

# SPIRITUAL CALENDAR 2012

	FESTIVAL	DAY	DATE	DESCRIPTION
	Maha Shivaratri	TBA	TBA	Celebrated during the night and is completely dedicated to Lord Shiva, who is also known as the destroyer of evil and the remover of ignorance.
	Guru Poornima	TBA	TBA	The full moon day in the Hindu month of July- August is observed as the auspicious day of Guru Purnima, recommitting yourself to your Guru
	Diwali	TBA	TBA	Diwali involves the lighting of small clay lamps filled with oil to signify the triumph of good over evil. These lamps are kept on during the night and one's house is cleaned, both done in order to make the goddess Lakshmi feel welcome. Firecrackers are burst in order to drive away evil spirits.
	Navaratri - celebrated twice yearly	TBA	TBA	The Nine Nights of Goddess Shakti, called <b>Navratri</b> is a time for physical and mental rejuvenation and to tune in to creative energies that make themselves abundantly available during these nine nights. it represents a time of hope for humanity to realize happiness be it money, relationship or self-discovery and realization.