

# AWARENESS DAYS

## JANUARY 2026

DATE	EVENT	WEB LINK
January	National Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention Month 2026	<a href="https://hopeforjustice.org/national-slavery-and-human-trafficking-prevention-month/">https://hopeforjustice.org/national-slavery-and-human-trafficking-prevention-month/</a>
Sunday January 11	National Human Trafficking Awareness Day	<a href="https://nationaltoday.com/national-human-trafficking-awareness-day/">https://nationaltoday.com/national-human-trafficking-awareness-day/</a>
Sunday January 11th	Plough Sunday	<a href="https://arthurrankcentre.org.uk/plough-sunday">https://arthurrankcentre.org.uk/plough-sunday</a>
Saturday January 18th - Thursday 25th	Week of prayer for Christian Unity	<a href="https://www.oikoumene.org/resources/week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity">https://www.oikoumene.org/resources/week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity</a>
Monday January 20th	Martin Luther King Day	<a href="https://www.awarenessdays.com/awareness-days-calendar/martin-luther-king-day/">https://www.awarenessdays.com/awareness-days-calendar/martin-luther-king-day/</a>
Saturday January 24th	International Day of Education	<a href="https://www.worldvision.org.uk/campaign/international-day-of-education/">https://www.worldvision.org.uk/campaign/international-day-of-education/</a>
Sunday January 25th	World Leprosy Sunday	<a href="https://www.awarenessdays.com/awareness-days-calendar/world-leprosy-day/">https://www.awarenessdays.com/awareness-days-calendar/world-leprosy-day/</a>
Monday January 27th	Holocaust Memorial Day	<a href="https://hmd.org.uk/what-is-holocaust-memorial-day/">https://hmd.org.uk/what-is-holocaust-memorial-day/</a>

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## FEBRUARY 2026

DATE	EVENT	WEB LINK
February	UK LGBT+ History Month	<a href="https://www.inclusiveemployers.co.uk/awareness-day/lgbt-history-month/">https://www.inclusiveemployers.co.uk/awareness-day/lgbt-history-month/</a>
Saturday February 1st – Friday 7th	Interfaith World Harmony Week	<a href="https://www.un.org/en/observances/interfaith-harmony-week">https://www.un.org/en/observances/interfaith-harmony-week</a>
Monday February 2nd – Sunday 8th	Racial Equality Week	<a href="https://raceequalitymatters.com/race-equality-week/">https://raceequalitymatters.com/race-equality-week/</a>
Wednesday February 4th	World Cancer Day	<a href="https://www.worldcancerday.org/about">https://www.worldcancerday.org/about</a>
Thursday February 5th	Time to Talk Day	<a href="https://timetotalkday.co.uk/">https://timetotalkday.co.uk/</a>
Sunday February 8th	Racial Justice Sunday	<a href="https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/liturgical-resources-racial-justice-sunday">https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/worship-texts-and-resources/liturgical-resources-racial-justice-sunday</a>
Wednesday February 11th	World Day for the Sick	<a href="https://nationaltoday.com/world-day-of-the-sick/">https://nationaltoday.com/world-day-of-the-sick/</a>
Wednesday February 18th	Ash Wednesday	
Friday February 20th	World Day of Social Justice	<a href="https://www.un.org/en/observances/social-justice-day">https://www.un.org/en/observances/social-justice-day</a>

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## MARCH 2026

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Saturday March 1st	Self-injury Awareness Day (SIAD)	<a href="https://nationaltoday.com/self-injury-awareness-day/">https://nationaltoday.com/self-injury-awareness-day/</a>
Tuesday March 3rd	World Hearing Day	<a href="https://www.who.int/campaigns/world-hearing-day/2026">https://www.who.int/campaigns/world-hearing-day/2026</a>
Thursday March 5th	World Book Day	<a href="https://www.worldbookday.com/">https://www.worldbookday.com/</a>
Friday March 6th	World Day of Prayer	<a href="https://worlddayofprayer.net/index.html">https://worlddayofprayer.net/index.html</a>
Saturday March 8th	International Womens' Day	<a href="https://www.internationalwomensday.com/">https://www.internationalwomensday.com/</a>
Sunday March 15th (tbc)	Corrymeela Sunday	<a href="https://www.corrymeela.org">https://www.corrymeela.org</a>
Thursday March 12th (tbc)	Young Carers Action Day	<a href="https://carers.org/young-carers-action-day/young-carers-action-day">https://carers.org/young-carers-action-day/young-carers-action-day</a>
Sunday March 15th	Mothering Sunday	
Friday March 21st	World Down Syndrome Day	<a href="https://downsyndromeuk.co.uk/">https://downsyndromeuk.co.uk/</a>
Friday March 21st	International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination	<a href="https://www.un.org/en/observances/end-racism-day">https://www.un.org/en/observances/end-racism-day</a>
Sunday March 22nd	World Water Day	<a href="https://www.unwater.org/our-work/world-water-day">https://www.unwater.org/our-work/world-water-day</a>
Saturday March 28th	Earth Hour	<a href="https://www.earthhour.org/">https://www.earthhour.org/</a>

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