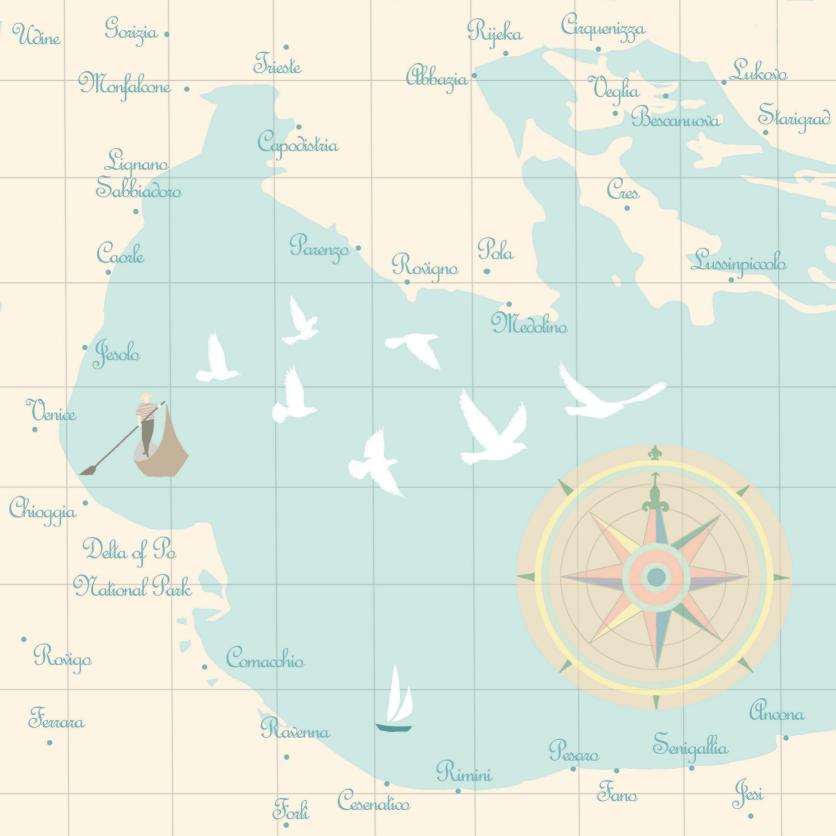
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27	28	29	30	01 • International Day of the Sea	02	03
04	05 • Independence Day, Algeria • Festival of Light,s Scorrano, Puglia	06 • International Day of Cooperatives	07	08 • National Day - Egypt • Popular Grain Festival, Merine - Puglia	• Id al-adha Muslim Day of Sacrifice	10 • Id al-adha Doubrovnik Summer Festiva, Croatia
11 • Id al-adha - World Population Day	12 • Id al-adha	13 • Id al-adha. National Day - Montenegro	14 • Storming of the Bastille - France	15 • Democracy Day, Turkey	16	17
18 • Nelson Mandela World Day	19	20 • World Chess Day	21 • Feast of Santa Maria Maddalena - Uggiano la Chiesa, Puglia	22	23 • Revolution Day Egypt	24
25	26 • Feast of the night of S. Anna, Ischia, Italy	27 • People's Day, Croatia	28 • 1980 Siege of Otranto, Italy	29	30 Islamic New Year World Day against Trafficking in Human Beings International Friendship Day Feast of the Throne Morocco	31
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August



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
• Summer Carnival Kotor, Montenegro	02	03	04	05 • Tisha b'Av - Jewish	06	07 • Ashura Islamic holiday • Horse tournament in ALKA - Croatia
08	09 • International Day of Indigenous Peoples	10	11	• Nazi massacre of Sant'Anna 1944 - Italy • Sarajevo Film Festival	13 • Women's Rights Day, Tunisia	• Loyalty Day - Morocco • Festival of the 4 pignae Titggiano, Puglia • Traditional Faradda festival of li candareri, Sassari - Sardinia
Catholic Feast of the Assumption Mid-August Traditional Pharaonic Festival of fidelity to the Nile - Egypt Korça Beer Festival, Albania	16	17	18	19 • World Humanitarian Aid Day	20 • Pilgrimage to Mount Tomorr Sacred Mount Bektashi - Albania	21 • Youth Day - Morocco International Day of Remembrance and Tribute to the Victims of Terrorism
• International Day of Commemoration of the Victims of Acts of Violence based on Religious Belief	• International Day of Commemoration of the Trafficking of and Slaves and its Abolition	24 • San Bartolomeo, patron saint of Lampedusa	• Remembrance of the Sarajevo Library Fire	• Declaration of the rights of man and citizen 1789 - France • Popular Feast of Saint Oronzo, Lecce	27 Night of the Taranta, Salento Battle of the Tomatoes in Buñol, Spain	• Commemoration of Martin Luther King's speech
• International Day against Nuclear Tests • Wine Festival, Carpignano Salentino, Puglia	30 • Giorn, Internazionale delle Vittime di Sparizioni Forzate	• International Day for People of African Descent • Green Night Castiglione d'Otranto, Puglia	01	02	03	04
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September



