

ARMENIAN CHURCH CALENDAR (JULIAN) FOR 2014

FEASTS

JANUARY	
6 Monday	<i>Saints David the Prophet-King and James the Apostle, Brother of the Lord (Feast Day of the Armenian Patriarchate)</i>
7 Tuesday	<i>St. Stephen the Protodeacon and the First Martyr</i>
9 Thursday	<i>Apostles Sts. Peter and Paul</i>
11 Saturday	<i>Apostles Sts. James and his brother John the Evangelist</i>
14 Tuesday	<i>New Year (According to the Julian Calendar)</i>
18 Saturday	<i>Eve of the Nativity & Theophany of Our Lord Jesus Christ</i>
19 Sunday	<i>Nativity & Theophany of Our Lord Jesus Christ</i>
20 Monday	<i>Memorial Day</i>
26 Sunday	<i>Naming of Our Lord Jesus Christ</i>
27 Monday	<i>Birth of St. John the Forerunner</i>

FEBRUARY	
15 Saturday	<i>St. Sarkis the Captain, son Mardiros and fourteen soldiers</i>
22 Saturday	<i>St. Sahag Parthev Catholicos</i>
24 Monday	<i>St. Vartan the Captain and 1036 companions (A. D. 451) (National Feast Day)</i>
25 Tuesday	<i>St. Leontius the priest and companions</i>
27 Thursday	<i>Presentation of the Lord to the Temple</i>

MARCH	
1 Saturday	<i>The 150 Fathers of the Council of Constantinople (A. D. 381)</i>
2 Sunday	<i>Carnival Sunday</i>
3 Monday	<i>Beginning of Lent</i>
8 Saturday	<i>St. Theodore the Captain</i>
9 Sunday	<i>Of the Expulsion</i>
15 Saturday	<i>St. Cyril of Jerusalem</i>
16 Sunday	<i>Of the Prodigal Son</i>
22 Saturday	<i>John, Patriarch of Jerusalem, John of Otzoon, John of Orotni, Gregory of Datev</i>
23 Sunday	<i>Of the Steward</i>
29 Saturday	<i>Forty Martyrs of Sebastia</i>
30 Sunday	<i>Of the Judge</i>

APRIL

5 Saturday	<i>St. Gregory the Enlightener of Armenia (Imprisonment)</i>
6 Sunday	<i>Of Advent</i>
12 Saturday	<i>The raising of Lazarus</i>
13 Sunday	<i>Palm Sunday</i>
17 Thursday	<i>Holy Thursday - Last Supper - Washing of the Feet - Betrayal</i>
18 Friday	<i>Good Friday - Crucifixion and Burial of Our Lord</i>
19 Saturday	<i>Easter Eve</i>
20 Sunday	<i>Easter</i>
22 Tuesday	<i>Memorial day</i>
24 Thursday	<i>99th Anniversary of the Armenian Genocide of 1915</i>
27 Sunday	<i>New Sunday</i>

MAY

4 Sunday	<i>Sunday of the World Church</i>
18 Sunday	<i>Apparition of the Holy Cross (A. D. 351)</i>
29 Thursday	<i>Ascension of Our Lord</i>

JUNE

8 Sunday	<i>Pentecost</i>
15 Sunday	<i>The Prophet Elijah</i>
16 Monday	<i>St. Hripsime and companions</i>
17 Tuesday	<i>St. Gayane and companions</i>
21 Saturday	<i>St. Gregory the Enlightener of Armenia (His release)</i>
22 Sunday	<i>Catholic Church of Holy Etchmiadzin</i>

JULY

5 Saturday	<i>Discovery of the relics of St. Gregory the Illuminator</i>
10 Thursday	<i>Holy Translators Sts. Sahag and Mesrop</i>
13 Sunday	<i>Discovery of the box of St. Mary</i>
19 Saturday	<i>Twelve Apostles of Christ and Paul the Thirteenth Apostle</i>
26 Saturday	<i>The Ark</i>
27 Sunday	<i>Transfiguration</i>
28 Monday	<i>Memorial day</i>

AUGUST

2 Saturday	<i>St. Thaddeus the Apostle of Armenia and St. Sandoukht the Virgin</i>
23 Saturday	<i>The 200 Fathers of the Holy Council of Ephesus (A. D. 431)</i>
31 Sunday	<i>Feast of the Assumption of The Mother-of-God</i>

SEPTEMBER	
1 Monday	Memorial day
9 Tuesday	St. Joachim and Anna
14 Sunday	Discovery of the belt of St. Mary The Mother-of-God
20 Saturday	The 318 Fathers of the Holy Council of Nicea (A. D. 325)
21 Sunday	Nativity of the Holy Virgin Mary Day of Independence of Armenia (1991)
28 Sunday	Exaltation of the Holy Cross
29 Monday	Memorial Day

OCTOBER	
11 Saturday	St. George Captain
12 Sunday	Holy Cross of Varak (A. D. 660)
25 Saturday	Holy Translators Mesrop, Yeghishe, Movses the Poet, David the Philosopher, Gregory of Narek, Nerses the Graceful National Feast Day in commemoration of the invention of the Armenian Alphabet and translation of the Holy Bible (A. D. 404-406)

NOVEMBER	
1 Saturday	Holy Evangelists Matthew, Mark, Luke and John
3 Monday	St. Joseph, spouse of Our Lord
9 Sunday	Discovery of the Cross (A. D. 326)
15 Saturday	All Saints
22 Saturday	Holy Archangels Gabriel and Michael
30 Sunday	Carnival of Advent

DECEMBER	
4 Thursday	Presentation of the Holy Mother-of-God to the Temple
13 Saturday	Sts. Thaddeus and Bartholomew, First Apostles and Enlighteners of Armenia
20 Saturday	St. Nicholas the Wonderworker
22 Monday	Conception of the Virgin Mary by St. Anna
27 Saturday	St. James, the Bishop of Nisibis

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