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November Diversity Calendar

2020

Date	Religion/Culture	Event
Nov 1 st	Christianity	All Saints' Day This is a Christian festival celebrated in honour of all the saints, known and unknown.
Nov 2 nd	Christianity	All Souls' Day Commemorating the souls of faithful Christians, who have perished. Visits to cemeteries of the dead and special meals are prepared in celebration.
Nov 7 th	Buddhism	Lhabab Düchen This festival is celebrated in Bhutan and Tibet to celebrate the four life events of the Lord Buddha, by lighting lamps and incense around the monasteries.
Nov 11 th		Remembrance Day/Veteran's Day In remembrance of those perished in their line of duty, during the First World War. A minutes silence is usually held across many countries all over the world at 11 am.
Nov 13 th	World	World Kindness Day A day to show kindness to everyone despite their race, colour, culture and religion. Today, and every day we should learn to be one.
Nov 14 th	Hinduism	Diwali This is one the biggest celebrations in the Hindu religion, also referred to the festival of lights. Many traditional festivities take place on this day, including puja, lighting candles, adorning new clothes and feasts.
Nov 20 th		Transgender Day of Remembrance A day to remember transgender people, who lost their lives, resulting from anti-transgender violence.
Nov 22 nd	Catholicism	Feast of Christ the King Roman Catholic holiday to celebrate Jesus Christ as Lord over all creation.
Nov 25 – January 6		Nativity Feast Celebrated by the Eastern Orthodox, Oriental Orthodox and Eastern Catholic churches in preparation for the Nativity of Jesus.

Nov 26	United States	Thanksgiving
		A day of giving thanks for the blessing of the harvest and of
		the preceding year.
Nov 27 th	United States	Native American Heritage Day
		A day to encourage all Americans of all backgrounds to
		observe and honour Native Americans
Nov 29 th – Dec	Christianity	Advent
24		Season of celebration leading up to the birth of Christ.
Nov 30 th	Christianity	St. Andrews Day
		The feast day for St. Andrew within various Christian faiths. It
		is also marked as a National day in Scotland and Romania.

Above are the main multicultural celebrations for the month of November, 2020. There may be some celebrations, which have not been included in this calendar and customs may vary. If you would like me to add your special holiday or vary the customs, please write me at afsana@gcmediation.com.