

# ISKCON of HOUSTON

## Ekadasi & Festival Dates from 1 Jan 2018 - 31 Dec 2018

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01 Jan 2018	<b>Mon</b>	<b>12 Noon – New Year Festival Celebrations / Yajna</b>
12 Jan 2018	Fri	Fasting for Sat-tila Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:17 - 10:46 (LT)
23 Jan 2018	<b>Tue</b>	<b>7:00 PM – Sri Advaita Acarya – Appearance</b> (Fast till noon today)
27 Jan 2018	Sat	Fasting for Bhaimi Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:13 - 10:47 (LT) (Fast till noon today for Varahadeva Appearance)
28 Jan 2018	Sun	5:30 PM – Appearance of Lord Varahadeva (Fasting is done yesterday)
29 Jan 2018	<b>Mon</b>	<b>7:00 PM – Appearance of Sri Nityananda Prabhu</b> (Fast till noon today)

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04 Feb 2018	<b>Sun</b>	<b>5:30 PM – Srila Bhaktisiddhanta Sarasvati Thakura Appearance</b> (Fast till noon today)
11 Feb 2018	Sun	Fasting for Vijaya Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:03 - 08:36 (LT)
14 Feb 2018	<b>Wed</b>	<b>7:00 PM Siva Ratri Celebrations</b>
16 Feb 2018	<b>Fri</b>	<b>7:00 PM HH Tamal Krishna Goswami Disappearance</b> Srila Jagannatha Dasa Babaji, Sri Rasikananda – Disappearance
26 Feb 2018	Mon	Fasting for Amalaki vrata Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:49 - 10:39 (LT)

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01 Mar 2018	<b>Thu</b>	<b>7:00 PM – Gaura Purnima: Appearance of Sri Caitanya Mahaprabhu</b> (Fast till moonrise today)
04 Mar 2018	<b>Sun</b>	<b>5:30 PM – Public Gaura Purnima Cultural Program Festival</b>
09 – 11 Mar 2018		Annual Japa Retreat
12 Mar 2018	Mon	Fasting for Papamocani Ekadasi – Break fast next day 09:44 - 11:31 (DST)
23 – 25 Mar 2018		Bayou City Art Festival
25 Mar 2018	<b>Sun</b>	<b>5:30PM – Rama Navami: App of Lord Sri Ramacandra</b> (Fast till sunset today)
27 Mar 2018	Tue	Fasting for Kamada Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:15 - 11:22 (DST)
31 Mar 2018	Sat	10:00 AM Temple Picnic Gathering

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07 Apr 2018	Sat	Dallas Ratha yatra
11 Apr 2018	Wed	Fasting for Varuthini Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:58 - 11:14 (DST)
21 Apr 2018	Sat	Holi Festival Celebrations
25 Apr 2018	Wed	Fasting for Mohini Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:43 - 11:07 (DST)
28 Apr 2018	<b>Sat</b>	<b>5:00PM – Nrsimha Caturdasi: App of Lord Nrsimhadeva</b> (Fast till dusk today)

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11 May 2018	Fri	Fasting for Aparā Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:30 - 11:02 (DST)
13 May 2018	<b>Sun</b>	<b>5:30 PM – Grand Opening Anniversary/Installation of Sri Sri Radha Giridhari</b>
16 May 2018	<b>Wed</b>	<b>First day of Purusottama-adhika Masa</b>
25 May 2018	Fri	Fasting for Padmini Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:23 - 07:12 (DST)

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09 Jun 2018	Sat	Fasting for Parama Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:59 - 11:00 (DST)
13 Jun 2018	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Last Day of Purusottama-adhika Masa</b>
23 Jun 2018	Sat	Fasting for Pandava Nirjala Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:22 - 11:03 (DST)
24 Jun 2018	Sun	5:30 PM – Panihati Cida Dahi Celebrations

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02 Jul 2018	<b>Mon</b>	<b>7:00 PM – Vyasa Puja of HH Tamal Krishna Goswami</b>
04 Jul 2018	Wed	4 <sup>th</sup> of July Harinama Downtown
09 Jul 2018	Mon	Fasting for Yogini Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:28 - 08:17 (DST)
12 Jul 2018	<b>Thu</b>	<b>7:00 PM – Srila Bhaktivinoda Thakura, Sri Gadadhara Pandita – Disappearance</b> (Fast till noon today for Srila Bhaktivinoda Thakura Disappearance)



