

INTERFAITH CALENDAR FOR November 26—DECEMBER 2, 2020ⁱ

One of the initiatives of the Interfaith Coalition of Washington County is a weekly Interfaith calendar - a listing of upcoming events and commemorations from religions around the world. The listing is for the week ahead -- Thursday to the following Wednesday – to raise awareness of what is going on with practices of the various faiths. For suggestions or additional input, contact Ed Poling at elpoling1@gmail.com.

Friday, November 27

Ascension of 'Abdu'l-Baha—(BAHA'I)—son of Baha'u'llah, commemorates His passing. Baha'is observe the holy day at 1:00 am, about the time of his ascension. (Baha'is do not suspend work on this day.)

Sunday, November 29

First Sunday of Advent—(CHRISTIANITY)—the beginning of preparations for Jesus' birth (Western Churches).

Monday, November 30

Dev Diwali—(JAINISM)—marks the end of the Diwali celebrations and the end of the four-month monsoon season (Chaturmas). It is also considered to be an auspicious time for pilgrimage to the sacred sites associated with the Jain religion.

Birth date of Shrimad Rajchandra—(JAINISM)—a prominent Jain philosopher and scholar (born in 1867).

Birth date of Guru Nanak Dev Ji—(SIKHISM)—founder of the Sikh faith and first of the Ten Sikh Gurus, was born in 1469 CE. He was an accomplished poet; 974 of his hymns are contained in the Sikh Scriptures, the Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji.

Month of November

Kaskatinowipisim—(ABORIGINAL SPIRITUALITY)—(Freeze-up Moon) This month when the weather gets cold enough that lakes and rivers become frozen over. (Cree)

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