

National Americanism and Chaplains Calendar

JANUARY	
New Years Day	January 1st
Vietnam Cease Fire Day	January 27, 1973
Holocaust Remembrance Day (United Nations)	January 27th
FEBRUARY	
Americanism Month	
National Freedom Day	February 1st
Four Chaplains Sunday	1st Sunday
Religious Emphasis Week	1st week after 1st Sunday
Presidents Day	3rd Monday
MARCH	
American Legion Birthday	March 15, 1919
APRIL	
Children & Youth Month	
Patriots' Day	April 18th
National Oratorical Contest	4th weekend
MAY	
Loyalty Day	May 1st
National Day of Prayer	May 4th
Spring NEC	1st Weeked
V-E Day	May 8, 1945
Mothers Day	2nd Sunday
Armed Forces Day	3rd Saturday
Poppy Day	Last Monday (Date Varies)
Memorial Day	Last Monday
JUNE	
<u>Consolidated Reports are due</u>	
D-Day	June 6, 1944
Flag Day	June 14th
Farthers Day	3rd Sunday
JULY	
Independence Day	July 4th
Boys Nation	3rd week in July
National Junior Shooting Championship	* End of July
Korean War Ended	July 27, 1953
AUGUST	
Purple Heart Day	August 7th
American Legion Baseball World Series	* 2nd week
National Convention	Last weekend in August
SEPTEMBER	
V-J Day	September 2, 1945
Labor Day	1st Monday
National Children & Youth Conference	2nd weekend
Patriot Day	September 11, 2001
Constitution Day	September 17th
Citizenship Day	September 17th
Combined Americanism Conference	3rd weekend
POW/MIA Recognition Day	Third Friday
Gold Star Mothers Day	Last Sunday
OCTOBER	
Columbus Day	2nd Monday
Fall NEC	2nd weekend
National Legion College	* Last week in October
NOVEMBER	
Election Day	1st Tuesday after 1st Monday
Veterans Day (Formerly Armistice Day - End of WW I)	November 11, 1918
American Education Week	Week prior to Thanksgiving week
Family Week	Week of Thanksgiving
Thanksgiving	4th Thursday
DECEMBER	
Pearl Harbor Day	December 7, 1941
Hanukkah	December 21st
Christmas	December 25th

* Check Legion website for specific date