15 Jul 2018	Sun	Houston Candan Yatra
23 Jul 2018	Mon	Fasting for Sayana Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:36 - 07:57 (DST)
27 Jul 2018	Fri	First month of Caturmasya begins (spinach fast for one month)
07 Aug 2018	Tue	Fasting for Kamika Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:45 - 11:12 (DST)
12 Aug 2018	Sun	Houston Candan Yatra
21 Aug 2018	Tue	Radha Govinda Jhulana Yatra begins
22 Aug 2018	Wed	Fasting for Pavitropana Ekadasi – Break fast 06:53 - 11:13 (DST)
24 Aug 2018	Fri	Last day of the first Caturmasya month
25 Aug 2018	Sat	<b>11:00 AM – Lord Balarama Appearance</b> (Fast till noon today) Jhulana Yatra ends/Second month of Caturmasya begins (yogurt fast for one month)
01 – 04 Sep 2018		ISKCON Houston Kirtan Fest
03 Sep 2018	Mon	<b>4:00 PM Sri Krsna Janmastami: Appearance of Lord Sri Krsna</b> (Fast till midnight)
04 Sep 2018	Tue	<b>10:00 AM Srila Prabhupada Appearance</b> (Fast till noon today)
05 Sep 2018	Wed	Fasting for Annada Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:01 - 11:13 (DST)
16 Sep 2018	Sun	<b>5:30PM Radhastami: Appearance of Srimati Radharani</b> (Fast till noon today)
20 Sep 2018	Thu	Fasting for Parsva Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:09 - 11:12 (DST) (Fast till noon today for Vamanadeva Appearance)
21 Sep 2018	Fri	Sri Vamana Dvadasi: Appearance of Lord Vamanadeva (Fasting is done yesterday)
22 Sep 2018	Sat	<b>11:00 AM – Srila Bhaktivinoda Thakura Appearance</b> (Fast till noon today)
22 Sep 2018	Sat	Earth Dance Festival
23 Sep 2018	Sun	Last day of the second Caturmasya month
24 Sep 2018	Mon	Sri Visvarupa Mahotsava / Acceptance of sannyasa by Srila Prabhupada Third month of Caturmasya begins (milk fast for one month)
05 Oct 2018	Fri	Fasting for Indira Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:17 - 11:12 (DST)
20 Oct 2018	Sat	Fasting for Pasankusa Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:27 - 11:03 (DST)
23 Oct 2018	Tue	Last day of the third Caturmasya month
24 Oct 2018	Wed	Fourth month of Caturmasya begins (urad dal fast for one month)
25 Oct 2018	Thu	<b>First day of Kartik Damodara Month</b>
03 Nov 2018	Sat	Fasting for Rama Ekadasi – Break fast next day 06:37 - 10:15 (LT) Last day of Daylight Saving Time
07 Nov 2018	Wed	<b>7:00 PM Dipa dana, Dipavali (Festival of Lights)</b>
08 Nov 2018	Thu	<b>6:30 PM Go Puja. Go Krda. Govardhana Puja.</b>
11 Nov 2018	Sun	<b>10:00 AM – Srila Prabhupada Disappearance</b> (Fast till noon today)
17 Nov 2018	Sat	<b>Diwali Fundraising Dinner</b>
18 Nov 2018	Sun	Fasting for Utthana Ekadasi – Break fast next day 09:04 - 10:20 (LT) <b>5:30 PM – Srila Gaura Kisora Dasa Babaji Disappearance</b> (Fast till noon today)
21 Nov 2018	Wed	Last day of the fourth Caturmasya month
22 Nov 2018	Thu	<b>11:30 AM – Last day of Kartik Damodara Month &amp; Thanksgiving Feast</b>
02 Dec 2018	Sun	Fasting for Utpanna Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:22 - 10:27 (LT)
18 Dec 2018	Tue	Fasting for Moksada Ekadasi – Break fast next day 07:11 - 10:36 (LT) <b>Advent of Srimad Bhagavad-Gita – recital of the Gita</b>
23 Dec 2018	Sun	Gita Jayanti Festival / Yajna
25 Dec 2018	Tue	<b>12 Noon – Srila Bhaktisiddhanta Sarasvati Thakura Disappearance</b> (Fast till noon today) <b>Krishnamas (Christmas) Feast</b>