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
29	30	31	• International Day of Peace	02	03	04
• International Day of Charity • Law 442 of 1981 which cancels honor killing and shotgun marriages from the Italian penal code	06	07 • International Day of Clean Air for Blue Skies	• International Literacy Day • Victory Day - Malta • Day of the Birth o the Virgin Mary Catholic Religion	Day of Poetry Sarajevo Bosnia and Herzegovina Pithwise Feminist Festival of Art, Music and Activism, Sarajevo	• 1960 Abebe Bikila wins the Marathon at the Rome Olympics barefoot • World Suicide Prevention Day	11
12 • United Nations Day for South-South Cooperation	13	14	15 • International Democracy Day	• International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer • The massacre of Sabra and Shatila - Lebanon	17 • World Day of Safety of and Patients	18 • International Day of Equal Pay
19 • Martyrs Day - Turkey Popular Festival of San Gennaro - Naples	20	21 International Day of Peace Feast of Our Lady of La Merced - Barcelona, Spain	• Feast of Our Lady of Porto Salvo, Lampedusa	• Autumn Equinox • Sports Day - Slovenia • International Day of Sign Languages	24	25
• Rosh Hashana Jewish New Year • Festival of the Turkish language • International Day for the Complete Elimination of Nuclear Weapons	27 Rosh Hashanà Four days of Naples 1943 - Italy World Tourism Day	28 • International Day of Universal Access to Information	29	30 • International Translation Day	01	02
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October



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
26	27	28	29	30	01 • World Vegetarian Day International Day of Older Persons	• International Day of Non-Violence • Grandparents' Day Italy • World Animal Day
03	04 • White Carnival - Syria • World Habitat Day	05 • World Teacher's Day • Jewish fast of kippur	06 • Victor Day - Egyptr	07	08 • Birth of the Prophet Muhammad	• Sukkot Jewish holiday of booths • World Post Day
10 • Sukkot Jewish holiday of booths • World Mental Health Day	• Sukkot Jewish holiday of booths • World Young Girls Day	12 • Christopher Columbus day	13 • International Day fo Disaster Reduction	14	15 Day of the Military Withdrawal of France from Tunisia International Day of Rural Women	16 • World Food Day
• Shemini Atzeret and Simchat Tora Jewish holiday of the law • International Day for the Eradication of Povert	• Shemini Atzeret and Simchat Tora Jewish holiday of the law	19	20	21	22 • Chestnut Festival, Calabria	23 • Freedom Day, Lybia
• World Development Information Day	25	26	27 • World Audiovisual Heritage Day	28 • Day of the No to th transit of fascist troops, Greece and Cyprus • National holiday, Greece • Week of the Cross and Red Crescent	29 • Republic Day, Turkey	30
31 • Halloween World Cities Day	01	02	03	04	05	06



November



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
31	• Catholic Feast of All Saints • 1993 birth of European Union • Anniversary of the Revolution, Algeria	02 • Day of the Dead • World Day to End Impunity for Crimes Against and Journalists	03	04	• International Day of the Romans Language • Tsunami Awareness Day	Anniversary of the Green March - Morocco International Day for the Prevention of the Exploitation of th Environment in Time of War and Armed Conflicts
• New wine festival, Leverano, Puglia	08	• Italy says NO to nuclear energy 1987 • Destruction of the Mostar bridge - Bosnia and Herzegovina • Marco Polo's return to Venice after 24 years in 1295	• World Science Day for Peace an Development • Commemoration of Ataturk's Death, Turkey	• Popular Feast of San Martino - Salento - Italy • Compienne Armistice Day - France	12	13
14 • World Diabetes Day	15 • Day of the imprisoned writer - Croatia	• International Day for Tolerance	17	18 • World Philosophy Day • Indipendence Day, Marocco	19 • World Toilet Day	20 • Day of the Rights of the Child • Death of General Franco, end of Franco' regime, Spain
• World Day o Remembrance of Road Traffic Victims	22	• Rudolf Maister day, Slovenia	24 • Teachers' Day, Turkey	• International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women • Republic Day - Bosnia and Herzegovina	26	27
28 • Indipendance Day, Albania	29 • International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People • Liberation Day from Nazi-Fascism, Albania	30 • Day of Remembrance of the Victims of the Chemical War	01	02	03	04
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December



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
28	29	30	• World Day against AIDS • Divorce Law of 1970, Italy	02 • International Day for the Abolition of Slavery	• International Day for Persons with Disabilities	04
Mother's Day Bosnia and Herzegovina International Day of and Volunteers fo Economic and Social Development World Soil Day	Ohe Mother's Day Bosnia and Herzegovina International Day of and Volunteers fo Economic and Social Development World Soil Day	07	08 • Catholic Feast of the Immaculate Conception	• World Day for the Commemoration and Dignity of the Victims of Genocide and th Prevention of this Crime • International Day against Corruption	10 • Human Rights Day	11 • International Mountain Day
• Remembrance of the Pacifist March for besieged Sarajevo population • Investment and Goods Day- turkey • Universal Health Coverage Day	13 Republic Day - Malta Saint Lucia	14	15	16	17 Beginning of the Saturnalia (Feast of Ancient Rome) - Italy	18 • Hannukah Jewish festival of lights • International MigrantsDay • Day of the Arabic Language
19 • St. Nicholas Popular Festival Bari, Puglia	20 • International Day of Human Solidarity	21	22	23 • Victory Day on the Suez Canal,vvv Egypt	24	25 • Nataele Catholic
• Catholic celebration of Santo Stefano Independence Day, Slovenia	27 • International Day for Preparedness against Epidemics	28	29	30	31 • New Year's Eve	01
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For further additions, comments and suggestions, please contact us at plurale-mediterraneo@gus-italia.org



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